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BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 2
Series of 2017

SUBJECT: PROVISION OF A THREE-YEAR PERIOD FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH – TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION CENTER RO II IN ILAGAN, ISABELA TO COMPLY WITH THE ACCREDITATION REQUIREMENTS FOR DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION CENTERS AS PROVIDED FOR IN DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD REGULATION NO. 4, SERIES OF 2003

WHEREAS, Section 81 (h) of Republic Act No. 9165 or the Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002, as amended (the “Act”) provides that the Dangerous Drugs Board (the “Board”) shall design and develop a national treatment and rehabilitation program for drug dependents in coordination with Department of Health (the “DOH”), Department of Social Welfare and Development and other agencies involved in drugs control and treatment and rehabilitation;

WHEREAS, Section 81 (k) of the Act provides that the Board has the power to prescribe and promulgate rules and regulations governing the establishment of drug abuse treatment and rehabilitation centers as deemed necessary after conducting a feasibility study in coordination with DOH and other government agencies;

WHEREAS, in the exercise of its power, the Board issued Regulation No. 4, Series of 2003 (the “Regulation”) which provides for the implementing rules and regulations governing accreditation of drug abuse treatment and rehabilitation centers and accreditation of center personnel, as amended by Regulation No. 4, Series of 2008;

WHEREAS, Section 75 of the Act emphasizes the need to support the establishment of government – operated regional treatment and rehabilitation centers all over the country;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health established the Treatment and Rehabilitation Center RO II at Barangay San Antonio, Ilagan City, Isabela, which shall commence operations on the first week of April 2017, to assist drug dependents in the Cagayan Valley Region and at the same time address the sudden increase of voluntary surrender of individuals who require medical intervention and in – house treatment and rehabilitation brought about by the anti – illegal drugs advocacy of the Duterte Administration;

WHEREAS, considering that there is a need to immediately address the aforesaid concerns, it is essential that the aforesaid facility be immediately made operational notwithstanding their continuing formulation of internal standards and guidelines and processing of their accreditation requirements pursuant to the aforesaid Regulation.

Bd. Res. on Provision of a three-year period for the DOH Treatment and Rehabilitation Center Region II in Ilagan, Isabela to comply with the accreditation requirements of drug abuse treatment and rehabilitation centers as provided in Dangerous Drugs Board Regulation No. 4, Series of 2003 1

WHEREFORE, be it **RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to provide for a three – year period for the Treatment and Rehabilitation Center RO II in Ilagan City, Isabela to comply with the accreditation requirements of drug abuse treatment and rehabilitation centers as set forth in Regulation No. 4, Series of 2003 issued by the Board.


RESOLVED FINALLY, to authorize the Department of Health to issue a permit to operate to the Treatment and Rehabilitation Center RO II in Ilagan City, Isabela.

APPROVED and ADOPTED this 15th day of March, in the year of Our Lord, 2017 in Manila.



Secretary BENJAMIN P. REYES
Chairman, Dangerous Drugs Board

Attested by:



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