

CONSENT OF COMMUNITIES

A. SLT ABRA

(Itneg language)

**DECLARATION OF CONSENT**

**DEKLARA TI PAMMALUBOS**

DIKAMI NGA MANGIDADAULO TA PAGADALAN TA  
NAKAISIGUDAN A KULTURA ORGANISASYON TA  
KAITNEGAN (SLT-LCT.)

MANGISURSURO TA KULTURA, AGAD-ADAL, BABBAKES  
KAN MANGIDADAULO TA TRIBO KAITNEGAN.

ILLAUD A TRIBO NGA MASASARAKAM TA BARYO  
NAMARABAR KAN DUMAYCO PENARRUBIA, ABRA.

I DEKLARAMI TA KINABAKNANG, SPIRITWAL KAN BEKEN  
NGA SPIRITWAL AMIN NGA AM-AMMA A  
NAKAINSIGUDAN TA KULTURA MI NGA TINAWID MI  
PAKAIRAMANAN TA GRUPO KAITNEGAN TA INTIRO NGA  
PILIPINAS.

PROSESО TA BUKOD MI NGA BURDA, AM-AMMA NGA  
KINABAKNANG TA KAPANUNUTAN KAN NAINSIGUDAN  
NGA ADAL KADA ISTORYA.

MAMATI KAMI NGA DAT NAKAINSIGUDAN NGA  
KULTURA KET MASAPOL NGA MAIKDAN TA  
IMPORTANSIYA TAPNO TAWIDIN, PAIPATAWID TA  
SUMARSARUNO NGA AGTAWID NGA AN-ANNAK TA  
TRIBO.

DIKAMI NGA UDOM NGA NAISIGUDAN KULTURA NGA AMMO MI KET TRIBO MI NGA ITULTULUY MI NGA IPAKAAMMO KAN IPARPARANG IDENG ITA,  
NAKALKALDAANG DAD ODUM NO MAPUKAW TA KULTURA DUBNA MASAPUL NGA MAAYWANAN  
NO DI ANO KET AGPAPADA TA KAPANUNUTAN NGA MANGISAKIT TA ADI MAY-MAAN, MASUKATAN TA KULTURA NGA NAIPATAWID TA SKWELA NGA PANGPATALINAED TA NAINSIGUDAN NGA KULTURA KET IMPAAMMA TA NATIONAL COMMISSION CULTURE AND ARTS (NCCA).

NO DI ANO NGA TA KET ANAK KEN AN-ANNAK TA KAANAKAN NGA AGTAWID KET NAAWIS KET MASURWAN, AGADAL KANTO TRIBO NGA NAIDAULWAN TA BABBAKES NGA MAKAMMO TA NAKAINSIGUDAN A KULTURA KAN MEMBRO TA PAMILYA.

NAADAL /MAAMWAN TA SIBUBUO NGA KULTURA TA TRIBO KAN AM-AMMA NGA MAYSA NGA KAIMPURTEAN TA TRIBO ITNEG KAN MAIAWIS NGA SIBUBUO DATO NGA KULTURA TA AN-ANNAK NGA ITNEG TA TULONG TA MANGADAL NGA MISTRA TA TRIBO.

(English)

## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

We the school of living tradition local coordinating team (SLT-LCT) , cultural masters, learners, elders and elders leader from the ETNEG ILLAUD tribes LOCATED from barangay NAMARABAR , and DUMAYCO PENARRUBIA ABRA PHILIPPINES (CAR).

WE declared the richness of our changeable and unchangeable cultural heritage in involving indigenous group over the country. Processing our owned arts, craft treasury of knowledge and traditional wisdom practice stories.

We believe that these elements of our traditional practice Important manifestation and expression of our creativity which passed on from generation to generation by our ancestors.

We a were that some of the traditional practice in our communities still endured up to the present, sadly some are endangered and needing safeguarding.

Where us consistent with the common concern to safeguard intangible changeable cultural heritage, the school of living tradition (SLT) was implemented by National Commission Culture and Art ( NCCA) where the members in our young generation are encouraged to learn in our community by the guidance of our cultural masters and members of the Families.

Where us the SLT programs that we collectively pursued , aim to:

Identify the components of traditional culture and art considered to be important to our culture and transfer these components to the young generation through recognized cultural masters of our community.

A institutionalize a learning center for the safeguarding of the indigenous peoples intangible cultural heritage or possibly integrate the program in to the local school for wider participation and dissemination.

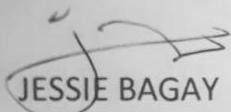
We uphold that , being a non-formal education intervention , the enhanced school of living tradition (SLT) embraces an integrated approach that covers research and documentation significant culture of a community. The corresponding measures for its preservation, protection, promotion, enhancement of such heritage.

The School of ling tradition program has been instrumental in reviving the interest on our traditional aspect of culture in our community

Lastly, we are strongly confident that school of living traditions that we have been harnessing a rich resource of cultural identity and stilling a sense of pride in our communities as well us in the ILLAUD ITNEG TRIBES people in COMMUNITY as they forge a more enlightened and rich future.

There for we the school of living tradition LOCAL coordinating team, ELDER LEADERS, ELDERS, CULTURAL MASTERS And LEARNERS declare our collective consent to nominate the school of living tradition to be included in the register of good safeguarding practice IN NATIONAL COMMITIION CULTURE IN ARTS (NCCA) and others good well in our community like wise UNESCO.

DONE THIS FEBRRUARY 25,2020 IN SLT BUILLDING LOCATED AT  
NAMARABAR PRNARRUBIA ABRA , PHILIPPINES (CAR).



JESSIE BAGAY

TRIBES ELDER LEADER/ brgy.Chairman

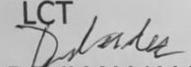


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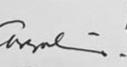
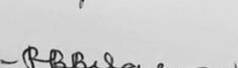


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Yasmien

2 Bonvonda Agaid

Bonvonda

3 Katrina Marie a. Allopong

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4 Jhenielou Agaid

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- 45 John Lloyd Lloyd
- 46 Chakemaghi Balladeng Balladeng
- 47 Jesus Mark Lester B. Batom Batom
- 48 Geneva Aguid Aguid
- 49 MARK DEZAN DEGuzman Deguzman
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B. SLT AGUSAN DEL SUR

(Agusan-Manobo language)



TAO FOUNDATION FOR CULTURE AND ARTS

August 5, 2020

OFFICER IN-CHARGE

National Commission for Culture and Arts  
Intramuros, Manila

Dear Sir/Ma'am:

Pinaagi to Agusan del Sur- School of Living Traditions, no programa to Tao Foundation for Culture and Arts dow National Commission for Culture and Arts, kami migbugoy to pagtugot no igpa rehistro siini School of Living Traditions diya to United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization ko UNESCO no iyan og pakapanalipod to kanamin mgo gawi, batasan no kabilin. Kami migpasalamat to pagpamudo now kanami to pagtugot.

Signed:

BAE LUCIANA P. RICO  
Cultural Master and Head of Programs, Agusan del Sur – School of Living Traditions

DR. RHODORA P. TOYONG  
Head of Administration, Agusan del Sur – School of Living Traditions

DR. GRACE S. NONO  
President, Tao Foundation for Culture and Arts

(English)



TAO FOUNDATION FOR CULTURE AND ARTS

March 3, 2020

OFFICER IN-CHARGE  
National Commission for Culture and Arts  
Intramuros, Manila

Dear Sir/Ma'am:

On behalf of the Agusan del Sur – School of Living Traditions, a program of the Tao Foundation for Culture and Arts and the National Commission for Culture and Arts, we consent to your proposal to register the School of Living Traditions with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization or UNESCO as a Good Safeguarding Practice for Intangible and Tangible Cultural Heritage. We thank you for seeking our Free, Prior, and Informed Consent.

Signed:

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### C. SLT AKLAN

(Akeanon language)

#### Deklarasyon it Pagpasugot

Kami nga Cultural master, koordeniytor, eskuyla ag mga katuwang it Enhanced School of Living Tradition- **Baeay Baleten-on** sa Banwa it Balete, Probinsya it Aklan, matapos ro maid-id nga deliberasyon sa among pagtililipon, hay amon nga hakasugtanan nga:

Nagapanindugan kami nga ro Artform sa banwa it Balete hay manggad it Baleten-on ag Akeanon, nga ginakabuhi sa nagakacain-cain nga baryo it banwa. Ro mga artform nga nagapaidacum sa ESLT- Balete hay ro mga masunod: Sugilanon ag Panghatod, Word Carving, Pina Weaving, Bariw mat weaving, Sotis, ag komposo.

Nagapati kami nga ro Artform ngara hay kaparti it kabuhi ag kultura it Baleten-on nga nagapatibay ag nagapakilaea sa pagkamatinugahon it mga pumuceyo nga nagpassaylo-saylo halin pa sa mga katigueangan ku nagtaliwan nga sangatos anyos.

Nasayran man namon nga ro tradisyunal nga mga kultura ag pagpati hay amat-amat con nga nagakaduca, ugaling may una ag abu pa nga ginasunod, ginahimo ag ginapatihan hasta sa makaron, maskin ro iba kara hay nagakaduea con ag nagakinahangean nga taw-an it atensyon ag ipreserba.

Samtang, ginapalangga ag nagakabacaka kami nga maalagaan ag mapreserba ro buhi nga kultura ag mga pagpati it sangkatauhan, ro School of Living Tradition hay natukod sa Balete ag ro hauna sa Probinsya it Aklan agud maisalbar ro kultura it Baleten-on ag Akeanon ag sa suporta ag pag-agubay it **Pambansang Komisyon para sa kultura ag Sining (NCCA)**, kon sa siin ro mga pamataon ay ginakangay ag ginahangkat nga matun-an ro nagakacain-cain nga kultura ag talento nga kato anay nga ginahimo it mga katigueangan sa paggiya it mga **Cultural Masters**.

Ro programa it SLT- Balete nga ginapatigayon hay may mga tinutuyo ag raya hay ro mga masunod:

1. Masayran ag makilaea ro mga tradisyunal nga kultura ag pagpati nga ginakilaea nga importante sa komunidad ag maisaylo o maituro ro mga element ngara sa mga pamatan-on sa pamaagi it pagturo it mga Cultural Masters.
2. Matun-an ro pagpreserba ag pag-alaga it mga kultura ag pagpati, nga maieakot sa local nga kurikulum it mga eskuylahan agud mapaeawig ideya ag pagbaton it mga pamatan-on.
3. Makaintra ro komunidad agud ro output hay pwede nga makabulig nga pangabuhian ag pangitan-an paagi sa turismo ag iba pa.

Nagapanindugan kami, nga bilang mga Cultural master, koordineytor, eskuyla, mga katuwang sa Enhance-SLT hay nagapatigayon it nagakacain-cain nga ueobrahon para sa mad-ayad nga pagtuon ku mga nagakaduea nga kultura ag pagpati.

Ginapabugae man namon nga sa pagtaliwan it mga dinag-on, nga ro ESLT hay nakabulig sa pagpabaskog it pangkultura nga aspeto it mga Baleten-on, ag nangin epektibo sa pagpreserba sa ginpanubli nga kultura ag pagpati.

Sa katapusan, nagasalig kami nga ro amon nga ginapalangga nga ESLT hay nakasandig sa pagkamatinugahon, ag may mataas nga pagkilaea sa komunidad, pati man ro bilog nga komunidad it Aklan ag Nasyong Pilipinas.

Ngani, kami nga Cultural Master,koordineytor,eskuya mga katuwang it ESLT hay nagapasugot nga ro amon nga programa hay maiekakot sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ku UNESCO.

Ginkasugtanan makaron nga ika-3 it Marso 2020 sa E-SLT Bacay Baleten-on, banwa it Balete, Probinsya it Aklan, Pilipinas.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John M. Sison".

ENHANCED SCHOOL OF LIVING TRADITION  
(BAEAY BALETEN-ON)

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## **Declaration of Consent**

We, the Cultural Masters, Coordinators, Learners and Collaborators of the Enhanced School of Living Tradition – Baeay Baleten-on of the Municipality of Balete, Province of Aklan, after a thorough deliberation, came to agree as one for the following:

That we testify that the artforms in the Municipality of Balete is a treasure of every Baleten-on and Aklanon lived out by the people of its constituent barangays. These artforms promoted by ESLT-Balete are as follows: Sugilanon ag Panghatod (Stories and Rituals), Word Carving, Piña Weaving, Bariw Mat Weaving, Sotis (Traditional Dance Form) and Komposo (Traditional Ballad).

That we aver that these artforms are deeply embedded in the culture of the Baleten-on people reinforcing and pointing to a fact that their creativity has been handed unto them from generation to generation.

That we are aware that these practices are threatened into oblivion albeit the fact that there are remnants in the margins of the community practicing them, thus prompting us to do something to preserve and pass them on to the next generation.

That in view of our aspiration of preserving and handing over both the intangible and tangible heritage of our forebears, we have endeavored to collaborate to establish and maintain the first ever School of Living Tradition in the Province of Aklan with the National Commission for Culture and the Arts, thereby affording the younger generation the opportunity to get acquainted with and learn from the local cultural masters.

That the objectives of the program of the ESLT – Balete are as follows:

1. To know and get acquainted with the traditional practices, folk beliefs, and artforms of our forebears and preserve them in a living form by ensuring their transmission to the next generation through the guidance of cultural masters.
2. To find ways to preserve and conserve our heritage and integrate them in the local curriculum of the District of Balete so as to maximize their impact on the younger generation.
3. To encourage the active involvement of the community and afford them the opportunity for alternative livelihood such as eco-tourism and the likes.

That we stand up and join hands as cultural masters, coordinators, learners and collaborators of ESLT – Balete in the promotion of various activities that would contribute to the conservation and preservation of our cultural heritage.

That we take pride in the achievements and milestones reached by the community through the years of endeavors of the ESLT that heightened everyone's deep appreciation and awareness of their roots and identity as a people.

That we hope that ESLT – Balete rests on the creativity of the Baleten-on people, sensitive to the needs of the community, and the society at large.

Now therefore, we, the cultural masters, coordinators, learners and collaborators of ESLT – Balete, CONSENT as WE HEREBY CONSENT that these programs of ours be incorporated and recorded in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

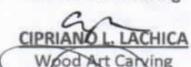
Witness our hands this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 2020 at ESLT – Baeay Baleten-on, Balete, Aklan, Philippines.

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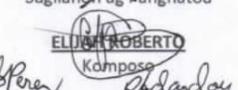
  
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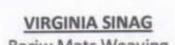
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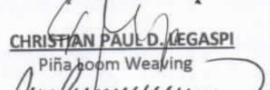
  
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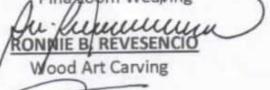
  
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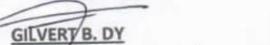
  
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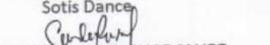
  
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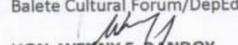
  
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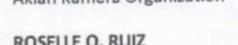
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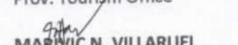
  
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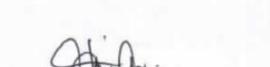
  
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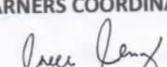
  
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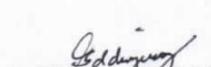
  
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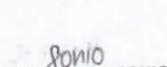
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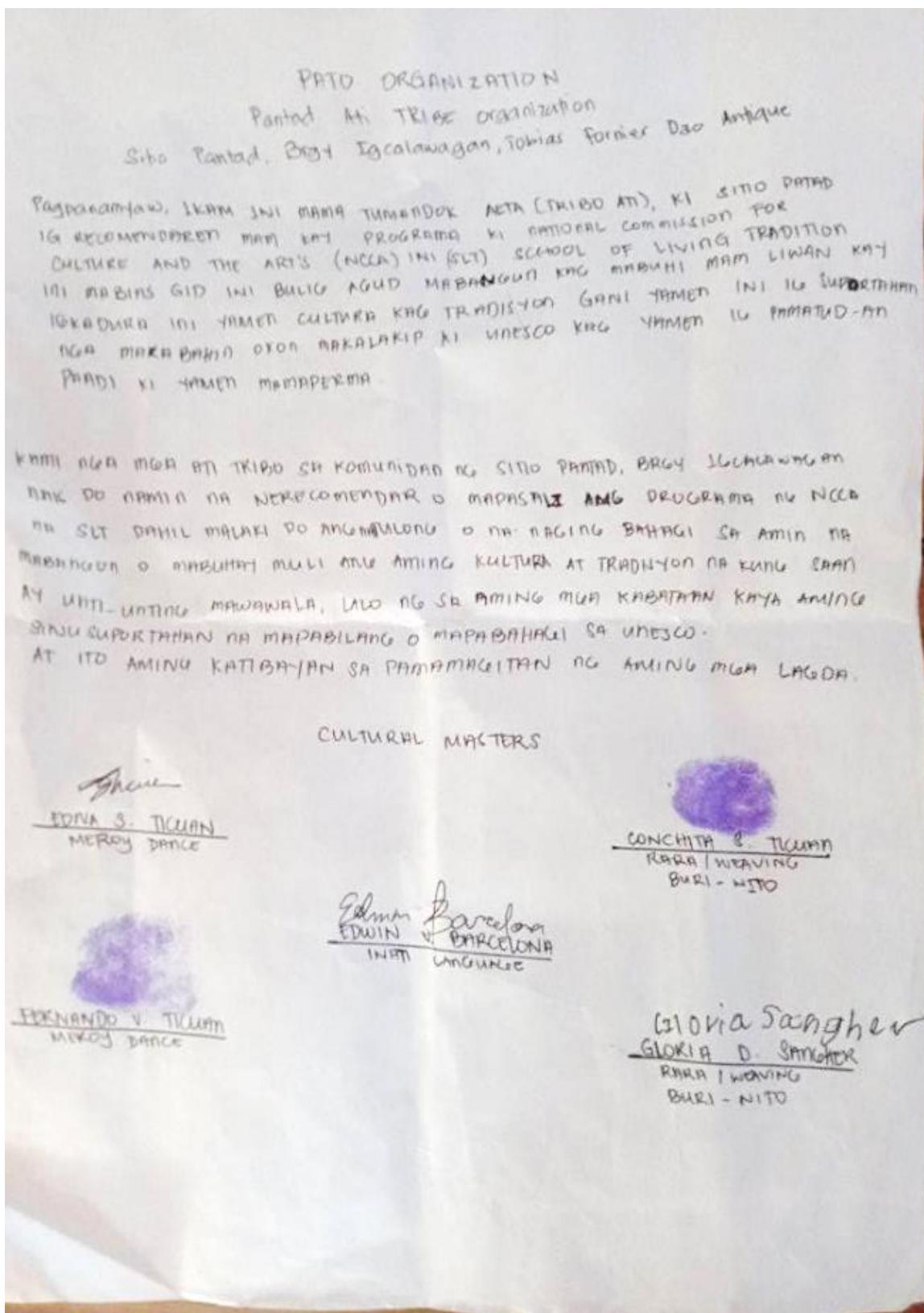
  
**GERALDINE R. BARTE**  
Komposo

  
**LIESA JANE N. SONIO**  
Sotis Dance

  
**ADELFA M. SINAG**  
Bariw Mats Weaving

## D. SLT ANTIQUE

(Inati language)



(English)

Greetings! We the Ati tribe or community in Sitio Pantad Barangay Igcalawahan Tobias Fornier Antique, Philippines we wish to be recommended or included in the program of National Commission for Culture and Arts (NCCA) particularly the SLT or School of Living Tradition, because it is a big help and it will serve as a part in our recovery or reviving our culture and traditions, wherein it is slowly forgotten especially by the youth and children in this generation. That [is] why we strongly support that (SLT) school of Living Tradition program of Sitio Pantad be included or part of the UNESCO!

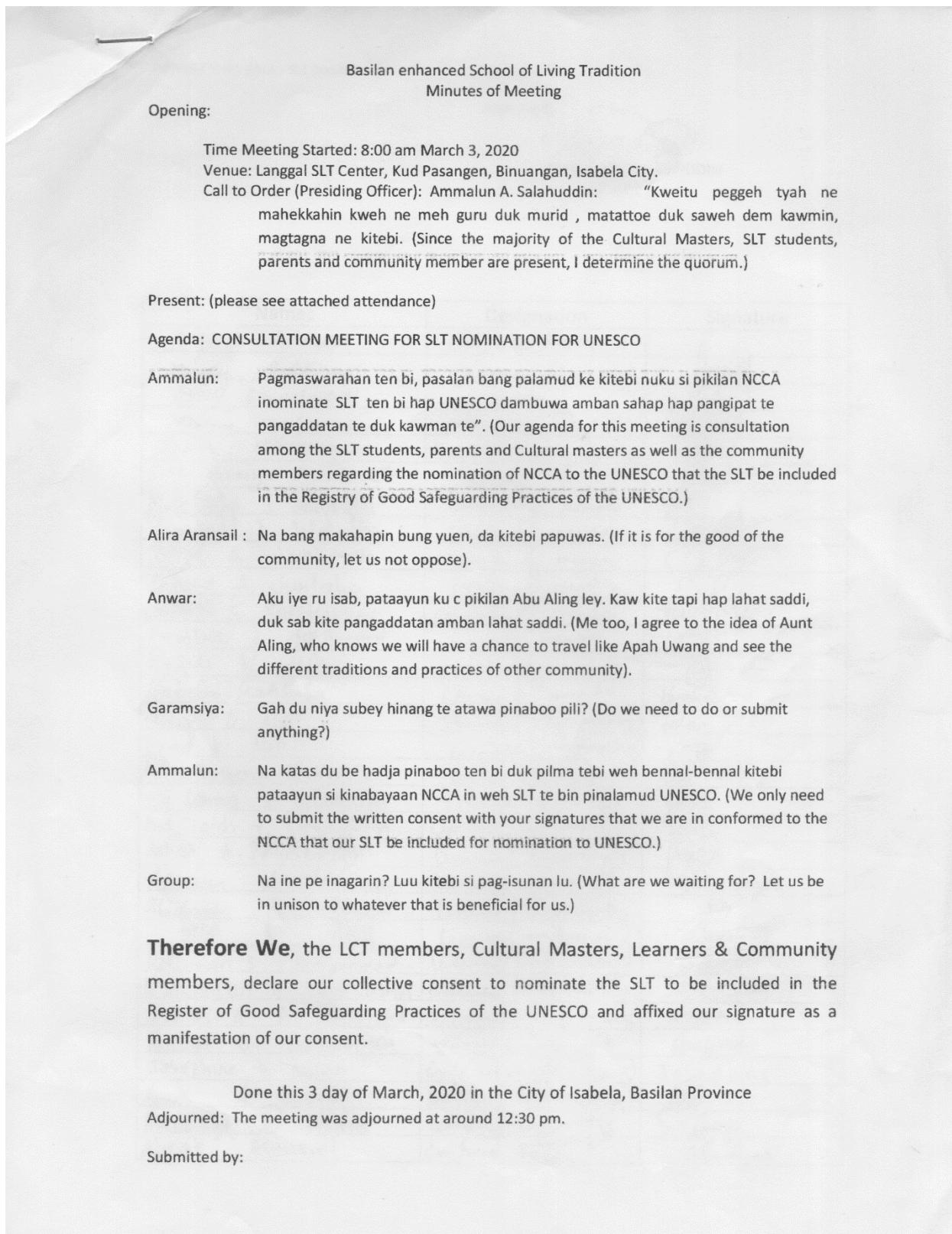
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Our proof to this is shown through our signatures.

## E. SLT BASILAN

(Yakan language with English translation)



Approved:

  
AMMALUN SALAHUDDIN  
SLT – LCT Head

Names	Designation	Signature
Hajalin Arasad	Cultural master	
Masly Sabtuani	Learner (Learner)	
AMON SALATUODIN	Consultant	
Melina Endahmawati	Community member	
Safian Mohammad	Trainee (Tujuh nung)	
Sitti Nurmiya Salahuddin	Learner	
Abdullahip J. Salahuddin	Community member	
Jenniwhul F. Salahuddin	Community member	
JAMIL A. JUNLAKA	Community member	
Nihma A. Junlaka	Community member	
Muslima S. Sabtuani	Community member	
TMUADZ A. Sabtuani	Community member	
Mujahid K. Aliein	Community member	
Habiba Kabbaba	Community member	
Anhor K. Aliein	Learner (magkumintay)	
Jiyad K. Aliein	Learner (magkumintay)	
ABDUL MUSSEMIN MOHAMMAD	Community member	
Sitti Salima J. Salahuddin	Learner (meuring)	
Moh. Zaidi J. Salahuddin	Learner (magkumintay)	
Anisa A. Salahuddin	Learner (meuring)	
MUNISA A. Akbaran	Learner (meuring)	
Zubairam K. Dascal	Learner (magkumintay)	
IMAN A. Dascal	Learner (magkumintay)	
Mohizwan S. Mohammad	Learner (magkumintay)	
Moh. Imran J. Salahuddin	Learner (magkumintay)	
Ienira A. Junlaka	Trainee (Tujuh nung)	
Nurlina S. Sabtuani	Learner (meuring)	
Josephine A. Ahlam	Cultural master (meuring)	
Anwar A. Barwa	Learner (magkumintay)	
Nurshafiqah M. Afhalan	Learner (magkumintay)	
Alirah Aransai	Cultural master	

F. SLT Benguet

(Ibaloy language)

**SCHOOL OF LIVING TRADITIONS (SLT) IBALOI - KANKANA-EY BENGUET**

**DECLARATION OF CONSENT -IBALOY VERSION**

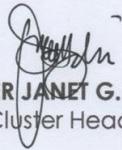
**"PANPEDUBOS"**

Sikak ja cluster Head ni Ibaloy/Kankana-ey Cluster ja mengirepresentar ni Benguet SLT, kakshengan ni tatababal mi ni cultural masters mika apolbari ja :

Ebaknang I kultura ni iBenguet, mauney shi kepan byag ni totoo, esel, ugadi tan pamati. Hajay iran elemento ni Intangible Cultural Heritage uno kulturalan egma egnian ket toka supurtari I daing ni nangka pangdon totoo ja inpasa rad nan uunod ja totoo. Hajay iren kultura ket emangka omas tan emangka dibki jet kasapulan ja ma protektaran tan maajowan. Haja SLT I kasapulan say egmedibkan tan egman omas irajay.

Kabol niyay ja tempo tayo niman, kasapulan ja pasiya I School of Living Tradition (SLT) isunga akas cluster Head ni Ibaloy/Kankana-ey naka I nomindar ja maykashom o SLT shi Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ni UNESCO.

Edaga niman ja mayka 16 ni marso, taw-en ni 2020 shi la Trinidad, Benguet.

  
**HEATHER JANET G. DIZON**  
Cluster Head

(Kankana-ey language)

## PANAGPALOBOS

Sak-en ay cluster head di Ibaloi, Kankana – ey School of Living Traditions (SLT) di Benguet, malpas ay inkamang ko sin cultural masters di Ibaloi ya Kankana – ey SLT ibagak ay:

Din kinabknang di Benguet et wada sin ug – ugali ay am amagen di iipugaw ay init itdo di nankakay Kaman din amo da ay kaugalian, kalkali, ya storya;

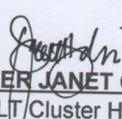
Danay ay ad adal maipanggep sin ug - ugali et importante isunga naipasa sin aam – a, aanak sin enmey ay kataw – e – taw - en;

Din udom ay ug – ugali et sagabassit ay mamagmaga ngem ad ado paylang di mang am – amag en danay ay ugali gapo sin mayat ay epikto na, din udom ay ugali et enggay malingling – lingan isunga masapol ay maisuro ya mabantayan;

Isunga, maitadon sin panangbantay si Intangible Cultural Heritage of humanity, din School of Living Traditions (SLT) et in - amag me, isuro me tapno din aanak me yan masuroan da sin nabaknang mayat ay ug ugali ay isuro di cultural master;

Isunga, sak – en ay cluster head di Ibaloi ya kankana – ey di taga Benguet paneknekak ay mapalobosan ya maitapi din School of Living Tradition (SLT) me sin Register of Good Safeguarding Practices di UNESCO.

Nai – amag ed wani ay ika 16 di March 2020 ed La Trinidad, Benguet.

  
HEATHER JANET G. DIZON  
SLT Cluster Head

(English)

SCHOOL OF LIVING TRADITIONS (SLT)  
IBALOI - KANKANA-EY BEGUET

**DECLARATION OF CONSENT**

I, as the cluster head representing the Ibaloi, Kankana-ey School of Living Traditions (SLT) of Benguet, after consultation with the Cultural Masters belonging to the Ibaloi and Kankana-ey SLT, do hereby declare that:

I affirm that the richness of Benguet lies in the culture shared by its people, the arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, language, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

That these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important manifestation and expression of our people's creativity and ingenuity which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

Some of the traditional expressions of our cultural communities have vanished, but many still endure up to the present, yet sadly some are endangered and needing urgent safeguarding;

Whereas, consistent with the common concern to safeguard the intangible cultural heritage of humanity, the School of Living Traditions (SLT) was conceived and implemented by us to ensure the viability of the intangible cultural heritage (ICH) or our communities, where the members of our young generation are encouraged to learn the community's arts, crafts and living traditions, under the guidance of a cultural master;

Whereas, the various SLTs program aims that we collectively pursued, aim to:

Identify aspects/components of traditional culture and art considered to be important to a cultural community and transfer these aspects/components to the young through the recognized cultural masters of the community;

Institutionalize a learning center for the safeguarding of the indigenous people's intangible cultural heritage (ICH) and/or possibly, integrate the program into the local school curriculum for wider participation and dissemination; and

Actively engage in the flourishing of viable social enterprises projects that are grounded on local culture and which preserve and promote local knowledge and ICH elements.

I uphold that, being a non-formal education intervention, the enhanced SLT embraces and integrated approach that covers research and documentation of significant ICH elements of a community and the corresponding measures for its preservation, protection, promotion, enhancement, as well as for the revitalization of such heritage;

I likewise pronounce that over the years, the SLT program has been instrumental in reviving interest on traditional aspects of culture in numerous communities, becoming an effective tool for cultural awareness, heritage safeguarding and social cohesion;

Lastly, I am strongly confident that the SLT's that we have nurtured and sustained, have been harnessing a rich resource of communal creativity, cultural identity and instilling a

sense of pride in these communities as well as in the Filipino people in general as they forge a more enlightened and enriched future.

Therefore I, the School of Living Tradition (SLT) Cluster Head of the Ibaloi – Kankana-ey of Benguet declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020 in La Trinidad, Benguet

  
HEATHER JANET G. DIZON  
SLT Cluster Head

## G. SLT BOHOL

(Boholano)

### PAMAHAYAG SA PAGTUGOT

Kami, nga mga naglangkob sa Cabilao Romblon Weavers Network (CROWN) Inc., nga maoy nagpasiugda sa Bohol School of Living Traditions nga nahimutang sa Lungsod sa Loon, Probinsya sa Bohol, namahayag niining mosunod:

Nagmatuod kami nga ang pagkamabahandianon sa Pilipinas anaa sa nagkadaiyang mga kinaiya sa kapin sa 150 ka mga katilingbang lumadnon nga nanimuyo sa nagkalainlaing dapit sa nasud, nga nagmatuto sa mga kinaiyanhong katakus sa pagmugna, ug may gimatuto nga mga kinaiyanhong kaalam, sugilanon, pamaagi, pinulongan, pamatasan, tinuhoan, ug ubang tulukibong mga kapanulundanan;

Nagatoo kami nga ang among gipaabit nga mga kapanulundanan mahinungdanong mga pagpadayag sa among pagkamamugnaon ug kabatid nga among gipasunod sa mga kaliwanan sulod sa gatusan nga mga katuigan;

Nasyud kami nga kadaghanan sa mga pagtulon-ang kabilin sa among katilingbang lumadnon nag-anam na sa pagkawala, apan adunay nagpabilin hangtud karon bisan pa kon ang uban niini nag-ungaw nga mawala sa dayon, busa kinahanglan ang hugot nga pag-amping;

Sanglit, nunot sa kinatibuk-ang pagpadayag nga ampingan ang mga tulukibong kapanulundan sa katawhan, among namugna ug gipatuman ang School of Living Traditions kun SLT aron magpabilin buhi ang mga kabilin ug kapanulundanan sa among lumadnong katilingban, kansang mga batan-ong kaliwanan dasigon sa pagtuon sa among kinaiyanhong mga alampat, mga mugna, ug mga buhing tradisyon ubos sa paggiya sa batid nga mga magtutudlo;

Sanglit, ang mga tulumanon sa nagkadaiyang SLTs adunay hiniusang mga tumong, nga mao ang mosunod:

- Pag-ila sa mga naglangkob sa kapanulundanan ug alampat nga mahinungdanon sa mga katilingbang lumadnon ug pagpasunod niini ngadto sa mga kaliwanan pinaagi sa batid nga mga magtutudlo;
- Pagpalig-on sa mga SLT alang sa kusganong pag-amping sa mga tulukibong kapanulundanan sa katawhan, ug pagpasagop niini sa mga programa sa edukasyon sa lokal nga mga tungaan aron masayran, makat-onan ug mapakatap sa kadaghanan; ug

- Madasigong pagpalambo sa mga kapanginabuhiang gipasikad sa kinaiyanhong kultura ug nga makapatunhay ug makapasabwag sa mga lumadnong kahibalo..

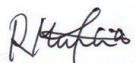
Among ipasigarbo nga, isip lahi sa naandang pamaagi sa pagtudlo, ang SLT nagmatuto sa hiniusang pagpaketap sa mga kasayurang bunga sa pagpanukiduki ug pagtala sa mga tulukibong kapanulundanan sa katilingban, ug sa mga tulumanan aron kini mapalungtad, mapanalipdan, mapahibalo, mapauswag, ug mapatunhay;

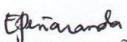
Amo usab nga ipadayag nga, sa mga katuigang milabay, ang SLT maoy nagsilbing himan sa pagpabalik sa kadasig kabahin sa mga lumadnong kultura, nga misangpot sa kaamguhan, kaakuhan, ug kahiusahan sa pagmatuto ug pagpanalipod sa kapanulundanan;

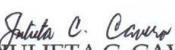
Sa katapusan, masaligon kami nga ang among gimatuto ug gipatunhay nga mga SLT maoy sangonan sa pag-ugmad sa pagkamamugnaon ug kailhanan sa mga lumadnong katilingban, ug sa pagpatuhop dinya kanila sa garbo sa kaugalingon ug sa kinatibuk-ang katilingbang Pilipinhon samtang mag-ugmad alang sa mahayag ug mabungahong kaugmaon.

**Busa**, kami nga mga naglangkub sa CROWN Inc., namahayag sa among hiniusang pagtugot nga ituboy ang School of Living Traditions aron kini mahiapil sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices sa UNESCO.

Gilagdaan karong ika-5 nga adlaw sa Marso 2020 sa Loon, Bohol, Philippines.

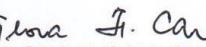
  
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FLORA F. CARLON

  
VICTORINA C. MURCIA

(English)

## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

We, the incorporators of the Cabilao Romblon Weavers Network (CROWN) Inc., being the implementer of the Bohol School of Living Traditions based in the Municipality of Loon, Province of Bohol, do hereby declare that:

We affirm that richness of the Philippines lies in the diversity of the more than one hundred and fifty ethnolinguistic groups that exist all over the country in the country, possessing their own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

We believe that these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important manifestations and expressions of our people's creativity and ingenuity which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

We are aware that, some of the traditional expressions of our cultural communities have vanished, but many still endure up to the present, yet sadly some are endangered and needing urgent safeguarding;

Whereas, consistent with the common concern to safeguard the intangible cultural heritage of humanity, the School for Living Traditions or SLT was conceived and implemented by us to ensure the viability of the intangible cultural heritage (ICH) of our communities, where the members of our young generations are encouraged to learn the community's arts, crafts and living traditions, under the guidance of a cultural master;

Whereas, the various SLTs programs that we collectively pursue, aim to:

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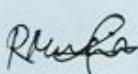
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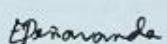
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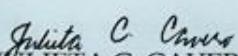
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Therefore We, the incorporators of CROWN Inc., declare our collective consent to nominate the School of Living Traditions to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 5<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020 in Loon, Bohol, Philippines.

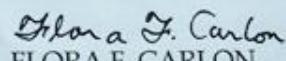
  
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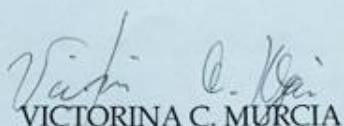
  
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## H. SLT BUKIDNON

(Filipino)

### SULAT PAHINTULOT

Kami ang Higaonon Anamag Malandang Olagodok Gagao o HAMOG sa Barangay Hagpa, Impasugong, Bukidnon.

Ang aming organisasyon ay siyang tumataguyod sa School of Living Tradition sa aming pamayanan. Kami ay buo ang aming puso na sumusuporta sa pinakaisahan at pinagkasunduan ng iba't ibang kultural na katutubong pamayanan mula sa dalawampu't walang munisipalidad na kabilang sa probinsiya sa buong Pilipinas.

Dahil naniniwala kami na ang mga elemento ng ating magkakahaging buhay na dunong ay pagpatibay at pagpapahayag ng pagkamalikhain at kagalingan ng ating mga mamamayan naisasalin sa mga nakalipas na dantaon.

Bilang mga Kultural Masters sa aming pamayanan pinagkasunduan namin na papayag kami na mapasama sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ng UNESCO ang School of Living Tradition.

Bilang pagpapatunay sa aming pagsuporta o pagpayag ito ay aming lalagdaan,

Petsa ng paglagda, Pebrero 29, 2020.

  
**DATU AMAY MANTANGKILAN CUMATANG**  
054 CADT HEAD CLAIMANT

  
**DATU MANGGUL-ANAN FAUSTINO PANTAON**  
CULTURAL MASTER

  
**BAE NAYMAYHUNAN CUMATANG**  
CULTURAL MASTER

  
**DATU MANSIBUGAN ALEX ALTOHAN**  
CULTURAL MASTER

  
**VILMA TOMANA**  
CULTURAL MASTER

  
**BRENDO PANTAON**  
LOCAL SLT COORDINATOR

(Binukid language)

Isip tag representar ta banuwa ta AGMIHICU, sumala hu kinatibok an ha mga balaod taw daw mga tradisyon, sa alan ha nakaperma tain nagkasabuwa ha iapil sa SLT Bukidnon ( Higaonon) ta Hagpa, Impasugong, Bukidnon, ta **UNESCO Register of Good Safeguarding Practices**. Apil taini sa IKSP ha tagbat-bat kabahin ho pangabol, panal-sal, pughinang ku kinadaan ha pinaksoy, panguma daw duma pa isip kulturanhon ha napanunud ho mga Higaonon taini ha banuwa.

Bahin ho mga natun an day, pinaagi ho programa ho School of Living Tradition (SLT), yangkay taglaum ha hain alan ha IKSP ho mga Higaonon daw kadaan ha pamatasan daw pugkinabuhi makahalin ho mga sumusunod ha bag-o ha henerasyon. Hain ha mga programa makabulig ha masiguro ha mapadayon sa kultura pinaagi ho puglambo, pug-alima daw pugpanalipud pinaagi ho sakto ha pugpalangga taini.

Hain permahan day taini ha ika 2 ha aldaw daw bulan ho September, 2020 ta Hagpa, Impasugong, Bukidnon.

Ngadan

Perma

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BUENDO PANTASN  
DATU Cumatang  
Amay Mantang/lilan

Inay  
Maymayhunan Cumatang

Ledia Naabot

Mario Actohan

Alex Actohan

Datu  
Mangal-anan Pantason

Vilma Tomana

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Ledia Naabot



V.T

(English)

To whom this may concern:

As representatives of our communities, by virtue of the customary laws and traditions, the undersigned agree to include SLT Bukidnon (Higaonon) in Hagpa, Impasugong, Bukidnon in the **UNESCO Register of Good Safeguarding Practices**. These include the IKSP related to weaving, blacksmithing, traditional attire making, farming, etc as the Cultural Heritage of the Higaonon in these particular area.

As we understand it, through the School of Living Tradition (SLT) program, we believe that these Higaonon IKSPs and traditional practices will be transferred to the next generation. The program will help to ensure the continuity of the culture through promotion, preservation and protection through proper safeguarding.

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in Hagpa, Impasugong, Bukidnon.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature**

Date

BRENDO PANTAOV

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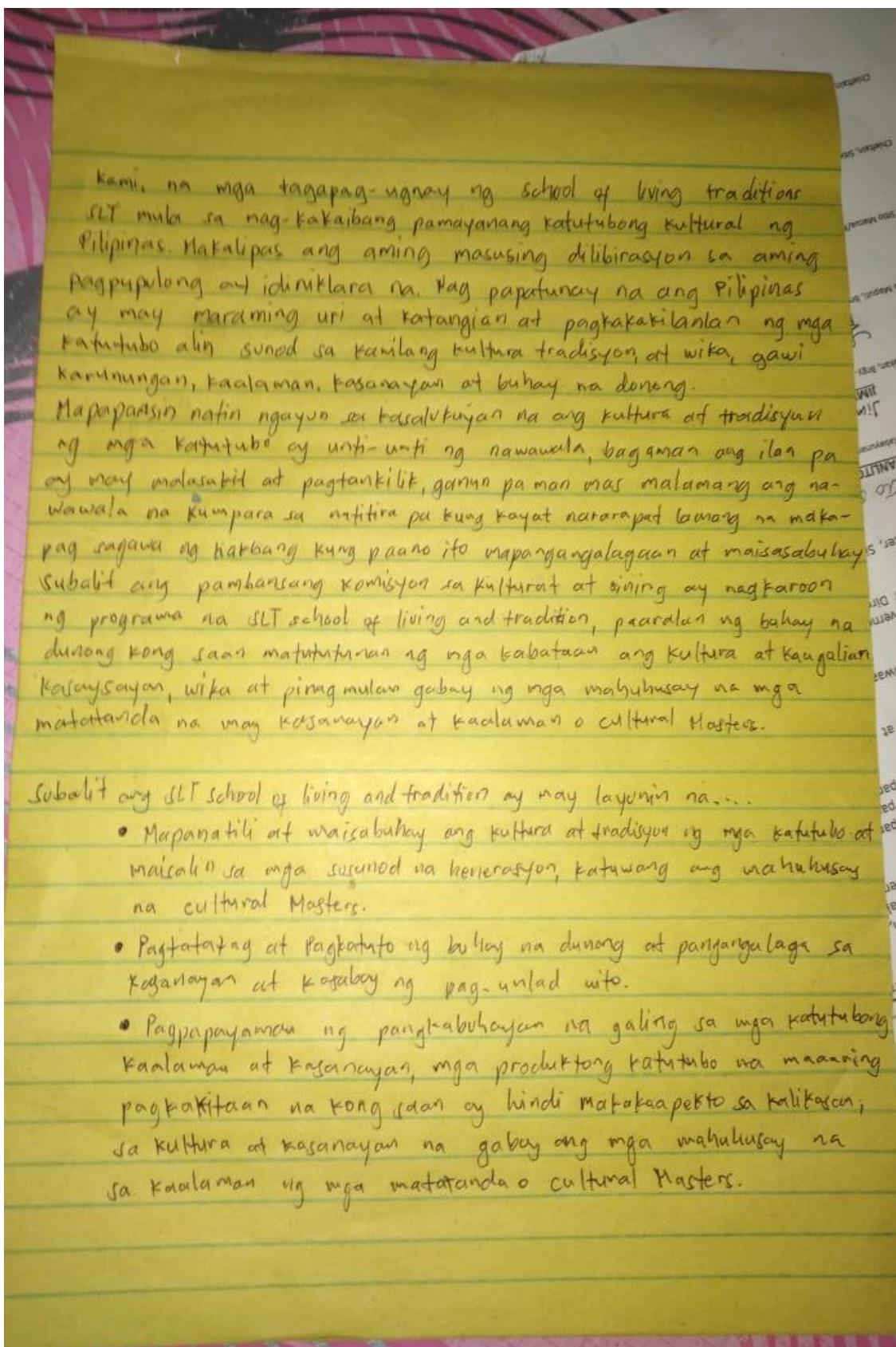
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## I. SLT BULACAN

(Filipino)



Sunodang ayon kami na bilang mga katutubo na tagapag-ugnay ng SLT school of living tradition na may malaki at malawak na anbag sa pamayanam at may aktibong pagkilos na kung saan sumasalamin sa pagbabalik at paglikha ng buhay na dunong at makabuluhang bagay na nagtagalogay ng mas malawak na kaalaman at natatag na pundasyon ng pamayanam, pagpapaunlad, pag-sasabuhay ng salin dunong.

Ang SLT school of living and tradisyon ay malaking pagpapala na makapagbibigay ang aktibong pagkilos at pagsulong ng kaalaman, kawalayan, kininggil sa mas malawak na kaalaman sa pagprotektahan at pagesasagawa at pag-sasabuhay ng salin lahi at salin dunong -

Sa matatuwid kami na mga tagapag-ugnay ng SLT, ay idinidiklara ang aming koliktibong pahintulot sa paghirang ng SLT na mapasama sa register of Good safeguarding practices ng UNESCO.

Isinagawa ngayong ika-14 ng Octubre, taong 2020 sa Norzagaray Bulacan, Pilipinas.

R.V.  
Rogelio Villarama

LIDO  
Lido Cruz

(English)

We the coordinators of school of living tradition SLT from the different places of Indigenous peoples communities in the Philippines. After our deliberation in our meeting, we do.

The Philippines having a lot of kinds and characteristics of different 100 Indigenous cultural community based on there culture and traditions. We notice now a days that the culture and tradition of those Indigenous peoples has slowly lost, while the other are having concern and care, but despite that, some other are still care and hold on it. But the National Commission on Culture and Art having a program of School of living and tradition SLT, school of living tradition. While our Indigenous peoples youth having learned it about the culture, tradition, history, language and more.

Where us the school of living and tradition having an objective that:-

- To sustained and to preserved the culture and tradition of those IP's. as well as to the following generation.
- To create and to learned about the living tradition through the help and teaching of cultural Masters.
- To improved of livelihood come of our Indigenous peoples knowledge system and practices. Product that we can able to sale, which not affecting our environment, through the teaching our cultural Masters.

We agree as being Indigenous peoples coordinators of SLT school of living tradition have big share and contribution in each Indigenous peoples communities and active function about knowledge, practices, culture and tradition how to improved it and protect it. our living tradition.

We the Indigenous peoples coordinators of SLC, school of living and tradition, declaring our collective consent to nominate of SLC, school of living and tradition, and to register of good safeguarding practices of UNESCO.

Done this 14 day of October 2020 in the city of Norzagaray  
Province of Bulacan, Philippines.

R.V.  
Rogelio Villarama

Lido  
Lido Cruz

J. SLT CAPIZ

Demonstrated consent through ritual. Photos attached. Videos may be accessed through:  
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**Pagpalay at Ritwal ng Pagbigay Pahintulot**

Ang Pagpalay ay ginagamit ng Panay Bukidnon ng Jamindan sa pag tatanong sa mga nagbabantay sa gubat o sa aming salita ay “Taglugar” at sa mga namatay naming mga ninuno kung sila ay pumapayag O hindi sa aming gagawin. Halimbawa sa pag kaingin, bago mag umpisa ng pag damo ay ginagawa ang pag palay. Ganon din sa pag patayo ng bahay. Ito ay ginamit naming pamamaraan sa pag hingi ng pahintulot kung sila ay pumapayag na ipa rehistro ang SLT sa UNESCO at pinapayagan ang NCCA na gumawa nito .

Ang pag gawa ay kailangang sa gabi na tahimik na ang lahat walang lumilipad na mga insekto at kahit ibon. Ang babaylan lamang o medico ang gagawa nito. Gagawa sya ng butas at ilagay sa paligid ng butas ang palay na nakahiga at nakalagay ng mahigpit. Ang bilang ng palay ay depende kung ilang tao at ninuno ang kumakatawan. Ang dalawa ay kumakatawan sa mga taglugar na sinasabi. Tatakpan sya ng bao. Kinabukasan, ay titingnan kung may palay na gumalaw ang ibig sabihin ay may hindi pumapayag kapag walang gumalaw sa palay ibig sabihin sila ay pumapayag. Pag sa kaingin at may gumalaw, kailangan na pababa kung nasa itaas ka at kung sa baba tumaas ka kung nasa kaliwa kailangang mag pakanan at kung sa kanan ay pa kaliwa ka. Ganon din sa bahay. Huwag mong ituloy doon sa tinukoy mo na area mismo.

Ang nangyari sa pag palay ng aming IP leader walang isa man sa palay na gumalaw kaya ibig sabihin kami ay pina payagan. Makikita ito sa kinuhang picture. Pero ang nangyari ay bago doon kami ay nag ritual at pinakain ang mga taglugar at mga ninuno kaya siguro magaan din sa kanila ang pag payag.

(English)

**Pagpalay and Rituals to Seek Permission**

The “Pagpalay” is used by the Panay Bukidnon indigenous groups in Jamindan, Capiz, to ask the guardians of our forests (“Taglugar”) and our ancestors’ permission of our undertakings. For example, in our slash-and-burn activities, we do the Pag Palay before conducting the clearing proper. The same is true with when we build houses. Hence, we conduct this ritual as well to seek permission to nominate the SLT to the UNESCO Register of Good Safeguarding Practices, and let the NCCA facilitate the said nomination.

The ritual must take place at night, when there are no insects nor birds flying around anymore. Only the “babaylan” or “medico” does the ritual. He/She digs a hole in the ground, and place the rice grains around it in a very intact form. The number of rice grains depends on the number of our ancestors. Two (2) rice grains represent the “Taglugar”. The whole surrounded by the rice grains will be covered with coconut shell. The day after, the “babaylan” or “medico” will look if the rice grains moved. If they do, it means no permission is given; and if they stay intact, it means the ancestors and “Taglugar” permits our undertaking. For instance, in slash-and-burn activities, if you are in a northern part of the area, you should go south instead; and if in the western part, you should rather go east.

This is true as well when building our houses. Do not proceed with your planned location (if the rice grains moved).

For the Pag Palay conducted (for the nomination), not a single rice grain moved, which means that the “Taglugar” and our ancestors allow us to nominate our SLT. It can be seen in the photos. But before the ritual, we “fed” the guardians of our forests and our ancestors so maybe that is one reason they allow it easily.





K. SLT DAVAO CITY

(Ata language)

**PAQUIBATO DISTRICT TRIBAL COUNCIL**  
Sitio Pegdalahan, Barangay Pandaitan, Distrito ng Paquibato  
Lungsod ng Dabaw

**SULAT TO POGSUGUT**

Kanami, ka mo talag-uyan to Panuluuanan to Tradisyun to mo lain-lain no lugar puun to daruwa'n pulu woy wowalu no lugar no pigpuunan to ingod to intiru Pilipinas, nasabutan to langun pogkoimpus to papila'n miting no noğitabu ka;

Ogtuuğan noy ka katubungan to Pilipinas ogkakita diyo to lain-lain no tribu diyo to ingod to Pilipinas no duo lain-lain no pigtuuğan to pogsayow, ulağing, pangugl lung, pangimu to mopruduktu to tribu, panulat to mo guğuron puun to kabuyağan, katuonan woy ka tradisyun to tribu no opakabulig to lagun.

Pigtuuhan noy no soini'n tradisyun no naboğoy puun to kaap-apuan to tribu pakabuğoy to kosog no igpapitow ka katuunan to langun no mo himuwonon to ingod no'g igsalin diyo to sunud no hirasyon.

Natağaan noy no nalingawan o ka duma no mo tradisyun woy kultura to tribu, pirumoğon-im pad ka pabulus no oggamiton to mo karumaan hantod kunto-o. Duo duma no tradisyun no nalingawan o piri koilangan no ogliboron soini.

Ka Panuluuanan no'g Uyahon kaTradisyun to Tribu- (Schools of Living Tradition), pighimu oyow og kasiguru to'g panulu to mo bato woy basbasan sikandan oyow katuunan dan monuwon to'g pangimu, ogsayow woy pangugl lung , woy og-ogung no natuunan puun to pog panulu to mo igbuyag no talag panuluto ingod.

Soini kahimuwonon to langun no'g himuwon to Panulu-anan no'g Uyahon ka Tradisyun to Tribu-(School of Living Tradition );

- Kanong-nongan ka kultura woy tradisyon monuwon to'g pangimu, og sayow woy pangugl lung, woy og-ogung oyow kono og kalingawan soinin woy og kapanulu pad to sunud no mo kaap-apuan to tribu.
- Ka katuonan no tradisyun to tribu pakabulig to og panulu diyo to local no kurikulam to iskwilaan oyow og karosanan to pogpanulu ka mo natuunan woy og gamiton soini oyow katağaan to langun.

- Layun og gamiton ka natuonan oyow pakabulig to ingod woy to mo karumaan.

Nokogsinabot koy no aġad kono'n purmal ka kanami'n pogpanulu to kultura woy tradisyun to tribu, koupii noy no pakabulig koy to ingod woy to mo karumaan.

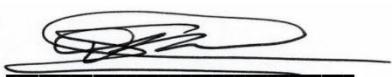
Kanami, ka mo talag-uyan to Panuluuan to Tradisyun woy Kultura to Tribu nokogsinabot no oghimuwon ka naayunan to langun no lider to tribu, matag-salimboka kanami duo responsibilidad no og-uyamuwon ka kultura to tribu oyow waro samuk to ingod.

To mo log-un no migliġad, garbu noy to tribu ka mo natuonan puun to SLT, pakabulig soini oyow uyaġon ka namatoy woy nalingawan o no tradisyun woy kultura to ingod. Ka SLT ka oggamtion to pogpanulu, pog-uyamu to kultura woy pogsabboka to kanta no ingod.

To pogtapus to soini no kasabutan, ogtuuġan noy no kapog-uyan noy to Panuluuan to Tradisyun woy Kultura to Tribu (Schools of Living Tradition) dakol ka igkabulig to pogprisirba woy pog-uyag to kanami no kultura oyow ogkapanulu noy ka mo natuunan diyo to mo bato woy to sunud no hinirasyun hantud to mo kaap-apuan to tribu.

Kanami ka talag-uyan to Panuluuan to Tradisyun woy Kultura to Tribu (Schools of Living Tradition) migsugot no igparehistru ka Schools of Living Tradition (SLT) diyo to "Registrar of Good Safeguarding Practices to UNESCO".

Pighimu soini no kasabutan to bulan to Pebrero 18, 2020, ingod to Paquibato District, Siyudad to Dabaw.



DATU EDWIN L. OMO SR.  
IGBUYAG  
ATA PAQUIBATO DISTRICT TRIBAL COUNCIL

(English)

#### **DECLARATION OF CONSENT**

We, the Coordinators of the School of Living Traditions (SLT) Program Davao City, coming from the various Indigenous Cultural Communities from the twenty-eight (28) municipalities belonging to provinces all over the Philippines, after serious deliberations during our Annual General Assembly, do hereby declare that:

We affirm that richness of the Philippines lies in the diversity of the more than one hundred and fifty ethnolinguistic groups that exist all over the country in the country, possessing their own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

We believe that these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important manifestations and expressions of our people's creativity and ingenuity which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

We are aware that, some of the traditional expressions of our cultural communities have vanished, but many still endure up to the present, yet sadly some are endangered and needing urgent safeguarding;

Whereas, consistent with the common concern to safeguard the intangible cultural heritage of humanity, the School for Living Traditions or SLT was conceived and implemented by us to ensure the viability of the intangible cultural heritage (ICH) of our communities, where the members of our young generations are encouraged to learn the community's arts, crafts and living traditions, under the guidance of a cultural master;

Whereas, the various SLTs programs that we collectively pursued, aim to:

- Identify aspects/components of traditional culture and art considered to be important to a cultural community and transfer these aspects/components to the young through the recognized cultural masters of the community;
- Institutionalize a learning center for the safeguarding of the indigenous peoples' intangible cultural heritage (ICH) and/or possibly, integrate the program into the local school curriculum for wider participation and dissemination; and
- Actively engage in the flourishing of viable social enterprises projects that are grounded on local culture and which preserve and promote local knowledge and ICH elements.

We uphold that, being a non-formal education intervention, the enhanced SLT embraces an Integrated approach that covers research and documentation of significant ICH elements of a community and the corresponding measures for its preservation, protection, promotion, enhancement, as well as for the revitalization of such heritage element;

We likewise pronounce that over the years, the SLT program has been instrumental in reviving interest on traditional aspects of culture in numerous communities, becoming an effective tool for cultural awareness, heritage safeguarding and social cohesion;

Lastly, we are strongly confident that SLTs that we have nurtured and sustained, have been harnessing a rich resource of communal creativity, cultural identity and instilling a sense of pride in these communities as well as in the Filipino people in general as they forge a more enlightened and enriched future.

**Therefore We**, the SLT local coordinators, declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020 in the District of Paquibato, Davao City.

## L. SLT DAVAO DEL NORTE

(Manguangan language with English translation)



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PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL NORTE  
MUNICIPALITY OF NEW CORELLA  
MUNICIPAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES COUNCIL  
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### SAKINDUGANAN

(Declaration)

KANAMI, NU PUNUWAN; KAMATIKADUNGAN, KABUYAGAN, KADATUWAN AW KAMADUGSAKANAAN AW PANGU TO MGO KAWIGAN) TU KAUTAWAN TU MANGGUANGAN AW DIBABAWON SAYNI KUNTON MARSO 10, 2020, NU PANACBABAW KOY DUKANI TOG'CAN TU MITAMUNDO IG KAUYON TU SAKINDUGANAN TU UDLIN TU BATASAN TU KAMATIKADUNGAN.

*(We, the; Elders, Datu/Bae, Women, Youth and Community Leaders of the Manguangan and Dibabawon tribes thoroughly discussed the School for Living Tradition (SLT) Program. During the meeting on March 10, 2020).*

TU UDLIN TU BATASAN TU KAMATIKADUNGOAN NU PINANG-IMO TU NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS (NCCA) NU MABUGBUG NU NU IG PADATUNG AW AG DUMAN NOY TU PAG-UYON DUKAYAN KANYAW LUNSUD TU UNESCO UG BUCAYAN TU BANTUG TU DONYA SIKAN KANDAN NU NAIMO NU KADYAWAN TU PAGBULIG TU MGA KAUTAWAN NU MANGGUANGAN AW DIBABAWON NU LUMAD TU PILIPINAS.

*(The School for Living Tradition Program of National Commission on Culture and the Arts (NCCA) WE UNITE and STRONGLY ENDORSED the Nomination of this to UNESCO. The Program is very much qualified to receive any International Award and Recognition due to the excellent performance and result of their service to the poor people especially the Manguangan and Dibabawon-Indigenous Peoples of the Philippines).*

KUNAD AG KALIDONG NU MADYAW TU IG DANUNAN TU UNIMO TU NCCA NAKABULIG TU KAUTAWAN TU MANGGUANGAN AW DIBABAWON TU KANDAN LUNSUD. NAKITAN TU GABUK TU KAUTAWAN, KAMATIKADUNGAN, KABUYAGAN, KAMADUGSAKANA AW MGA KAWIG'GAN NU MADYAW TU IG DANUNAN TO INIMO TO UDLIN TU BATASAN TU KAMATIKADUNGAN.

*(It is proven that the SLT Program contributed to the protection, promotion, preservation and development of culture and tradition of Indigenous Peoples. And this Program was proudly and positively adopted the School for Living Tradition (SLT) Program by the Manguangan and Dibabawon tribes; Elders, Datu/Bae, Women, Youth and the IP communities).*

NAKABUGOY KANAMI TU KADYAWAN KAUTAWAN TO MITAMUNDO, DAVAO DEL NORTE. NABUGAYAN TU PAGBUI TU UDLIN TU BATASAN TU KAMATIKADUNGAN NU AG KAPADAYON TU SUNOD NU KADAGDAGAN TU MANGGUANGAN AW DIBABAWON. SAYNI NU INIMO TU NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND ARTS (NCCA) NA KADICON TU PAG-UGPA TU KAUTAWAN NU TUMINDOK TU MITAMUNDO NU IGPADAYON TU PACSUNOD TU UDLIN TU KAMATIKADUNGAN.

*(The Indigenous Peoples tribe of New Corella, Davao del Norte have a great chance to revive, promote and develop the Culture and Tradition to prepare the next generation of the Manguangan and Dibabawon tribes and implement and exercise the oral and documented culture and tradition inherited coming from our forefathers).*

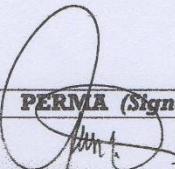
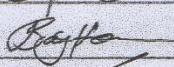
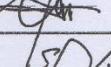
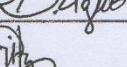
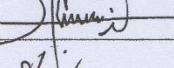
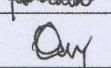
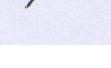
KANAMI, MANGGUANGAN AW DIBABAWON IGPERRMA KOY TU KANAMI NU NGADAN DUKANI KUNTON NU ALLOW TU KATIGUMAN MARSO 10, 2020, DUKANI TOG'GAN TU MITMUNDO (NEW CORELLA), DAVAO DEL NORTE. MINDANAO, PHILIPPINES.

(We, the Mangguangan and Dibabawon tribes affix the signatures during this meeting March 10, 2020, here at Municipal Tribal hall, New Corella, Davao del Norte, Mindanao, Philippines.)

MADYAW AG KATAKTAGA TU TIBUK NU DONYA NU TU ANADANAN TU UDLIN AW BATASAN NU IMBULIG TO NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS (NCCA) NU NAKABUGOY KANAMI NU MANGGUANGAN TU KADYAWAN. TANUDAN KOY NI MAGBABAYA AW TAGGINIIT. MADYAW AG KATAKTAGA TU TIBUK NU DONYA NU TU ANADANAN TU UDLIN AW BATASAN NU IMBULIG TO NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS (NCCA) NU NAKABUGOY KANAMI NU MANGGUANGAN TU KADYAWAN TU LUNSUD TO MANGGUANGAN AW DIBABAWON.

(To inform the whole world that the School for Living Tradition (SLT) the Program given to us by National Commission on Culture and the Arts are very much helpful in reviving, protection, promotion and development of culture and tradition, justice system of the Mangguangan and Dibabawon tribes).

TANUDAN KOY NI MAGBABAYA AW TAGGINIIT.  
(May the GOD CREATOR will guide us always).

NGADAN (Name)	INUGPAAN (Address)	PERMA (Signature)
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DATU GREG A. BAYHONAN	' .. '	
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B.F. margarita lugbar	San Roque	
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M. SLT DAVAO DEL SUR

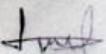
(Bagobo-Tagabawa language)

.Et' Kami na mga Bagobo-Tagabawa Dini't Tibolo Geskwela katuk Name' Kakatigan ka Karub'badan Denet Tan'na ka Karub'badan ta' Apo Sandawa Duwen Titulo R-XI SCR-1005-034. Eg nunug ke na Apelen' ek name' tribo tut Bate'k ka Bagobo Tagabawa Eskwelahan Katu'k Name' Karub'badan. Duton ta Eg Sulatanan ka Kedegaran, Kaseguruwan, Kakatigan tu't Tibok Banuwa ka'g kasarega'n katu bat'tasen'nen na Eg' Pod'du Tu't Lumo (UNESCO).

Namunog ke' Pagse'k na Tu' Banuwa', Egsaregan para ka Bat'tasen'nen asta Kakatigan (NCCA) Elumumo katu' Paggabate'k tut' ngadan Kak' Name Tribo.

Petsa: Maso 4, 2020

  
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Tribal Chieftain

  
DATU LAUREL B. AYOG  
Tribal Council/Cultural Master

  
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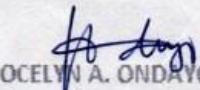
  
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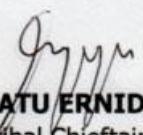
  
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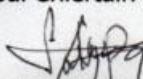
We, the stakeholders of Tibolo School of Living Tradition composed of Bagobo-Tagabawa tribe within the Ancestral Domain of Mt. Apo area covered under Title R-XI SCR-1005-034, hereby declare our joint permission to nominate the **BAGOBO-TAGABAWA SCHOOL OF LIVING TRADITION** for inclusion to the Registry of Good Safeguarding Practices of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO).

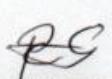
Further, we allow the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) to work on the said registration in behalf of our organization.

Done this 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020 at Tibolo, Sta. Cruz, Davao del Sur.

  
**DATU ERNIDO AYOC**  
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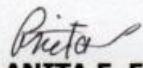
  
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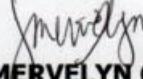
  
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N. SLT DAVAO OCCIDENTAL

(Blaan language)

:Letter of consult:

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Ang tribuung blaan ang original tribu nga  
none muslim tribes; denhi sa nasud sa pilipinas,  
ug adunay giila nga teritorio ang blaan, usa na  
ina ang Balut, Sarangani Island, Davao Occidental  
ug ang tribu blaan aduna kini kaugalingon nga kultura  
kinis art ug mga handicrafts sama sa brass ornaments,  
ug aduna usab mga traditional beadwork, Gawas pa  
tungod (IKSP) indigenous knowledge system and practices. kini  
ang naga pilot sa taman kalikukan sa tribu blaan.  
gikan sa mga kakaraanan aduna na kini ginagamond  
nga kalihukan ug kini mahimung talagsa-on/unique  
fungod kay nagasundot sa tama nga mga lagda  
sa mga sinulat ug dili sinulat ug kini mga  
lagda mao kini ang nakapalambot ug naka uswag  
ug nakapatusog kanila hangtod karon ug sa uma-  
abot pa nga mga panahon. nga ipaglaban kay tribu  
Blaan sa nasud sa pilipinas:

Ang tribu blaan adunay teritorio, ug fungod niini  
aduna sila katungod sa pagpaila, pagparalipod, ug  
pagpalambo, ug aduna usab mga tradition ug belief  
ug kultura, ug fungod niini aduna sila katungod  
sa pagdumala ug pagpalusad sa ilang kaugalingon  
katawhan komunidad.eron kini magpatayon ang

ilang pagsunod sa ilang kultura, tradition, ug finahan,<sup>(2)</sup>  
ug kini angay profitahan ug pasusiniran alang sa  
mga kaliwatan tribu blaan,

ug gawas pa adunay pamaagi ang tribu blaan sa  
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makahatag ug tama ug pag-angay angay na pamaagi  
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pinasikad sa naandan nga pamaagi sa husay.

Ang usa sa mga makapawala sa kultura ug tradition  
sa tribu blaan fungod sa mga modernized nga  
kalihukan sa pagkakaron, ug kini ang makapakinay  
pawala sa kultura ug tradition sa tribu blaan

ug fungod niini dapat og angayon nato suportahan  
pinaagi sa teknical ug Financial ang tribu blaan  
aron aduna pa magpadam ug magpadayon sa  
paggalig-on niini aron aduna pa kita mapagarbo  
sa fibuok kalibutan nga adunay tribu blaan sa  
Pilipinas. nga diin magnaligong sa pagbarog ingon  
tribu blaan diha sa ila matag territoryo. ilabina  
dihi sa Balut Sarangani Island. Davao Occidental  
Pilipines:

ug fungod niini bilang usa ka leder sa tribu  
Blaan Balut, Sarangani Island, Davao Occidental  
miuyon o mi fugot aron magpadayon ug  
magprofiktahan ug mo supertahan pinaagi sa  
programa sa NCCA National Culture and the  
Arts. Pinaagi sa SLT Student for living  
tradition, ug sa Unesco maoy magatabantang sa  
Pag-alalay aron magpadayon ang maayong  
mga pagtulon-an ug pa amuna niining tanan  
ug aron magmalahutayon gayod;

ako maga ingon sa kinasing kasing Miuyon  
ug musogot nga pili-on inominak Balut, Sarangani  
Davao Occidental aron maka benefityo kami  
sa mga programa ug karayuhan eikan sa  
atong sang gamhanan sa Pilipinas. sama sa  
levelhood ug uban pa ug labaw sa tanan  
aron mabuhî ug mag malungtaron ang dagan  
sa tribu Blaan sa among territory;  
Municipality Sarangani Davao Occidental Philippines

Fulung ADEDRIBO K. TIAWIN  
Municipal Tribal Chieftain  
Sarangani Davao Occidental.

(English)

The Bla'an tribe is an original tribe of the Non-Muslim tribes residing here in the Philippines and one of the recognized territories of this tribe is Balut, Sarangani Island, Davao Occidental. The Blaan tribe has its own culture, ethnic art and handicrafts like brass ornaments. It also has traditional beadworks.

Moreover, the Indigenous Knowledge System and Practices(IKSP), governs and manages the entire activities of the Blaan Tribe. Even from the early times, it has followed rules which can be extraordinary or unique. But, it abides with the law and these laws made them progressive and successful from the beginning and the years to come which is to fight for the Blaan Tribe in our country.

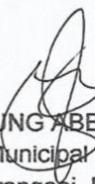
The Blaan tribe has its own territory. Because of this, they have the right for classification, protection and development. They also have traditions and beliefs in their culture which gives them the right to govern and influence the people in their community. There is also an importance to protect and uphold the culture, traditions and beliefs of the Bla'an tribe for the benefit of the coming generations.

Furthermore, the tribe found ways to give attention on the conflict of the justice system, customary laws and traditions which gives them the right and easy way to settle in peace through conventional way of reconciliation.

One factor that would vanish the culture and traditions of the Blaan tribe is the modernization of our community. Hence, there is a need for us to support our tribe through technical and financial aspect to continue and strengthen us. It is for us to give pride to the whole country in which we stand modest as Blaan Tribe in our territory, especially here in Balut Island, Davao Occidental.

As one of the leaders of the Blaan Tribe here in Balut, Sarangani Island, I agree and allow to continue to protect and support the program of the National Commission for Culture and the Arts(NCCA), through the SLT Student for Living traditions and the UNESCO which helps to assist and continue the great teachings and nurture it for it to really withstand.

From the bottom of my heart, I can say that I agree to nominate Balut, Sarangani, Davao Occidental so that we can benefit from the program of our Government like livelihood programs and the likes. Most of all, we can live and endure the continuance of the Blaan tribe in our territory, here in our Municipality, Sarangani, Davao Occidental, Philippines.



FULUNG ABEDNIGO K. TIAWIN  
Municipal Tribal Chieftain  
Sarangani, Davao Occidental

O. SLT DAVAO ORIENTAL

(Bisaya language)

KAMI ANG SLT BOSMANTRICA INC. SA BOSTON DAVAO ORIENTAL  
 MIHATAG UG PAGSUPPORTA O PAGTUGOT NGA E. APPLY ANG SLT NGADTO  
 SA UNESCO PINAAGI SA PAGPASA SA NCCA. KAY MIDAHUM KAMI NGA  
 MAO KINI ANG DAKU UG IKATABANG SA AMONG KULTURA.

**TIMAAN SA AMONG PASUPPORTA O PAGTUGOT KAMI MOPIRMA SA UBOS  
 NA BAHIN**

**GIPIRMahan NIADTONG PEBRERO 27, 2020 DIRI SA SLT CAATIHAN  
 BOSTON DAVAO ORIENTAL.**

PANGALAN	POSISYON/LUGAR	PIRMA
Addiza C. Omboagan	IP Women	Am.
Urcdyn L. Omboagan	II	Urc
Aljen L. Aquilino	IP Youth President/Researcher	JL
Noris A. Omboagan	IP Member	NA
Jerry A. Omboagan	II	Jay
Dianalyn M. Omboagan	I	Dianalyn
Jay Paul L. Ontaya	IP Youth Member	Jay
MICHAEL C. LATIBAN	IP YOUTH MEMBER	Michael
CHRISTIAN G. OMBOAGAN	IP Youth Member / Learner	Christian
Cloyd C. Omboagan	IP YOUTH MEMBER	Cloyd
Aiel G. Silversa	IP Youth member	Aiel
John Carlo G. Omboagan	IP Youth member / learner	John Carlo
Evelyn A. Latiban	IP Youth member / learner	Evelyn
Mananggalee A. Omboagan	IP Youth member / learner	Mananggalee
Belinia Dan Latiban	Cultural Master	Belinia
Bonjie D. Omboagan	IP Youth member / learner	Bonjie
Mark Anthony B. Latiban	IP Youth member / learner	Mark Anthony

Tony B. Latiban Jr	IP Youth member / Learner	<i>[Signature]</i>
Roxene O. Ganley	IP Youth member / Learner	<i>G. Ganley</i>
Rosethon O. Ganley	IP Youth member / Learner	<i>R. Ganley</i>
Angel Mae L. Isdan	IP Youth member / Learner	<i>A. Isdan</i>
Charlene Rose O. Ganley	IP Youth member / Learner	<i>C. Ganley</i>
Sharlene O. Ganley	IP Youth member / Learner	<i>S. Ganley</i>
Levira I. Lintagonan	Cultural Master	<i>L. Lintagonan</i>
Tony L. Sian	IP Member	<i>T. Sian</i>
FERNAN L. OMBAOSAN	IP YOUTH LEARNER	<i>F. Omboasan</i>
MODESTA M. PAGUYAN	IPMR / SLT COORDINATOR	<i>M. Paguyan</i>
ELEUTERIO C. MANAYIT	MUN. TRIBAL CHIEFTAIN / CULTURAL MASTER	<i>E. Manayit</i>
Tesse L. Kewy	IP Women	<i>T. Kewy</i>
Herbert A. Cotic	IP Member	<i>H. Cotic</i>
Thyn L. Ambawagan	IP Youth	<i>T. Ambawagan</i>
Nitooy Latiban	IP Member	<i>N. Latiban</i>
Elmon C. Manayit	IP Member / SLT DOCUMENTOR	<i>E. Manayit</i>
Reuel Latiban	Cultural Master	<i>R. Latiban</i>
Anamia C. Cotic	Brig. IP Women President	<i>A. Cotic</i>
Lara T. Celas	Tribal Chieftain	<i>L. Celas</i>
Fernando cocas	Tribal Council of Elders	<i>F. cocas</i>
Cristina C. Pabulario	IP women pres.	<i>C. Pabulario</i>
Trinig C. Balondo	Cultural master	<i>T. Balondo</i>
Emelita C. Inta	IP women member	<i>E. Inta</i>
Elsa C. Dislan	Tribal Datus	<i>E. Dislan</i>



(English)

### DECLARATION OF SUPPORT

WE, THE SLT BOSMANTRICA INC. HEREBY, SUPPORT THE NOMINATION OF SCHOOL FOR LIVING TRADITION (SLT) TO THE UNESCO THRU NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND ARTS (NCCA) AND IT IS BEST WAY TO HELP PRESERVING OUR CULTURE

CONFIRM/SIGNED BY THE CULTURAL MASTERS, ELDERS AND LEARNERS ON 27<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2020 SLT CAATIHAN BOSTON DAVAO ORIENTAL.

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Aljen L. Aquilino	IP Youth President/Researcher	JL
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Jerry A. Omboagan	"	Jerry
Dianalyn M. Omboagan	"	Dianalyn
Ig Eel L. Ontaya	IP Youth Member	Eel
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Christopher G. Omboagan	IP Youth Member / Learner	Christopher
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Mariana Glese A. Omboagan	IP Youth member / learner	Mariana
Belinvin & Da Latiban	Cultural Master	Belinvin
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P. SLT GUIMARAS

(Inati language)

**DEKLARASYON SA PAG-PAHANUGOT**

Kami nga mga Ati sa komunidad sang Jordan,Guimaras naga hatag sang amon pahanugot nga madala ang School of Living Tradition sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices sang UNESCO.Tungod sa SLT madamo ang mga nadiskubre nga mga talento sang mga katutubo,ini naging dalan padulong sa manami nga kauswagan sa pagpalapnag sang mga kinaugalian kag buhat parti sang aton kultura.

Nagpati kami nga ang SLT aktibo sa pagbulig sa pagnami kag sa pagbag-o sang pangabuhî sang pumuluyo nga may kaangtanhan sa kultura kag makabulig sa pag-amlig kag pagpalapad sang local nga kaalam kag elemento sang kabuhi nga matarong.

Gapanindugan kami, nga bilang isa sa naka benepisyo sang proyekto sang SLT nga ini makabulig gid sa pag-atipan, pag-protekta,pagpalapnag kag pagpadayon sang mga tradisyon kag kultura sang katutubo.

Ginapadayaw namun nga ang SLT makabulig sa pagnami sang mga tradisyunal nga kinaugalian sang mga ati sa kinalailain nga aspeto sang kultura sa tanan nga mga pumuluyo,kag isa ka mayo nga ehemplio sa pagpalapnag sang amon kultura kag sa aton tanan nga paghugpong.

Ang Jordan Ati Community naga hugpong para amon maamligan ang SLT bilang isa ka paagi para mapabaskog kag mapadayon ang pagkilala sa aton kultura para makilala pa sa bug-os nga kalibutan.

Nahanungod sini,ang Jordan Ati Community sang SLT Guimaras magahatag sang amun kolektibo nga pahatnugot sa pag-upod sang SLT sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices sang UNESCO.

Gin-obra subong nga ika-1 sang Marso, tuig 2020 sa Sitio Kati-Kati San Miguel, Jordan,Guimaras.

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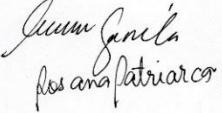
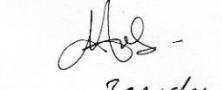
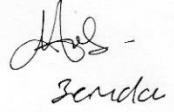
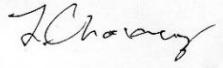
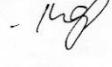
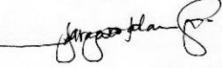
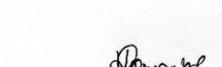
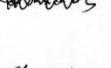
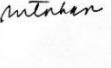
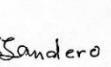
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(English)

## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

The Jordan Ati Community of Guimaras gives our consent for the School Of Living Tradition to be registered in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of UNESCO. Through SLT various good practices and talents of the Indigenous People were discovered. This was been a way for the awareness of our culture and tradition. And we believe that SLT is dynamically valuable for the enhancement of our culture and to modify the life of every people in safeguarding the intangible cultural heritage.

We are conceited that the School of Living Tradition truly help in the preservation of the culture and traditions of Jordan Ati Community. And SLT is a good practice in safeguarding culture and traditions, to bond us all. The Jordan Ati Community unites to safeguard the SLT as a means to strengthen and to maintain our culture and traditions and to impart in the whole country.

With this, the Jordan Ati Community of School of Living Tradition -Guimaras gives our shared consent to register SLT in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of UNESCO.

Done this 1<sup>st</sup> of March 2020 in Sitio Kati-Kati, San Miguel, Jordan, and Guimaras.

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Q. SLT IFUGAO

(Kalanguya language)

### **PANGI-UH-UN TOBALON MI DATUWE**

Dakamin mangipangpangulu nadah kapkapyan di School of Living Tradition (SLT) an napuh nunhinhinatkon an boble ya pangih-e tu bobjen di Pilipinas, ya i-uh-u mi datuwen emi nunhuhumanganan dih Annual General Assembly:

Itadogan min nan kinadangyan di Pilipinas ya nid-on nadah nunhinhinatkonan di tatagu nah pangih-e da, an matigo naga makaphod an pangpangat di kapkanya da umat nadah, pangapya kakangidin ya ngungunut dida ya nadan eda kalkalyon ya it-itugun naga ibba dan tagu, ya mid-um pay nadan hahapit da ya nadan pangpangat da kiphodan di nitaguan ya pakidaldalanan;

Kulugon min datuwen a-at an binoltan hi aammod ya mangipatiboh kinalaing ya kinakaphod di ine-eh mi.;

Matibo min munkatalak mo datuwen makaphod an boltan mu dena dabo damda on oohan nab-nabbati an ganah-in damdan ipaptokanan dida ta adi da tuttuwaahan munkamaid;

Diya numpen, ta mawada ke ot ahan di innunan mipaptok datuwen maphod an ine-en di tagu ya nawada tun makalin School of Living Tradition an hiya tu ya nituddu nadah u-unnga datuwen pangi-e ta kal-ina di ya adi makal-iwan ya adi matalak humlun tudah manudtudu;

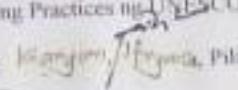
Ya hiya bo damdan, tudan dakol an a-at an kinapyan di SLT ya namahig di naminhod nan dike ot anhan ya damanan ma-at dadatuwe:

- Duttukona hanadan ine-en adi kuma tuwali kal-iwan amunay ittay na di ya matalak damo. Datuwe ke ya ipangpanguluwan nadan aammod an nanginila;
- Mangapayahohan humigupan nadan munpun-adal tudah ine-e, bokon ke ne, mid-um ot udot nadah itudtudun di mimittulu na itkul;

kasangkapur sa kultural na kamsheyen, pungangalaga ng mga parinamang kultural, at panlipunang pagkakaisa.

Bilang wakas, nananiliq kami na ang aming mga pinungangalagaang SLT ay sumasandig sa pagkamudikham ng punsayanan, kultural na pagkakakilalan, at mataas na pagkilala sa sariling punsayanan, pati na rin ng sambuyanan Filipino bilang pangkalihatan sa puggapatibay ng mas maliwang at mas pinayamang kimbusukan.

Sama-samahan natin, na mga tagapag-ugnay ng SLT, ay idineklara ang aming kolektibong paheitolot sa paghirang ng SLT na mapasama sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ng UNESCO.

Iwanagawa ngayong ika-18 ng Pebrero, taong 2020 sa  Pilipinas.



*Pinguinoj*

(English)

## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

We, the Coordinators of the various School of Living Traditions (SLT) Programs, coming from the various Indigenous Cultural Communities from the twenty-eight (28) municipalities belonging to the different provinces all over the Philippines, after serious deliberations during our Annual General Assembly, do hereby declare that:

We affirm that richness of the Philippines lies in the diversity of the more than one hundred and fifty ethnolinguistic groups that exist all over the country in the country, possessing their own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

We believe that these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important manifestations and expressions of our people's creativity and ingenuity which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

We are aware that, some of the traditional expressions of our cultural communities have vanished, but many still endure up to the present, yet sadly some are endangered and needing urgent safeguarding;

Whereas, consistent with the common concern to safeguard the intangible cultural heritage of humanity, the School for Living Traditions or SLT was conceived and implemented by us to ensure the viability of the intangible cultural heritage (ICH) of our communities, where the members of our young generations are encouraged to learn the community's arts, crafts and living traditions, under the guidance of a cultural master;

Whereas, the various SLTs programs that we collectively pursued, aim to:

- Identify aspects/components of traditional culture and art considered to be important to a cultural community and transfer these aspects/components to the young through the recognized cultural masters of the community;

- Institutionalize a learning center for the safeguarding of the indigenous peoples' intangible cultural heritage (ICH) and/or possibly, integrate the program into the local school curriculum for wider participation and dissemination; and
- Actively engage in the flourishing of viable social enterprises projects that are grounded on local culture and which preserve and promote local knowledge and ICH elements.

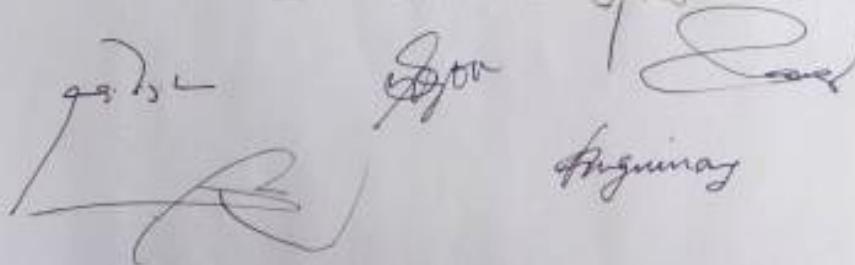
We uphold that, being a non-formal education intervention, the enhanced SLT embraces an Integrated approach that covers research and documentation of significant ICH elements of a community and the corresponding measures for its preservation, protection, promotion, enhancement, as well as for the revitalization of such heritage element;

We likewise pronounce that over the years, the SLT program has been instrumental in reviving interest on traditional aspects of culture in numerous communities, becoming an effective tool for cultural awareness, heritage safeguarding and social cohesion;

Lastly, we are strongly confident that SLTs that we have nurtured and sustained, have been harnessing a rich resource of communal creativity, cultural identity and instilling a sense of pride in these communities as well as in the Filipino people in general as they forge a more enlightened and enriched future.

**Therefore We**, the SLT Coordinators, declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 16 day of Feb 2020 in the Province of Misamis Oriental, Philippines.



R. SLT ILOILO

(Ilonggo with English translation)

## KASUGTANAN (Agreement)

Kami nga mga kamal-aman/Manunudlo nangin kabahin sa mga pagpanalowsaw kag pagdihon sang lima ka tuig nga plano para sa ginpasanyog nga Balay Tulun-an.

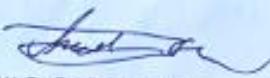
Sa sulod sang duha ka tuig nga pagtudio sa mga kabataan sa Balay Tulun-an nagapati kami nga ini isa ka manami kag epektibo nga programa nga naga tipig kog naga preserbar sang duna nga kultura kag tradisyon sang Panay Bukidnon. Tungod diri, luyag gid namon nga i rehistro ini sa UNESCO.

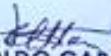
We, Elders/Cultural Masters are involved in the conduct of research and Five Year Master Plan for Enhanced School of Living Tradition.

In two years of teaching in Balay Tulun-an, we firmly believe that this is one of the best way to safeguard and preserve our culture and tradition as Panay Bukidnon. In this regard, we would like to register this to UNESCO.

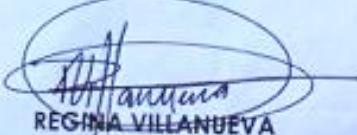
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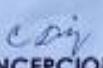
  
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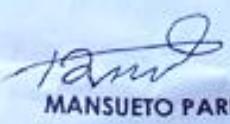
  
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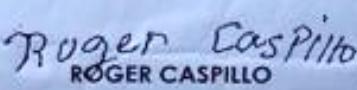
  
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## S. SLT KALINGA

(Filipino)

Rehiyon ng Cordillera  
Lalawigan ng Kalinga  
Siyudad ng Tabuk  
**BARANGAY BULO**  
**SCHOOL OF LIVING TRADITIONS**  
**SUMACHER INDIGENOUS CULTURAL COMMUNITY**

### DEKLARASYON NG PAHINTULOT

Kami, na mga tagapag-ugnay ng Schools of Living Traditions (SLT) ng iba't ibang kultural na katutubong pamayanahan mula sa dalawampu't walong munisipalidad na kabilang sa \_\_\_\_\_ probinsya sa buong Pilipinas, matapos ang masusing deliberasyon sa aming taunang pangkalahatang pagpupulong, ay idinedeklara na:

Naninindigan kami na ang kayamanan ng Pilipinas ay matatagpuan sa pagkakaiba-iba ng higit sa isandaan at limampung (150) etnolinggwistikong grupo na umiral sa buong bansa, na nagtagtaglay ng kani-kanilang sariling sining, likhang-sining, koleksyon ng kaalaman at kuwento, gawi, wika, tradisyon, karumungan, at buhay na dunong;

Naniniwala kami na ang mga elemento ng ating magkakabahaging buhay na dunong ay pagpapatibay at pagpapahayag ng pagkamalikhain at kagalingan ng ating mga mamamayan na naisasalin sa mga henerasyon mula sa mga nakalipas na dantaon;

Nababatid namin na ang ilan sa mga tradisional na pagpapahayag ng ating mga pamayanang kultural ay naglalo na, ngunit marami pa rin ang nananatili hanggang sa kasalukuyan, bagaman ang ilan ay nanganganib na at nangangailangan ng kagytat na pangangalaga;

Samantala, kasabay ng pagmamasakit upang mapangalagaan ang mga buhay na dunong ng sangkatauhan, ang School of Living Traditions o SLT ay nilikha at ipinatupad namin upang masigurado ang paglilitgas ng mga buhay na dunong ng aming mga pamayanahan kasabay ng pagsusporta ng Pambansang Komisyon para sa mga Kultura at mga Sining (NCCA), kung saan ang aming mga kabataan ay hinihikayat na matutuhan ang mga sining, likhang-sining, at buhay na dunong ng aming pamayanahan, si ilalim ng paggabay ng mga dalubhasang nagtagtaglay ng kasahayan (cultural masters);

Samantala, ang iba't ibang mga programa ng SLT na aming kolektibong itinaguyod ay may layuning:

- Matukoy ang mga elemento ng mga tradisional na kultura at sining na itinuturing na mahalaga sa pamayanang kultural at maisalin ang mga elementong ito sa mga kabataan sa pamamagitan ng mga kinikilalang dalubhasang nagtagtaglay ng kasahayan sa pamayanahan (cultural masters);
- Makapagpatatag ng mga sentro ng pagkatuto para sa pangangalaga ng mga katutubong buhay na dunong at kung maari, maiisama sa mga lokal na kurikulum ng mga paaralan para sa mas malawak na pakikilahok at pagpapalaganap; at

- Aktibong makibahagi sa pagpapayaman ng mga umiiral na pagkakakitaan sa pamayanan na nakaugat sa kultura at nakatutulong sa pangangalaga at pagpapaunlad ng lokal na kaalaman at elemento ng buhay na dunong.

Naninindigan kami, na bilang mga di-formal na tagapagpadaloy ng edukasyon, ang mga pinahusay na SLT ay nagpapatupad ng mga integratibong lapit na sumasaklaw sa pananaliksik at dokumentasyon ng mga makabuluhang elemento ng mga buhay na dunong ng mga pamayanan at ang mga naaayong hakbang para sa pangangalaga, pagtatanggol, pagpapaunlad, pagpapahusay, pati na ang pagpapayabong ng mga elementong ito;

Ipinagmamalaki namin na sa paglipas ng taon, ang mga SLT ay nakatutulong sa pagpapasigla ng kagustuhan sa mga tradisyunal na aspeto ng kultura sa maraming pamayanan, at naging mabisang kasangkapan sa kultural na kamalayan, pangangalaga ng mga pamanang kultural, at panlipunang pagkakaisa.

Bilang wakas, nananalig kami na ang aming mga pinangangalagaang SLT ay sumasandig sa pagkamalikhain ng pamayanan, kultural na pagkakilanlan, at mataas na pagkilala sa sariling pamayanan, pati na rin ng sambayanang Filipino bilang pangkalahanan sa pagpatibay ng mas maliwanag at mas pinayamang kinabukasan.

Samakatuwid kami, na mga tagapag-ugnay ng SLT, ay idinedeklara ang aming kolektibong pahintulot sa paghirang ng SLT na mapasama sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ng UNESCO.

Isinagawa ngayong ika-18 ng Pebrero, taong 2020 sa Lungsod ng Maynila, Pilipinas.

  
**ROSA D. CONTIS**

Elder/Brgy Kagawad  
Chairman-Committee on Health

  
**MANUEL T. OGA-OY**

Elder/ Brgy Kagawad  
Chairman-Committee on Culture

  
**WILLIAM PUDAY, Sr**

Elder/Bodong Holder/Former Board Member

  
**MANUEL N. SANO**

Elder/Former Brgy Chairman

  
**JOHN WINNIE G. SILIP**

Elder/Lay Leader

  
**EMMANGAY M. SONGDAY**

Elder/Senior Citizen

(English)

## **DECLARATION OF CONSENT**

We, the coordinators of the School of Living Traditions (SLT) Program Davao City, coming from the various Indigenous Cultural Communities from the twenty-eight (28) municipalities belonging to provinces all over the Philippines, after serious deliberations during our Annual General Assembly, do hereby declare that:

We affirm that richness of the Philippines lies in the diversity of the more than one hundred and fifty ethnolinguistic groups that exist all over the country in the country, possessing their own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

We believe that these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important manifestations and expressions of our people's creativity and ingenuity which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

We are aware that, some of the traditional expressions of our cultural communities have vanished, but many still endure up to the present, yet sadly some are endangered and needing urgent safeguarding;

Whereas, consistent with the common concern to safeguard the intangible cultural heritage of humanity, the School for Living Traditions or SLT was conceived and implemented by us to ensure the viability of the intangible cultural heritage (ICH) of our communities, where the members of our young generations are encouraged to learn the community's arts, crafts and living traditions, under the guidance of a cultural master;

Whereas, the various SLTs programs that we collectively pursued, aim to:

- Identify aspects/components of traditional culture and art considered to be important to a cultural community and transfer these aspects/components to the young through the recognized cultural masters of the community;
- Institutionalize a learning center for the safeguarding of the indigenous peoples' intangible cultural heritage (ICH) and/or possibly, integrate the program into the local school curriculum for wider participation and dissemination; and
- Actively engage in the flourishing of viable social enterprises projects that are grounded on local culture and which preserve and promote local knowledge and ICH elements.

We uphold that, being a non-formal education intervention, the enhanced SLT embraces an Integrated approach that covers research and documentation of significant ICH elements of a community and the corresponding measures for its preservation, protection, promotion, enhancement, as well as for the revitalization of such heritage element;

We likewise pronounce that over the years, the SLT program has been instrumental in reviving interest on traditional aspects of culture in numerous communities, becoming an effective tool for cultural awareness, heritage safeguarding and social cohesion;

Lastly, we are strongly confident that SLTs that we have nurtured and sustained, have been harnessing a rich resource of communal creativity, cultural identity and instilling a sense of pride in these communities as well as in the Filipino people in general as they forge a more enlightened and enriched future.

**Therefore We**, the elders and SLT coordinators, declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020 in the Province of Kalinga, Philippines.

T. SLT MT. PROVINCE

(Ferangao language)

BALANGAO NATIVE HANDICRAFTS AND WEAVERS ASSOCIATION, INC.  
Balangao School of Living Tradition  
Magawod, Bantay, Paracelis, Mountain Province

March 5, 2020

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS  
School of Living Tradition Program  
633 Gen. Luna Street, Intramuros 1002 Manila

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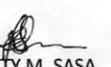
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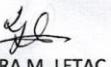
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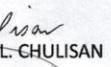
  
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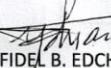
  
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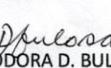
  
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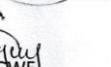
  
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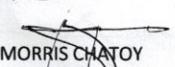
  
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HENRY DOGWE

  
SIMEON BULAWE

  
MORRIS CHATOY

  
VALENTINE F. TAWARAN

  
BELLO M. BANGGOT

\*\*Antoy petchor anto wat petchor hen cha mangapgu wey ihey karakayen wey iferangao, Kaman no: 1. Mansa'ad ah ferey; 2. No manfat cha; yeg 3. No wache man exam ah onga ah eswelaan.

Hey manò hen maforka ta maile hen apgu no: no nanapno hen apgu wat ommafun, no nàopet hen apgu wat achi omafun.



Am-ama wey iferangao, hengosot hen tawen na wey cha mangapgu

(English)

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

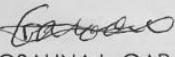
We, elders of the Balangao community consent to the registration of the Balangao school of Living Tradition (SLT), Paracelis, Mountain Province to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). We believe that with the SLT a flagship program of the NCCA, we are supported by UNESCO in safeguarding our traditional cultural practices as indigenous people.

Hence, we elders of the Balangao community voluntarily affix our signatures for our consent.

Thank you.

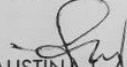
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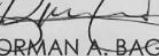
  
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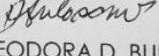
  
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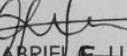
  
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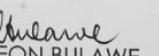
  
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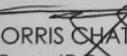
  
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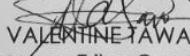
  
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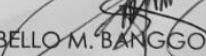
  
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Balangao Tribe Org. President

  
BELLO M. BANGGOT  
IPMR

\*\*Attached is a picture of a Balangao elder doing the traditional way of seeking approval from the unseen before doing any major activity in the community (**Mangapgu**). For example: 1. Before starting to build a house, 2. Before starting on a long journey, 3. Before a child have an examination in school.

A native chicken is butchered and the gall bladder examined: when gall bladder is full with bile, means approve; when the gall bladder is half filled/empty means disapprove.



A 100 year old Balangao native doing the traditional way of seeking approval from the unseen called "**mangapgu**" before doing any major activity

## U. SLT NEGROS OCCIDENTAL

(Ilonggo)

### **PAGPAHANUGOT SANG MARIKUDO ATI COMMUNITY, MARIKUDO ATI COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (MACA) KAG CULTURAL MASTERS SANG SLT – NEGROS OCCIDENTAL**

Kami, nga mga isa ka libo (1,000) nga taga Marikudo Ati Community nga ginarepresentar sang Tribal Council / Elders, mga opisyales sang Marikudo Ati Community Association (MACA) nga naga-implementar sang Schools of Living Traditions (SLT) sa Negros Occidental kag mga Cultural Masters nga nagapalakat sang mga sesyon sa pagtudlo, pagpreserba, pagkilala, pagpabuhî kag pagpasaylo sang mga elemento sang Intangible Cultural Heritage (ICH) sang mga Ati, matapos ang maid-id nga pag-estorya nga ginihiwat sa SLT Learning Center, Sitio Marikudo, Brgy. Camang-camang, Isabela, Negros Occidental, kami nagdesisyon nga:

Bilang mga miembro sang Marikudo Ati Community, ginapahanugutan namon ang Tribal Council / Elders nga maglagda tal-os sa amon para sa nominasyon sang SLT sa UNESCO;

Bilang mga miembro sang Marikudo Ati Community Association (MACA) nga halos mga babae nga tigpalakat sang SLT – Negros Occidental ginapahanugutan namon ang mga opisyales sang MACA nga maglagda tal-os sa amon para sa nominasyon sang SLT sa UNESCO;

Bilang mga Cultural Masters nga manugpalakat sang mga sesyon parti sa pagtudlo, pagpreserba, pagkilala pagpabuhî kag pagpasaylo sang mga elemento sang ICH kasubong sang Inati nga Lengguahé, Saot kag Inati nga Musika, Rara (Weaving), Tradisyunal nga Hinampang kag Pagpasundayag sa Pag-arte (Performing Arts) sang SLT – Negros Occidental, ginapahanugutan namon ang nominasyon sang mga SLT diri sa Pilipinas paagi sa paglagda para sa nominasyon sang SLT sa UNESCO;

Kami, nagahatag pahanugot sa National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) nga gamiton ang mga datos, impormasyon, larawan kag mga videos nga natipon bangod sa SLT – Negros Occidental nga proyekto halin pa sang pagsugod sang implementasyon tubtob subong;

Gani, kami nga na mga Tribal Council / Elders sang Marikudo Ati Community, opisyales sang MACA, kag mga Cultural Masters sang SLT, naglagda agus ipakita ang amon pagpahanugot sa pag-nominate sang SLT nga maupod sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices sang UNESCO.

Ginpirmahan sang ika-21 sang Pebrero, tuig 2020 sa Sitio Marikudo,  
Barangay Camang-camang, Isabela, Negros Occidental, Pilipinas.

(English)

**CONSENT OF MARIKUDO ATI COMMUNITY,  
MARIKUDO ATI COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (MACA) AND  
CULTURAL MASTERS OF SLT – NEGROS OCCIDENTAL**

We, the one thousand (1,000) Marikudo Ati Community represented by the Tribal Council / Elders, officials of Marikudo Ati Community Association (MACA) who are implementing the Schools of Living Traditions (SLT) in Negros Occidental and the Cultural Masters who are facilitating the sessions on teaching, preserving, knowing, revitalizing and transferring the elements of Intangible Cultural Heritage (ICH) of the Ati, after thorough discussions held at the SLT Learning Center, Sitio Marikudo, Brgy. Camang-camang, Isabela, Negros Occidental, we have made a decision, that:

As members of the Marikudo Ati Community, we are giving our consent to the Tribal Council / Elders to sign on our behalf for the nomination of the SLT to UNESCO;

As members of the Marikudo Ati Community Association (MACA) who are almost women who are facilitating the SLT – Negros Occidental, we are giving consent to the officers of MACA to sign on our behalf for the nomination of the SLT to UNESCO;

As Cultural Masters facilitating the sessions on teaching, preserving, knowing, revitalizing and transferring the elements of ICH such as Inati Language, Inati Dance and Music, Rara (Weaving), Traditional Games and Performing Arts of SLT – Negros Occidental, we give our consent to the nomination of SLT in the Philippines by signing below the nomination of SLT to UNESCO;

We, give our consent to the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) to use the data, information, pictures and videos gathered from SLT – Negros Occidental that is a project since the time of implementation to present;

Therefore, we the Tribal Council / Elders of Marikudo Ati Community, officers of MACA, and the Cultural Masters of SLT, signed below in order to show our consent on the nomination of SLT to be included in the Registry of Good Safeguarding Practices of UNESCO.

Signed on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of February, 2020 at Sitio Marikudo, Barangay  
Camang-camang, Isabela, Negros Occidental, Philippines.

NGALANRESPONSIBILIDAD SA KATILINGBANPIRMA

1. Rolando Enario	cultural master	<u>Rolando P.</u>
2. Rhodora Enario	MACA BOD / tribal council	<u>Rhodora</u>
3. Teresita Sinceda	MACA trq.-cultural master	<u>Teresita S.</u>
4. Jesus Flores Sr.	cultural master	<u>J. Flores</u>
5. Merlyn Esteban	BOD MACA	<u>Merlyn E. Esteban</u>
6. Emelinda Sedanto	cultural master / MACA bus manager	<u>E. Sedanto</u>
7. Jose Flores Jr.	MACA BOD	<u>J. Flores Jr.</u>
8. Jachel Salvio	cultural master / MACA Secretary	<u>Jachel</u>
9. Ma. Gina Magbana	MACA Vice Pres. / cultural master	<u>Ma. Gina Magbana</u>
10. Jesus Canete	IPS leader chifflair	<u>Jesus Canete</u>
11. Delia Canete	cultural master	<u>D. Canete</u>
12. Genelyn Sencida	MACA BOD	<u>G. Sencida</u>
13. Elmer C. Libnon	vice chieftain	<u>Elmer C. Libnon</u>
14. Isidro Panden Sr.	elder	<u>Isidro Panden</u>
15. Warlito Ganancial	tribal council	<u>Warlito Ganancial</u>
16. Emily Sangher	MACA BOD	<u>Emily Sangher</u>
17. Ofelia Sangher	MACA BOD	<u>Ofelia Sangher</u>
18. Ricardo Esteban	tribal council	<u>Ricardo Esteban</u>
19. Virginia Nabat	MACA President	<u>Virginia Nabat</u>
20. Batohus Recto	tribal secretary	<u>Batohus Recto</u>
21. Joan Panden	PIO MACA	<u>Joan Panden</u>
22. Alicia Villano	tribal council	<u>Alicia Villano</u>

23.	Rico Sinceda	Tribal Secretary	<u>J. Sinceda</u>
24.	Florida Sinceda	MATCA Auditor	<u>S. Sinceda</u>
25.	Cheryl Varimong	Tribal Treasurer	<u>Cheryl Varimong</u>
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## V. SLT NORTH COTABATO

(Manobo-Kulamanen language)

### OFFICE OF THE MANOBO-KULAMANEN TRIBAL COUNCIL Datu Inda , Pres. Roxas, Cotabato

#### PEGBEHEY TE PEGBEYEBEYE

**Sikanami** se talagpeuma te School of living Tradition (SLT) lain-lain ne kultutura kayi te Dalepe ligkat te daruwa ne pulu wey walu ne Municipyu ne duma te Probinsya te tibuok Pilipinas te pegkeimpus te maralem ne pegpapangakey te tagse tuig ney ne peglamlambahey nasabekaan ney ne:

Dakel ke pegpalintutuu ney ne ka kasangkapan te ne dakel te Pilipinas egkakita diye te nakalkalasiyan ne sabeka ne gatus wey lalima ne pulu ne linalahan kayi te pilipinas ne mig-uyan te kandan ne Batasan, pektuu, ukuman wey katuenan u kapandayan wey me guhuren, linalahan wey matageb ne umul.

Migpalintutuu key ne ka ilimintu te ul-uleen ta na nenekeglain-lain wey te pegkamatagseb, wey te pegkamangngateu te me karumaan ta ne nakapanulu wey nagaat pad kanta te me kabubayahan ta.

Nakabantey key ne ka duma ne me kinaraan ne pegpanulu te kanta ne dalepe egakapaganadganad e egtkaawe piru duempad degma nakapabulus taman guntee piru egkatarin e ne keilangan e neg tangguwen.

Duma te pegbulig wey pegkeipeng eyew egkatanggu ka umul te katuenenan te me etew, ka School of living Tradition (SLT) inggimu wey igpatuman ney eyew egkamalehet ne egpangngabangan ka me nauyag pad ne katuenan te kanami ne dalepe duma te bulig te National commision for culture and the arts ( NCCA ) ne ka me kabatbataan ney egkatagahaan ka me iling te sining, wey te me katuenan pinabayte te pegpanulu te mangngatuu ney ne talagpanulu (cultural master).

Ka kasuluhan te eg-ul-leen te (SLT) ne naangey ney wey igpabulus iling te:

- Egkatahan ka ilimintu te me kinaraan ne eg-ul-uleen wey te sining ne natagaan ne impurtanti te Dalepe ne igkagaat te me kabatbataan pinabayte te naila ne talagpanulu.
- Egpakahimu te temuwanan te pegpaketagaeyew egkatanggu ka malehet ne neuyag pad ne katuenan ne keg kaayun perem ne igka duma te LOCAL CORRECULUM te langun ne iskwilahan eyew maluag ka peg-apil-apil wey te pegpatuman; at
- Maahet-ahet ne pegparakel te migpabulus pad ekakitaan te keuyahan te dalepe ne nakaikul te egbatanan neg pakabulig te pectanggu wey te pegparakel te me katuenan wey te ilimintu te neuyag pad ne katuenan.

**Migpangeseg key**, minsan kene key ne malehet ne talagpasabut te idukasyun, ne ka impakakatuu ney te SLT migpatuman te marani ne duma te malehet ne pegpanginginse ney te me mateles ne me ilimintu te neuyag pad ne katuenan te Dalepe wey te egpekegluyud eyew te pectanggu, peg-unung, wey pegparakel labi te seini ne me ilimintu;

Igpagalegale ney te paglihad te leg-un, ka SLT egpakabulit te pegnekalnekal te igkeupii te me karaan ne aspitu te nabatasan te masulug ne Dalepe ne amanan ne

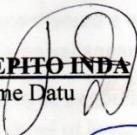
mateles ne panganiban te nabatasan wey katuenan, pegtanggu te nagaat ne nabatasan wet te nasabeka ne Dalepe.

Pinabaye te impus, dakel amana ka pegsaligsalig ney te intanggu ney ne SLT migsandig te pegkamangngateu te Dalape, nabatasan, wey te pegkaila, wey te malayat ne peg-ila te kandin ne Dalepe, duma te LANGUN NE Filipino isip kinatibuk-an wey pegpakeseg te malayag wey te amana ne intanggu ne egkatamanan.

Egmamalehet key, ne talagbulig te SLT igbuhey ka kanami ne nasabukaan te peg beye beye te pegparibabew te SLT ne iga karuma te Register of good Safeguard Practices te UNESCO.

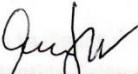
Inggimu seini te igka 11 te Agosto te 2020 Datu Inda, Pres. Roxas, Cotabato, Pilipinas.

Signed:

  
**DATU PEPIPO INDA**  
Supreme Datu  
  
  
**BAE LOLING PALAWOD**  
Culture Master

  
**DATU ALIPIO CATHUYAN**  
Culture Master  
  
  
**BAE EDISIA OLAWAD**  
Culture Master

Witnesses:

  
**EMMANUEL T. LUMAYON**

  
**ROWENA T. TAHUYAN**

(English)

**OFFICE OF THE MANOBO-KULAMANEN TRIBAL COUNCIL**  
Datu Inda , Pres. Roxas, Cotabato

**DECLARATION OF CONSENT**

We, the Manobo-Kulamanen School of Living Traditions (SLT) Program, from the Indigenous Cultural Communities from Datu Inda, President Roxas Cotabato , after deliberations during our General Assembly meeting , do hereby declare that:

We uphold that richness of the Philippines lies as one in the variety of ethnolinguistic groups over the country, possessing our own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

We believe that these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important indicators and expressions of our people's creativity and originality which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

We are aware that, some of the traditional expressions of our cultural communities have vanished, but many still endure up to the present, yet sadly some are endangered and needing urgent safeguarding;

Whereas, consistent with the common concern to safeguard the intangible cultural heritage of humanity, the School for Living Traditions or SLT was conceived and implemented by us to ensure the viability of the intangible cultural heritage (ICH) of our communities, where the members of our young generations are encouraged to learn the community's arts, crafts and living traditions, under the guidance of a cultural master;

Whereas, the various SLTs programs that that we collectively pursued, aim to:

- Identify aspects/components of traditional culture and art considered to be important to a cultural community and transfer these aspects/components to the young through the recognized cultural masters of the community;
- Institutionalize a learning center for the safeguarding of the indigenous peoples' intangible cultural heritage (ICH) and/or possibly, integrate the program into the local school curriculum for wider participation and dissemination; and
- Actively engage in the flourishing of viable social enterprises projects that are grounded on local culture and which preserve and promote local knowledge and ICH elements.

We uphold that, being a non-formal education involvement, the enhanced SLT embraces an Integrated approach that covers research and documentation of significant ICH elements of a community and the corresponding measures for its preservation, protection, promotion, enhancement, as well as for the revitalization of such heritage element;

We likewise pronounce that over the years, the SLT program has been instrumental in reviving interest on traditional aspects of culture in numerous communities, becoming an effective tool for cultural awareness, heritage safeguarding and social cohesion;

Lastly, we are strongly confident that SLTs that we have nurtured and sustained, have been harnessing a rich resource of communal creativity, cultural identity and instilling a sense of pride in these communities as well as in the Filipino people in general as they forge a more enlightened and enriched future.

**Therefore We**, the Culture Masters and members of the Manobo-Kulamanen ethnolinguistic group, declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT of North Cotabato to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March 2020 in the Datu Inda , Pres. Roxas, Cotabato , Philippines.

Signed:

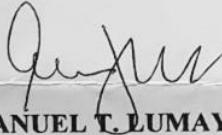
  
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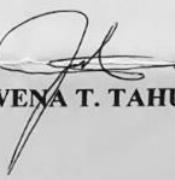
  
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Culture Master

Witnesses:

  
**EMMANUEL T. LUMAYON**

  
**ROWENA T. TAHUYAN**

## W. SLT NUEVA VIZCAYA

(Kalanguya language)

### DA-YONAN MI

Higamin kaminga pangpanglo ni Ihkulaan para Nabiag ni Ugalli ni naniapo di naduma duman tribo manipod duwampulo tan walo (28) munisipyo diya\_\_ probinsiya diya Pilipinas, nantatabalan mi nunta tinaw an ni tabalan ni:

Mah-al mi ay hay kinabaknang ni Pilipinas kat wadad nadumaduman tribu ni ingahtayo. Waday sarili min ugalli, ublan panbiyag, hapit, istorya, laing, namnam tan kagagalad kas hakay ni tribu.

Amta mi tan mamadti kami ni hayadan ugalli, laing tan kagagalad at imunu unod manipod nunta da la apo mi ingganan haya

Amta mi ay wada da i adum ni ugal li tan amag ni naandi la man ingganan haya wada da pay i nabay-an at higato kuma i mabantayan atsay agma umah

Gabol niya isunga nawada iya School of Living Traditions o SLT atsay agma andi ida ma mayat ni ugal li ni intudo idan apo mi at higato i maitudo idan onga nihayan timpo babaen ni pangitudo ni cultural master.

Ngarud, hutada SLT programs ni naidugi, haday i piyan min amagan:

- Maamtaan hutada amag ni mayat at i tudo idan onga babaen ni dada idan cultural masters diya kad an mi.
- Maamag ni paset ni ehkulaan e pamantayan idan yan tawid at maitudo kuma di ihkulaan atsay dakal i mangamta; tan
- Man-aalat ni makipaset ida nunta-ubla ni maiyannatop di tradisyon atsay agliwanan ida hota pahad ni ka am amaga.

Mah al mi ay hada SLT at undada atsay agmaandi ida lay pahad ni amag ni hakay tribu tan lugar. Mauhal iya atsay maadal tan maihulat ida yan mayat ni amag atsay un uno unod at ag maumah la.

Mi ka bigbiga ni di nandalan ti timpo dima-da i SLT atsay namnaman ni too at amagan dan gandat I ag kaumahan wenco agkalittawan idan pahad ni amag tayo. Lu tudo at idan onga atsay un uno unod.

Mamadti kami ni hada SLT ni naidugi at hakay ni manpatibaw ni kinabaknang mi kas hakay ni tribu tan manpatibaw ni kinaurnus tan inkaphad ni kinatoo mi at higato i gabol ni un li-teng pay i biyag mi.

Isunga higamin SLT Coordinators, undayon kami ni ma italo. iya Ihkulaan ni Nabiag ni Amag dima Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ni UNESCO.

Nihayan aggaw ni February 18, 2020 di Manila, Philippines

  
SAMUEL G. BALINHAWANG  
SLT COORDINATOR

  
FLORA JOY R. GERDAN  
SLT DOCUMENTOR

  
CHRISTINA JOY B. OMAS  
SLT RESEARCHER

(English)

## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

We, the Coordinators of the various School of Living Traditions (SLT) Programs, coming from the various Indigenous Cultural Communities from the twenty-eight (28) municipalities belonging to \_\_\_ provinces all over the Philippines, after serious deliberations during our Annual General Assembly, do hereby declare that:

We affirm that richness of the Philippines lies in the diversity of the more than one hundred and fifty ethnolinguistic groups that exist all over the country in the country, possessing their own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

We believe that these elements of our shared intangible cultural heritage are important manifestations and expressions of our people's creativity and ingenuity which is passed on from generation to generation for hundreds of years;

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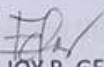
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**Therefore We**, the SLT Coordinators, declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

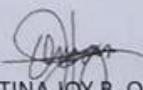
Done this 18th day of February 2020 in Imugan, Santa Fe, Nueva Vizcaya, Philippines.



SAMUEL G. BALINHAWANG  
SLT COORDINATOR



FLORA JOY R. GERDAN  
SLT DOCUMENTOR



CHRISTINA JOY B. OMAS  
SLT RESEARCHER

## X. SLT PALAWAN

(Palawano language)

Sewren et ginsan neng pegibuten:

Bilang pinengendelan et ginsan neng mengel rurungan, se't basag et arat et mengel kepelewanan , damen neng nekemarka et itueng surat, megtugut na mepebaya ang SLT Palawan et Brooke's Point dut UNESCO Register of Good Safeguarding Practices. Lebing- lebi ne set mengel Igum,Tultul, Kusyapi na menge keeratang pinepusaka (Cultural Heritage) neng Ketutubung Pelawan (Pala'wan).

Sabab, et damen neng kesewran, sabab et itueng upama supaya petuluy ne mepeteteg beke! metebangan mengel katutubung Pelawan (Pala'wan) sumampay sentin metebangan itue ampang mepelatap, mepelambu beke megtutuluy-tuluy ang pegpepebiyag ampangmekilala demen neng arat, atu et Pilipinas sampay neng buung lungsud.

Minerkahan

Enod A. Lingkasan

A. Lingkasan

9-23-20

Dolpino C. Agor

C. Agor

9-23-20

Edio P. Domino

E. Domino

9-24-20

Carly K. Saar

C. Saar

9-23-20

Rolito S. Landuan

R. Landuan

9-23-20

(Filipino)

Alamin ng Lahat ng Kinauukulan:

Bilang mga kinatawan ng aming kumunidad, sa bisa ng katutubong batas, kaming nakalagda sa sulat na ito, ay pumapayag na maisama ang SLT Palawan ng Brooke's Point sa UNESCO Register of Good Safeguarding Practices Lalong-lalo na ang Igum, Tultul, Kusyapi na mga Cultural Heritage ng Katutubong Pelawan (Pala'wan).

Sapagkat, ayon sa aming kaalaman, sa pamamagitan ng programang ito ay patuloy na mapapanatili at matulungan ang mga katutubong Pelawan (Pala'wan) at higit sa lahat matulungan ito upang mapalaganap, mapalawak, at magtutuloy-tuloy ang pagsasabuhay upang makilala ang aming kultura, dito sa Pilipinas at maging sa buong mundo.

Nilagdaan

Enod A. Lingkasan

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A. Lingkasan 03-15-20

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C. Saar 03-15-20

Rolito S. Landuan

Rolito S. Landuan

R. Landuan 03-15-20

(English)

Find out by all concerned:

On Behalf of our community, under effectivity of Indigenous law, we, who undersigned on this letter is agreeing to be part of School of Living Tradition (SLT) Program of Palawan Brooke's Point in UNESCO Register of good Safeguarding practice, especially the Igum, Tultul, Kusyapi. Because it is a Cultural Heritage of the Indigenous of Palawan.

We all know through this programme it will continue to maintain and help the Indigenous of Palawan. Most of all it help to propagate, expand and continue the practice through this is will also help our culture be well known here in the Philippines and also to the whole world.

Signed by:

Enod A. Lingkasan

A. Lingkasan

9/5/20

Dolpino C. Agor

C. Agor

9/5/20

Edio P. Domino

Edio P. Domino

August 21/20

Carly K. Saar

Carly K. Saar

8-28-2020  
March 3, 1978

Rolito S. Landuan

Rolito S. Landuan

## Y. SLT QUEZON

(Tagalog-Quezon)

### DEKLARASYON NG PAHINTULOT

Kami, na mga tagapag-ugnay ng Schools of Living Traditions (SLT) ng iba't ibang kultural na katutubong pamayanahan mula sa dalawampu't walong munisipalidad na kabilang sa Southern Cultural Communities sa buong Pilipinas, matapos ang masusing deliberasyon sa aming taunang pangkalahatang pagpupulong, ay idinedeklara na:

Naninindigan kami na ang kayamanan ng Pilipinas ay matatagpuan sa pagkakaiba-iba ng higit sa isandaan at limampung (150) etnolinggwistikong grupo na umiiral sa buong bansa, na nagtataglay ng kani-kanilang sariling sining, likhang-sining, koleksyon ng kaalaman at kuwento, gawi, wika, tradisyon, karunungan, at buhay na dunong;

Naniniwala kami na ang mga elemento ng ating magkakabahaging buhay na dunong ay pagpapatibay at pagpapahayag ng pagkamalikhain at kagalingan ng ating mga mamayan na naisasalin sa mga henerasyon mula sa mga nakalipas na dantaon;

Nababatid namin na ang ilan sa mga tradisyunal na pagpapahayag ng ating mga pamayanang kultural ay naglalo na, ngunit marami pa rin ang nananatili hanggang sa kasalukuyan, bagaman ang ilan ay nanganganib na at nangangailangan ng kagyat na pangangalaga;

Samantala, kasabay ng pagmamasakit upang mapangalagaan ang mga buhay na dunong ng sangkatauhan, ang School of Living Traditions o SLT ay nilikha at ipinatupad namin upang masigurado ang paglilitas ng mga buhay na dunong ng aming mga pamayanang kasabay ng pagsuporta ng Pambansang Komisyon para sa mga Kultura at mga Sining (NCCA), kung saan ang aming mga kabataan ay hinihikayat na matutuhan ang mga sining, likhang-sining, at buhay na dunong ng aming pamayanahan, sa ilalim ng paggabay ng mga dalubhasang nagtataglay ng kasanayan (cultural masters);

Samantala, ang iba't ibang mga programa ng SLT na aming kolektibong itinaguyod ay may layuning:

- Matukoy ang mga elemento ng mga tradisyunal na kultura at sining na itinuturing na mahalaga sa pamayanang kultural at maisalin ang mga elementong ito sa mga kabataan sa pamamagitan ng mga kinikilalang dalubhasang nagtataglay ng kasanayan sa pamayanahan (cultural masters);
- Makapagtatag ng mga sentro ng pagkatuto para sa pangangalaga ng mga katutubong buhay na dunong at kung maari, maisama sa mga lokal na kurikulum ng mga paaralan para sa mas malawak na pakikilahok at pagpapalaganap; at
- Aktibong makibahagi sa pagpapayaman ng mga umiiral na pagkakitaan sa pamayanahan na nakaugat sa kultura at nakatutulong sa pangangalaga at pagpapaunlad ng lokal na kaalaman at elemento ng buhay na dunong.

Naninindigan kami, na bilang mga di-pormal na tagapagpadaloy ng edukasyon, ang mga pinahusay na SLT ay nagpapatupad ng mga integratibong lapit na sumasaklaw sa pananaliksik at dokumentasyon ng mga makabuluhang elemento ng mga buhay na dunong ng mga pamayanahan at ang mga naaayong hakbang para sa pangangalaga, pagtatanggol, pagpapaunlad, pagpapahuay, pati na ang pagpapayabong ng mga elementong ito;

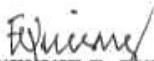
Ipinagmamalaki namin na sa paglipas ng taon, ang mga SLT ay nakatutulong sa pagpapasigla ng kagustuhan sa mga tradisyunal na aspeto ng kultura sa maraming pamayanahan, at naging mabisang

kasangkapan sa kultural na kamalayan, pangangalaga ng mga pamanaang kultural, at panlipunang pagkakaisa.

Bilang wakas, nananalig kami na ang aming mga pinangangalagaang SLT ay sumasandig sa pagkamalikhain ng pamayanan, kultural na pagkakakilanlan, at mataas na pagkilala sa sariling pamayanan, pati na rin ng sambayanang Filipino bilang pangkalahatan sa pagpapatibay ng mas malilwanag at mas pinayamang kinabukasan.

Samakatuwid kami, na mga tagapag-ugnay ng SLT, ay idinedeklara ang aming kolektibong pahintulot sa paghirang ng SLT na mapasama sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ng UNESCO.

Isinagawa ngayong ika-18 ng Pebrero, taong 2020 sa Lungsod ng Maynila, Pilipinas.



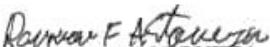
**WENNIE E. QUIEREZ**  
Handicraft- Cultural Master



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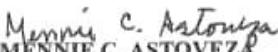
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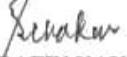
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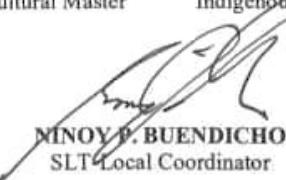
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**SERAFIN NAKAR**  
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**NINO V. BUENDICHO**  
SLT Local Coordinator

## DEKLARASYON NG PAHINTULOT

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- Aktibong makibahagi sa pagpapayaman ng mga umiiral na pagkakakitaan sa pamayanang na nakaugat sa kultura at nakatutulong sa pangangalaga at pagpapaunlad ng lokal na kaalaman at elemento ng buhay na dunong.

Naninindigan kami, na bilang mga di-pormal na tagapagpadaloy ng edukasyon, ang mga pinahusay na SLT ay nagpapatupad ng mga integratibong lapit na sumasaklaw sa pananaliksik at dokumentasyon ng mga makabuluhang elemento ng mga buhay na dunong ng mga pamayanang at ang mga naaayong hakbang para sa pangangalaga, pagtatanggol, pagpapaunlad, pagpapahuasay, pati na ang pagpapayabong ng mga elementong ito;

Ipinagmamalaki namin na sa paglipas ng taon, ang mga SLT ay nakatutulong sa pagpapasigla ng



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kagustuhan sa mga tradisyunal na aspeto ng kultura sa maraming pamayanan, at naging mabisang kasangkapan sa kultural na kamalayan, pangangalaga ng mga pamanang kultural, at panlipunang pagkakaisa.

Bilang wakas, nananalig kami na ang aming mga pinangangalagaang SLT ay sumasandig sa pagkamalikhain ng pamayanan, kultural na pagkakakilanlan, at mataas na pagkilala sa sariling pamayanan, pati na rin ng sambayanang Filipino bilang pangkalahatan sa pagpapatibay ng mas maliwanag at mas pinayamang kinabukasan.

Samakatuwid kami, na mga tagapag-ugnay ng SLT, ay idinedeklara ang aming kolektibong pahintulot sa paghirang ng SLT na mapasama sa Register of Good Safeguarding Practices ng UNESCO.

Isinagawa ngayong ika-18 ng Pebrero, taong 2020 sa Lungsod ng Maynila, Pilipinas.



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(English)

## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

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We affirm that richness of the Philippines lies in the diversity of the more than one hundred and fifty ethno-linguistic groups that exist all over the country in the country, possessing their own arts, crafts, treasury of knowledge and stories, practices, languages, traditions, wisdom and intangible cultural heritage;

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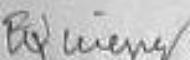
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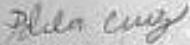
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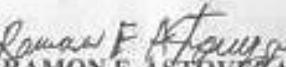
**Therefore We**, the SLT Coordinators, declare our collective consent to nominate the SLT to be included in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of the UNESCO.

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020 in the Province of Quezon, Philippines.

  
WENNIE E. QUIEREZ  
Handicraft- Cultural Master

  
LORENZO F. RUTAQIUO  
Handicraft- Cultural Master

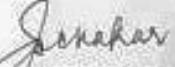
  
PIÑA P. DELA CRUZ  
Handicraft- Cultural Master

  
RAMON F. ASTOVEZA  
Indigenous Fishing- Cultural Master

  
ARLYN D. ASTOVEZA  
Indigenous Accessories- Cultural Master

  
LARRY C. RUTAQIUO  
Indigenous Fishing- Cultural Master

  
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SLT-Local Coordinator



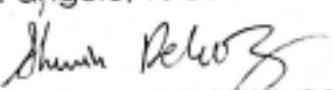
## S E R T I P I K A S Y O N

Ang Pamunuan ng TUCDUAN at mga Matatanda ng Barangay sa Cuyambay ay ibinibigay ang pagsang-ayon sa National Commission for the Culture and the Arts (NCCA) na maging bahagi ang School of Living Tradition Rizal sa paglahok nito sa UNESCO bilang itala ang SLT na isang epektibong pamamaraan upang mapangalagaan at maipagpatuloy ang Intangible Cultural Heritage (ICH).

Ipinagkaloob, pinagtibay at nilagdaan ngayong ika-29 ng Pebrero, 2020 sa Barangay Cuyambay Tanay, Rizal.

Pinagtibay nina:

  
ELEONOR V. ATENCIO  
Pangulo, TUCDUAN

  
KGG. SHERWIN DS. DELA CRUZ  
IPMR, Brgy. Cuyambay

(English)

## CERTIFICATION

The Leaders of TUCDUAN and the Elders of Barangay Cuyambay give their agreement to the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) to be part of the School of Living Traditions Rizal in its endeavour to nominate the SLT to the UNESCO Register of Good Safeguarding Practices for Intangible Cultural Heritage (ICH).

Given, approved and signed on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020, at Barangay Cuyambay, Tanay, Rizal.

AA. SLT SOUTH COTABATO

(Tboli with English translation)

**LETTER OF CONSENT**

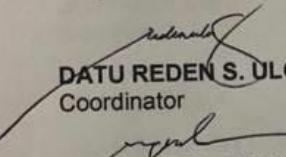
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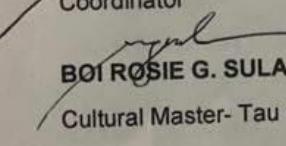
We the coordinators of School of Living Traditions (SLT) will whole heartedly express that T'boli SLT is the one way in safeguarding, preserving and protecting the Indigenous people's culture. Anent to this, we giving permission that SLT will be included in the lists.

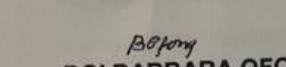
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Yo gom mon du ni fenma me.

  
**DATU REDEN S. ULO**  
Coordinator

  
**BOI ROSIE G. SULA**  
Cultural Master- Tau temolok

  
**BOI BARBARA OFONG**  
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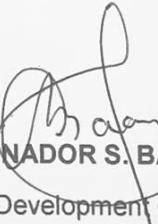


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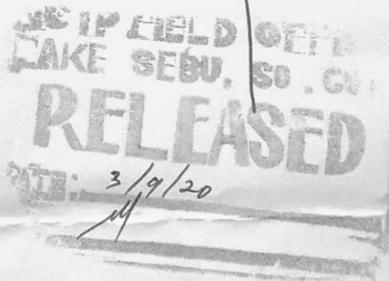
**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

I strongly recommend School of Living Tradition "Gono Menagi Kem Kenhulung Tebel Ifuy of Tboli Ethno- Liquistic Group, Poblacion Lake Sebu, South Cotabato to UNESCO for any privileges and benefits of the Community and Cultural Masters involve therein.

Thank so much.

  
**DOMINADOR S. BAAY**

Community Development Officer - III

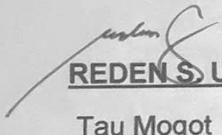


Kami, bilang mga tagapag-ugnay sa SLT( School of Living Traditions), ay ibinibigay ang aming buong pusong pagpapahayag na maitala ang SLT bilang isang mabuting pamamaraan ng pangangalaga ng buhay na dunong ng katutubong kasanayan. Dahil dito, kami ay malayang lumagda upang mapagtibay ang aming pahintulot.

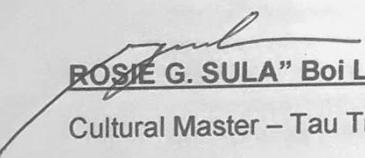
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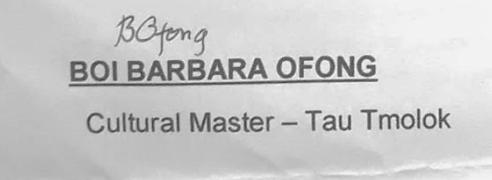
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REDEN S. ULO

Tau Mogot du

  
ROSLIE G. SULA "Boi Lmingon"

Cultural Master – Tau Tmolok

  
BOI BARBARA OFONG

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BB. SLT ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR

(Subanen language)

Hephepayag di Hegbwang

Dahus heggipat di gbetad yami helon shahop di nga Guhom Subanen di dlusod di Danaw (Lakewood) phipayag nami su nga galebek nami di gbawag ditu hegabang nami di phengeddian Subanen su tinalo Phengeddian di peggitubo gbetad ( Schools for the Living Traditions) hini selabok dalan metukma ditu meggendun hepatapas dahus gawid nu nga Subanen di thibuk Phulo Samboangan (Zamboanga Peninsula). Hini megbigay dlaga di thindeg nami yam inga Subanen.

Su nga galebek di sheled phengeddian phethentulo di nga gbegombata nami di nga gbingwasan shunan, phendayan dahus khetau peggwiran nu nga Subanen genat pa tegana sampay nandaw.

Nandaw hini helimandaw(5) di gbulan khulan (March) 2020, mishelabok hamí dahus binwang nami marun perangat nami di UNESCO su SLT Subanen meruma di mipili galebek di heggipat di nga peggitubo phendayan nu helon getaw gbetad di heggipat di phusaha gbetad.

Shakhasi:

*Tomanding*  
TIMUAY LUHES TOMANDING B. UNGANG  
Poblacion, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

*Eduardo T. Bualan*  
DATU SHAHAMPOONG EDUARDO T. BUALAN  
Poblacion, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

*Anita D. Tumbao*  
TIMUAY DLIBON ANITA D. TUMBAAO  
Poblacion, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

*Mangilay*  
TOMANGGONG NIÑDA M. MANGILAY  
Poblacion, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

*Nacito G. Liganan*  
TIMUAY LANGHAP NACITO G. LIGANAN  
Duminata, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

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*Mering Liganan*  
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*Luis Abanan*  
TIMUAY LUIS ABANAN  
Baking, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

*Jose Bantaray*  
TIMUAY JOSE BANTARAY  
Baking, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

*Luis Bayong*  
TIMUAY LUIS BAYONG  
Baking, Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur

(English)

### DECLARATION OF CONSENT

We, the recognized Timuay, Balyan and other members of the Subanen communities of Lakewood, Zamboanga del Sur, hereby declare to: support the Schools for the Living Tradition (SLT), a program that transmit the indigenous knowledge system and practices to the young subanens in the community, as a tool of the preservation and protection of the living heritage of the Subanen, like the *Buklog*.

Whereas, the *Buklog* is considered by us as the most esteemed and elaborate socio-religious ceremony of all indigenous Subanen living within the Zamboanga Peninsula in order to appease the Dwata Magbabaya, our Supreme God of all Creation;

Whereas, the activities inside the school make sure to transfer the skills of the cultural masters like indigenous handicraft making, arts in music and dances and traditional farming system.

WE THEREFORE DECLARE our collective consent and support to nominate the Schools for the living tradition to UNESCO's List of best practice in Safeguarding and promoting the Intangible Cultural Heritage.

Done this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020 in the Municipality of Lakewood.

AFFIRMED BY:

NAME	POSITION	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
TOMANDING B. UNGANG	TIMUAY LUHES	POBLACION LAKEWOOD,ZDS	<i>Ungang</i>
EDUARDO T. BUALAN	DATU SHAHAMPONG/IPMR	POBLACION, LAKEWOOD,ZDS	<i>E.T.B.</i>
NACITO G. LIGANAN	BALIAN/ TIMUAY LANGHAP	SETIO DUMINATA BRGY BISWANGAN,	<i>R. G. L.</i>
GAWASEN BALIBIS	BALIAN/ TIMUAY LANGHAP	SETIO LANAYAN, BRGY GASAS	<i>G. W.</i>
ANITA D. TUMBAAO	TIMUAY DLIBON	POBLACION LAKEWOOD	<i>J. A.</i>
NILDA M. MANGILAY	TUMANGGONG/ CULTURAL MASTER	POBLACION LAKEWOOD	<i>N. M. M.</i>
MERING LIGANAN	TIMUAY	SETIO DUMINATA, BRGY BISWANGAN	<i>M. L.</i>
LAURITO LIGANAN	TIMUAY	SETIOO DUMINATA	<i>L. L.</i>
JOSE BANTARAY	TIMUAY	BRGY BAKING	<i>S. B.</i>
LUIS ABANAN	TIMUAY	BRGY BAKING	<i>L. A.</i>
ALFREDO HALIUS	PANGULIMA	BRGY BAKING	<i>A. H.</i>

**DURING THE DECLARATION CONSENT OF NCIP, LGU AND TRIBAL LEADERS**



## CC. CONSENT OF SLT LOCAL COORDINATORS

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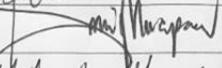
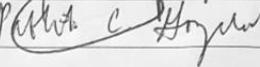
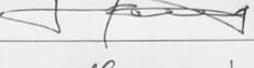
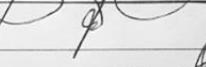
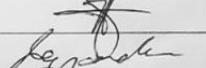
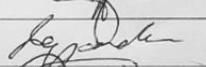
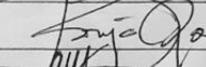
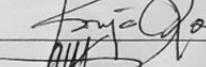
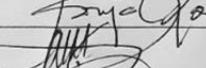
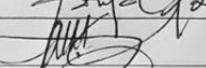
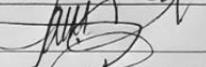
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Lastly, we affirm our willingness to cooperate in the dissemination of the SLT Program as good safeguarding practice to the local, national, regional, and international communities.

**Therefore we**, the SLT Coordinators, declare our collective consent to nominate the Schools of Living Traditions (SLTs) in the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of UNESCO.

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2020 in the City of Manila, Philippines.

NAME OF LOCAL COORDINATOR	NAME OF SLT	SIGNATURE
JORDAN TIANGGE	SLT-Benguet	
PATRICK LACHICA	SLT-Aklan	
CALVIN CASA	SLT-Casa	
PABLITO GONZALES	SLT-Negros Occidental	
REYNALDO MONREAL	SLT-Bohol	
LUCIANA RICO	SLT-Agusan del Sur	
REDEN ULO	SLT-South Cotabato	
JINELYN II CAWA	SLT-Davao Occidental	
AMMALUN SALAHUDDIN	SLT-Basilan	
LUIS AGAID, JR.	SLT-Abra	
NORMAN BAGUINGAN	SLT-Mt. Province	
REBECCA SILIP	SLT-Kalinga	
RANDY VILLARAMA	SLT-Bulacan	
NORMA CHAVEZ	SLT-Capiz	
DELIA PAUDEN	SLT-Antique	
EDIO DOMINO	SLT-Palawan	
SONJA GARCIA	SLT-Davao City	
ANGELITO OMOS	SLT- Davao del Norte	
BRENDO PANTAON	SLT-Bukidnon	
ANITA TUMBAAO	SLT-Zamboanga del Sur	
ELEONOR ATENCIO	SLT-Rizal	
EVEM GANILA	SLT- Guimaras	
ALJEN AQUILINO	SLT- Davao Oriental	
JULIUS PANER	SLT- Davao del Sur	
BRIGIDO LACARAN	SLT-North Cotabato	

DD. Endorsement of Non-Timber Forest Products- exchange program Philippines (NTFP-EP)



**ENDORSEMENT**

Whereas, the Non-Timber Forest Products – Exchange Programme Philippines (NTFP-EP), a partner of the National Commission for Culture and the Arts and the School of Living Traditions (SLT), submit this endorsement for the nomination of the SLT program to UNESCO's Register of Good Safeguarding Practices.

Whereas, during the course of our organization's project monitoring, the SLTs have displayed unique and successful cultural heritage safeguarding strategies which are specifically applicable to their community.

Whereas, our organization believes that imparting the knowledge, methods, and approaches which were developed by the SLTs through an official nomination into the Register would be an advantageous step towards heritage safeguarding in the Philippines.

Whereas, as an affiliated organization, the NTFP-EP is willing to assist in the dissemination of information pertaining to the SLT project as a good safeguarding practice for cultural protection.

Now therefore, be it resolved that the Non-Timber Forest Products – Exchange Programme Philippines wishes to confirm its consent and endorsement for the nomination of the SLT Program to the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices.

Given this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March 2020.

*Ruth P. Canlas*  
**RUTH P. CANLAS**  
Executive Director