

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

FIFTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
(Third Regular Session)

[MUSLIM MINDANAO AUTONOMY ACT NO. 221]

Begun and held in Cotabato City, on Monday, the nineteenth day of November, two thousand and seven.

**AN ACT CREATING THE MUNICIPALITY OF SHARIFF TIBUNOG
IN THE PROVINCE OF MAGUINDANAO, PROVIDING FUNDS
THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Be it enacted by the Regional Assembly in session assembled:

Section 1. A part of Barangay Banaba, barangays Guinibon, Mao, Sugadol and Talisawa in the municipality of Datu Abdullah Sangki, and barangays Kamasi, a part of barangay Kauran (Mamison) and barangay Tumicor in the Municipality of Ampatuan are hereby separated from their respective mother municipalities, constituted and created into a distinct and independent Municipality of Shariff Tibungog in the Province of Maguindanao.

The seat of government shall be Barangay Kamasi of this municipality which shall likewise be known hereafter as the Poblacion.

Sec. 2. The municipality has a land area of fifty point five (50.05) square kilometers, bounded as follows:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION		
LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TP 1		
2	N02° 24E	2802.79M
3	S87° 40W	2452.04M
4	S50° 11W	390.51M
5	S51° 15E	1038.56M
6	S39° 01W	2511.77M
7	N44° 38W	4850.59M

8	N63' 40E	3380.96M
9	N85' 20E	1354.47M
10	N85' 44E	1353.78M
11	N08' 55W	3228.95M
12	N09' 52W	1167.26M
13	N29' 06W	3187.28M
14	N33' 19E	1274.45M
15	N89' 35E	2800.07M
16	N00' 26W	645.02M
17	NORTH	1935.00M
18	S79' 13W	961.99M
19	N17' 04E	1652.76M
20	N66' 04E	1602.72M
21	S11' 40E	765.85M
22	N24' 16E	1447.90M
23	N72' 17E	1742.56M
24	N57' 22E	1947.23M
25	N63' 09E	2213.74M
26	S65' 26E	962.09M
27	S09' 52E	2334.52M
28	S26' 34E	1900.66M
29	S69' 52E	1597.65M
30	S25' 12W	939.41M
31	S16' 52E	862.05M
32	S27' 07E	1151.63M
33	S00' 43E	2000.16M
34	S06' 47W	2114.83M
35	S14' 07E	3582.97M
35	1	S64' 01W
		13180.94M

Sec. 3. The municipality shall be composed of a municipal mayor, a vice-mayor and eight (8) members of its Sanggunian who shall be elected at large in a regular election in the area of its jurisdiction.

Sectoral members who are chosen or selected by their respective federations or organizations as provided in the ARMM local government code shall constitute a part of the membership of its Sanggunian.

Sec. 4. The corporate existence of the municipality shall commence upon the appointment or election of its first municipal mayor and majority of the members of its Sanggunian, who shall hold and continue to be in office until their successors shall have been elected and qualified in the next regular election.

Sec. 5. Within ninety (90) days upon the approval of this Act, the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) shall schedule, conduct and supervise the Plebiscite it may call for the purpose in the affected areas.

Sec. 6. The creation of this municipality shall be deemed in force and effect after its ratification by a majority of the votes cast in the plebiscite for the purpose.

Sec. 7. The municipal affairs shall be administered in accordance with the Constitution, Organic Act, ARMM Local Government Code and applicable existing regional and national laws, rules and regulations.

Sec. 8. The expenses in holding the plebiscite shall be taken out of funds that may be made available by the provincial government of Maguindanao and the municipal governments of Ampatuan and Datu Abdullah Sangki, subject to accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Sec. 9. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its publication in a newspaper of regional circulation.

Approved.

(SGD) PAISALIN P. TAGO
Speaker

This Act was passed by the Regional Assembly on April 15, 2008.

(SGD) DATU MAMA M. AMPATUAN, Al Haj.
Secretary General

APPROVED:

(SGD) DATU ZALDY UY AMPATUAN
Regional Governor
Date signed: