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LPP SPECIAL MEETING RESOLUTION NO. 2020-009

REQUESTING THE BANGKO SENTRAL NG PILIPINAS (BSP) TO MANDATE ALL BANKS AND DULY-REGISTERED MONEY REMITTANCE CENTERS TO OPERATE AT LEAST FIVE DAYS A WEEK AND WITHIN REGULAR BANKING HOURS, SUBJECT TO THE STRICT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICIES ON PHYSICAL DISTANCING, REGULAR SANITATION AND WEARING OF FACE MASKS, TO ENSURE CONTINUOUS FINANCIAL SERVICES TO THE PUBLIC AND TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS AMID THE COVID-19 CRISIS

WHEREAS, the crisis brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic has caused government to declare an Enhanced Community Quarantine in the whole of Luzon, and various local government units in the Visayas and Mindanao declaring localized community quarantines as well to curb the rise of new infections;

WHEREAS, R.A. 11469, or the '*Bayanihan To Heal As One Act*', and its related implementing rules and IATF guidelines, have identified banks and money remittance centers as among those essential services which should continue to operate unhampered notwithstanding the community quarantines;

WHEREAS, in order to protect the health and safety of its employees amidst the pandemic, banks and money remittance centers have resorted to alternative arrangements, such as limited banking days to three days a week and shorter operating hours than what was previously imposed by the BSP prior to this Covid-19 crisis;

WHEREAS, the adoption of truncated operating days and hours by many banks have caused unnecessary influx and congregation of clients needing to do their transactions on those days these banks are open, contrary to the national policy of physical distancing;

WHEREAS, banks and money remittance centers need to retain its normal operating hours and regular business days not only to regulate the unhampered flow of the transacting public as well as the local government units within these financial institutions to ensure that the continued provision of the social amelioration program and government benefits by the LGUs for the intended beneficiaries will not be hampered as well but also to assure financial stability of our financial business sector;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to request the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) to mandate all financial institutions, such as banks and money remittance centers, to operate at least five days a week and within regular banking hours, subject to the strict implementation of the government's policies on physical distancing, regular sanitation and wearing of face masks, to ensure continuous financial services to the public and to the local government units amid the COVID-19 crisis;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Office of the Governor of the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, for their immediate appropriate action;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be also furnished to the Office of the President, Office of the Cabinet Secretary, Inter-Agency Task Force on the Management of Emerging Infections Diseases and its member-agencies, and the Bankers Association of the Philippines for their information.

Done this 28th day of April 2020, during the 2nd Special Online Meeting of the League of Provinces of the Philippines.

Certified true and correct:



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Attested by:



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