

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2011-023

**CONSTITUTING THE ANTI-ILLEGAL GAMBLING TASK FORCE AND
DIRECTING THE NAGA CITY POLICE OFFICE THROUGH ITS
DIRECTOR TO CREATE A SPECIAL UNIT ON ANTI GAMBLING:**

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9287 amends Presidential Decree 1602 which imposes penalty to any person taking part in all forms of illegal gambling activities;

WHEREAS, the City of Naga condemns the existence of illegal gambling activities such as illegal numbers games as this has become an influential factor in an individual's disregard for the value of dignified work, perseverance and thrift since instant monetary gains from it are being equated to success, thereby becoming a widespread social menace and a source of corruption;

WHEREAS, given the ill effects of illegal gambling in the lives of the people, the city leadership deems it proper to address the need for the creation of an Anti-Illegal Gambling Task Force to monitor and enforce all anti-gambling laws;

NOW THEREFORE, I, JOHN G. BONGAT, Mayor of the City of Naga, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

Section 1. In order to effectively carry out the function of enforcing all anti-gambling laws in the City of Naga, an Anti-Gambling Task Force is hereby being established. The Task Force shall be composed of the following: The City Director of the Naga City Police Office as head, with the three (3) station commanders/Chiefs of Police, the Public Safety Officer, the Provincial Director of the Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office, the City Director of the Department of Interior and Local Government and the Chairman of the Sangguniang Panlungsod Committee on Games and Amusement, as members.

Section 2. The Naga City Police Office, through the City Director, shall create a Special Unit on Anti-Gambling that shall cause the prosecution of violators of laws prohibiting illegal gambling. It shall be composed of highly trained organic members of the Philippine National Police, who gained the reputation of integrity and dedication to service, whose names and ranks shall be submitted to the City Mayor for his approval. The Unit shall submit its report within 12 hours after its operations to the Task Force herein constituted, copy furnished the Office of the City Mayor.

Section 3. This Executive Order shall be effective immediately.

Issued this 8th day of June, Two Thousand and Eleven at Naga City, Philippines.

JOHN G. BONGAT
City Mayor

Attested by:

FLORENCIO TAM MONGOSO, JR., CSEE
Department Head II and Acting City Administrator