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**FURTHER REORGANIZING THE GENDER FOCAL POINT SYSTEM (GFPS)
OF LOS BAÑOS**

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 14 of the 1987 Constitution states that "the State recognizes the role of women in nation building, and shall ensure the fundamental equality before the law of women and men";

WHEREAS, Article XIII, Section 14 of the Constitution further provides that "the State shall protect working women by providing safe and healthy working conditions, taking into account their maternal functions, such facilities and opportunities that will enhance their welfare and enable them to realize their full potential in the service of the nation";

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7192 otherwise known as the Woman in Development and National Building Act directs all government agencies to institute measures that would eliminate gender bias in government policies, programs and projects and to ensure that women are given the means to participate fully in development and nation building;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7160 known as the Local Government Code of 1991 also puts emphasis on the role of women in community development through the inclusion of women representation in local policy making bodies;

WHEREAS, Municipal Ordinance No. 2016-1551 dated August 22, 2016 entitled "A New Ordinance for the Creation, Strengthening and Institutionalization of the Gender and Development (GAD) System" was enacted for the Municipality of Los Baños;

NOW THEREFORE, I, CAESAR P. PEREZ, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Los Baños, Province of Laguna, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law do hereby order the following:

Section 1. ORGANIZATION. The GAD Council shall now be named Gender Focal Point System (GFPS) and is hereby further reorganized.

Section 2. COMPOSITION. The reorganized (GFPS) shall be composed of the following :

Chairperson	:	Hon. Caesar P. Perez Mayor
Vice Chairperson	:	Hon. Josephine H. Sumangil-Evangelista SB Member Committee Chair on Women & Family
Members	:	Hon. Janos S. Lapiz President, Liga ng mga Barangay