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

FIFTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

(Second Regular Session)

MUSLIM MINDANAO AUTONOMY ACT NO. 205

Begun and held in Cotabato City, on Monday, the 30th day of October, two thousand six.

AN ACT CREATING THE MUNICIPALITY OF MANGUDADATU IN THE PROVINCE OF MAGUINDANAO, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Regional Assembly in session assembled:

Section 1. - Barangays Talitay, Tumbao, Panapan, Paitan, Tinambulan, Luayan, Tenok, Kakal, Saidan in the municipality of Buluan are hereby separated from said Municipality and constituted into an independent municipality to be known as the Municipality of Mangudadatu, which is hereby created.

The seat of goverment of the new municipality shall be Barangay Tumbao, which shall also be known hereafter as the Poblacion.

Sec. 2. - The territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Mangudadatu shall be bounded as follows:

LINE	BEARINGS	DISTANCE
1 –2	S 24' - 50 E	7, 938.41 M.
3	N 86' – 54 W	13, 423.24 M.
4	S 18' – 56 W	11, 381.55 M.
5	N 36' – 40 W	9, 388. 95 M.
6	N 13' – 30 E	2, 571. 04 M.
7	N 66' – 30 E	2, 507. 99 M.
8	N 14' – 02 E	2, 061. 55 M.
9	DUE EAST	1, 650. 00 M.
10	S 24' – 37 W	2, 200. 00 M.
11	S 06' – 38 W	4, 328. 87 M.
12	S 78' – 40 E	2, 549. 51 M.

13	N 24' – 37 W	6, 041. 52 M.
14	DUE EAST	7, 800. 00 M.
15	N 27' – 46 W	4, 294. 18 M.
16	N 69' – 38 W	3, 200. 00 M.
17	N 17' – 47 W	3, 600. 00 M.
18	S 78' – 27 – 22 – 48 W	5, 205. 03 M.
18-1	S 65' – 36 E	4, 323. 27 M.

Sec. 3. Within sixty (60) days after ratification by the majority of the votes cast in the plebiscite supervised and conducted by the Commission on Elections in the affected area of the Municipality of Buluan for the purpose within a period of ninety (90) days after the approval of this Act. The Regional Governor shall appoint the mayor and other officials to hold elective positions in the new Municipality of Mangudadatu until their successors shall have been elected and qualified.

Sec. 4. - The new Municipality shall acquire corporate existences upon the appointment and qualification of the first mayor and the majority of the members of the Sangguniang Bayan.

Sec. 5. - The ARMM Local Government Code shall govern the local administration in the Municipality. The pertinent provisions of R.A. 7160 shall however apply when necessary as suppletory to this Act.

Sec. 6. - The new municipality shall be entitled to an equitable share of the assets and properties and shall share in the liabilities of the original municipality at the time of its seperation.

Sec. 7. - The expenses in holding the plebescite provided in this Act shall be taken out of any available funds of the municipality of Buluan and the province of Maguindanao.

Sec. 8. - Any provision or part of this Act is separable but other provisions or parts hereof that are not affected thereby shall remain valid and legal.

Sec. 9. - All laws, executive orders, rules and regulations, or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Sec. 10. - This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED.

PAISALIN P. TAGO Speaker

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This Act was passed by the Regional Assembly on November 22, 2006.

DATU MAMA M. AMPATUAN Secretary-General

APPROVED:

DATU ZALDY PUTI UY AMPATUAN Regional Governor Date: _____

Republic of the Philippines Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao **REGIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Cotabato City

November 23, 2006

HON. DATU ZALDY PUTI UY AMPATUAN

Regional Governor Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao Cotabato City

Sír:

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 17 of Republic Act No. 9054, I have the honor to forward the herewith attached copy of \mathcal{RLA} \mathcal{BUU} No. 52, which was passed by the Regional Assembly, Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao during its regular session on November 22, 2006, entitled:

"AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ENGINEERING DISTRICT IN THE PROVINCE OF MAGUINDANAO, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

for His Honor's appropriate action.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

DATU MAMA M. AMPATUAN Secretary-General