



ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 05,
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ENJOINING THE LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY TO MAINTAIN CLOSE COORDINATION AND STRENGTHEN ITS PARTNERSHIP WITH THE TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA) TO ADDRESS UNEMPLOYMENT AND LIVELIHOOD CONCERNS BY BRINGING THE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE LATTER AT THE GRASSROOTS LEVEL.

WHEREAS, Section 2 of the TESDA Law declared it a policy of the State to provide relevant, accessible, high quality and efficient technical education and skills development in support of the development of high quality Filipino middle-level manpower responsive to and in accordance with Philippine development goals and priorities.

WHEREAS, pursuant to its mandate, TESDA is pursuing efforts to reach out to the marginalized sectors of society at the grassroots level along with its vision to promote a better quality of life for the people by opening windows for employment and livelihood opportunities;

WHEREAS, Barangay Officials play a crucial role in identifying and enhancing the skills requirements of the locality hence the need for a strong collaboration with TESDA in view of the latter's capability to provide appropriate interventions in the field of technical-vocational education and training;

WHEREAS, revitalizing our local economy is confronted by various challenges since the pandemic has taken away people's source of income and livelihood thus, the need for additional skills and technology transfer to the working class to enhance their capability to venture into alternative income generating activities and to make them locally and internationally competitive;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, I, **ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN**, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Itogon, Benguet Province, hereby ORDER as follows;

Section 1. Purpose and Objective. This Order is promulgated to facilitate the delivery of financial and/or technical assistance and such other services of concerned agencies of the national government particularly by TESDA to the grassroots level by enjoining the active participation of barangay LGUs to this crucial stage which aims to uplift of the economic conditions of our people. Towards this end, respective Punong Barangays of the nine component barangays comprising the Liga ng mga Barangay shall strengthen their collaboration with TESDA for the provision of appropriate interventions that will open employment and livelihood opportunities for their respective constituents in furtherance of the municipality's economic recovery efforts and in strengthening our adaptive capacity to the new normal.

Section 2. Attendance of TESDA Representatives During LnB or Sanguniang Barangay Meetings. In order to allow TESDA to advocate its programs and services for relevant and accessible Technical-Vocational Education and Training (TVET), establish harmonious working relationship to achieve a defined result, and to provide an avenue for exchange of knowledge and information, the Liga ng Mga Barangay (LnB) is hereby enjoined to invite representative(s) of TESDA during the conduct of its regular meetings,

or in its special meetings as the necessity arises.. Likewise, Sanguniang Barangays are also enjoined to do the same during regular and/or special sessions.

Section 3. To facilitate the implementation of appropriate programs and interventions by TESDA, the Punong Barangays shall identify the skills requirement of their respective constituents. In coordination with the Municipal Livelihood Coordinator, they shall conduct needs assessment, organize target beneficiaries in accordance with their skills of preference, or existing fields that needs to be enhanced and shall assist such organized groups in its registration with proper authorities and in its accreditation by the Sanguniang Bayan. Provided finally that pursuant to their respective powers, duties and functions, both Barangay LGUs and TESDA shall maintain proper coordination and continuously assist each other for the fulfillment of their respective mandates and for the attainment of the purpose and objectives of this Order.

Section 4. Repealing Clause. All Administrative Orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Administrative Order or parts hereof are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 5. This Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE this 17th day of February, 2022 at Itogon, Benguet.


ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN
Municipal Mayor