

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

THIRD LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
(SECOND REGULAR SESSION)

Begun and held in Cotabato City, on Monday, the twenty eight day of April, nineteen hundred and ninety seven..

[MUSLIM MINDANAO AUTONOMY ACT NO. 61]

AN ACT CREATING BARANGAY PANGI IN THE MUNICIPALITY
OF DATU ODIN SINSUAT, PROVINCE OF MAGUINDANAO,
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES..

Be it enacted by the Regional Legislative Assembly in session assembled:

SECTION 1. Sitio Pangi is hereby created as a separate and distinct regular barangay from its mother barangay Taviran in the Municipality of Datu Odin Sinsuat, Province of Maguindanao..

SEC. 2. Barangay Pangi contains an area of One Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Eight (1,358) square hectares, more or less, which shall be bounded as follows:

"Beginning at point 1-2 on the Northeast with a stretch of 1,965 meters and point 2-3 following the upstream of Bintan River; thence, at point 3-4 on the Southwest direction which is about 3,686 meters straight distance to corner point 4-1 on the North which is about a straight distance of 1,474 meters; and specifically bounded by Barangays Marges and Baka along the national highway.."

SEC. 3. The Barangay is a corporate entity with jurisdiction in all matters provided by Muslim Mindanao Autonomy Act No. 25 and other pertinent laws..

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SEC. 4. The Barangay shall be composed of a Punong Barangay, seven (7) Sangguniang Barangay members, the Sangguniang Kabataan Chairman, a Barangay Secretary, and a Barangay Treasurer.

Initially, the Punong Barangay and the seven (7) members of the Sangguniang Barangay shall be appointed by the Mayor of the concerned municipality immediately after the ratification of this Act in a plebiscite and shall continue to hold office until their successors shall have been elected and qualified in the next regular barangay elections. The Kabataan Chairman as ex-officio member of the Sangguniang Barangay shall be appointed by the Punong Barangay until the next Sangguniang Kabataan regular elections.


The appointive barangay officials provided in the ARMM Local Government Code shall be appointed by the Punong Barangay with the concurrence of the majority of all the members of the Sangguniang Barangay.

SEC. 5. The Commission on Elections shall conduct the plebiscite for the purpose in the affected areas within ninety (90) days from the approval of this Act.

SEC. 6. Expenses necessary in the holding of the plebiscite shall be the responsibility of the municipal government concerned.

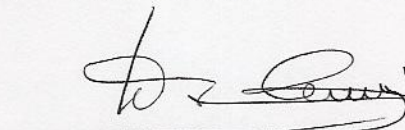
SEC. 7. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

APPROVED:



KABILAN G. SENA
Speaker

This Act was passed by the Regional Legislative Assembly on December 10, 1997.



WILSON S. ANNI
Secretary

APPROVED:



PROF. NUR MISUARI
Regional Governor
Date: _____