

**Regional Assembly Bill No. 60**

Republic of the Philippines  
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao  
**REGIONAL ASSEMBLY**  
Cotabato City

**FIFTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**  
(Second Regular Session)

**[MUSLIM MINDANAO AUTONOMY ACT NO. 206]**

Begun and held in Cotabato City, on Monday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, two thousand six.

**AN ACT CREATING THE MUNICIPALITY OF DATU  
ANGGAL MIDTIMBANG IN THE PROVINCE OF  
MAGUINDANAO, PROVIDING FUNDS  
THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Be it enacted by the Regional Assembly in session assembled:

**Section 1.-** Barangays Midtimbang, Brar and Tulunan of the Municipality of Talayan and Barangays Nunangan, Tugal, Adaon and Mapayag of the Municipality of Talitay are hereby separated from their respective municipalities and constituted into distinct and independent municipality to be known as the Municipality of Datu Anggal Midtimbang in the province of Maguindanao.

The seat of the municipal government shall be Barangay Adaon to be known likewise as the poblacion.

**Sec. 2.-** The land area of the municipality of Midtimbang is forty two point sixteen square kilometers bounded by metes and bounds as follows:

	<b>LINE</b>	<b>BEARING</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
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	LINE 1	S 36°19' W	12,765.84
	1-2	N 36°57' E	6,340.16
	2-3	S 89°01' E	1,410.26
	3-4	N 62°36' E	1,695.13

4-5	N 44°54' E	1,952.63
5-6	N 13°22' E	1,524.34
6-7	N 62°54' E	875.86
7-8	N 47°49' E	1,848.67
8-9	S 64°30' E	1,240.90
9-10	S 81° 3' E	799.91
10-11	N 70°55' E	634.30
11-12	N 26° 5' E	1,789.00
12-13	N 53°15' W	979.75
13-14	N 54° 6' E	492.67
14-15	N 21°29'W	816.10
15-16	N 48°32' E	6,129.32
16-17	S 43°27' E	1,356.43
17-18	S 21°44' W	3,039.40
18-19	S 62°29' W	2,600.38
19-20	S 4°41' W	1,278.45
20-21	S 23°9' E	573.19
21-22	S 46°38'W	2,923.86
22-23	N 89°2' W	1,088.76
23-24	S 21°9' W	536.95
24-25	S 74°28' W	729.48
25-26	S 25°11' W	893.73
26-27	N 21°7' W	649.81
27-28	N 48°30' W	1,056.01
28-29	S 44°54' W	2,543.58
29-30	N 53°58' W	514.10
30- 1	S 61°25' W	8,773.83

**Sec. 3.-** The Municipality shall be composed of a Municipal Mayor, Vice-Mayor and eight (8) Members of the Sangguniang Bayan who shall be elected at large in regular election.

The membership of the Sanggunian shall include the ABC President, Sangguniang Kabataan Federation President and sectoral representatives provided for in MMA Act No.25.

**Sec. 4.-** Initially, the municipal mayor, vice-mayor and the regular members of the Sangguniang Bayan shall be appointed by the Regional Governor who shall hold office until their successors shall have been elected and qualified in the next regular election.

**Sec. 5.-** The corporate existence of the municipality shall commence upon the appointment or election of the municipal mayor and majority of the members of the Sanggunian.

**Sec. 6.-** The provisions of the ARMM Local Government and other relevant laws shall be suppletory to this Act.

**Sec. 7. -** The Commission on Elections (COMELEC) shall conduct and supervise the plebiscite, which shall be held within ninety (90) days after the approval of this Act, in the affected areas.

**Sec. 8.-** The creation of this municipality shall take effect when approved by majority of the votes cast in the plebiscite called for the purpose.

**Sec. 9.-** Pending the release of its own share from the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA), the mother municipalities shall extend monthly financial assistance for the initial operation of the newly created municipality.

**Sec. 10.-** Such expenses as may be necessary in the conduct of the plebiscite shall be appropriated out of any available funds not otherwise appropriated in the treasuries of the two (2) municipalities affected thereby and/or the treasury of the Province of Maguindanao.

**Sec. 11.-** This Act shall take effect immediately upon approval.

**APPROVED.**

(SGD) **PAISALIN P. TAGO**  
Speaker

This Act was passed by the Regional Assembly on November 22, 2006.

(SGD) **DATU MAMA M. AMPATUAN**  
Secretary-General

**APPROVED:**

(SGD) **DATU ZALDY PUTI UY AMPATUAN**  
Regional Governor  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_