



**Executive Order No. 03  
Series 2010**

**CREATING TASK FORCE PAGBAG-O AS A FACT-FINDING BODY TO PROBE THE ALLEGED MISMANAGEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS, TRANSACTIONS, OPERATIONS OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION OF FORMER MAYOR VICENTE B. BERMEJO.**

WHEREAS, The 1987 Constitution on Local Governance explicitly provides that any officer of the Local Government Unit whose duty permits or requires the possession or custody of local government funds shall be accountable and responsible for the safekeeping thereof. Other local officials who, though not accountable by the nature of their duties, may likewise be similarly held accountable and responsible for local government funds through their participation in the use or application thereof;

WHEREAS, In order to put closure on all issues, resolve what has been thought to be unresolved and to put all these questions to rest concerning the alleged abuses in the fiscal administration of the City Government by the previous administration and to render justice to the people of Roxas and to all other affected individuals, so that the transition of the present administration will smoothly run its own course;

WHEREAS, to achieve the foregoing, the creation of an effective and independent mechanism to act as fact-finding body tasked to gather facts, data and evidences and to recommend the filing of appropriate charges, is necessary;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ANGEL ALAN B. CELINO, Mayor of Roxas City, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby create task force Pagbag-o to probe the alleged mismanagement of financial affairs, transactions, operations of the City Government under the administration of former Mayor Vicente B. Bermejo.

**SECTION I - COMPOSITION**

- Chairman - Hon. Julius Abella, Chairman, Committee on Good Government
- Members - Hon. Gilbert Tan, Acting City Administrator
- Atty. Luvim D. Amores – Acting City Legal Officer
- Engr. Ardieli A. Ambrosio - City Engineer
- Gilda F. Fernando - City Budget Officer
- Teresita T. Bidiones - City Accountant
- Atty. Faustino Roxas – Consultant

## **SECTION II - DUTIES OF THE TASK FORCE PAGBAG-O**

The Duties of the Task Force Pagbag-o shall be the following:

1. Conduct an investigation on transactions under the administration of the former Mayor Vicente B. Bermejo alleged to be clothed with irregularities.
2. Collect data, evidences and proofs relative to the foregoing transactions;
3. Recommend the filing of appropriate charges, should the same be necessary.

## **SECTION III – EFFECTIVITY**

This order shall take effect immediately.

Done this \_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010 in Roxas City, Capiz, Philippines.

**HON. ANGEL ALAN B. CELINO**  
Mayor