



**RMDC RESOLUTION NO. 5, SERIES OF 2019**

**ADOPTING THE REGIONAL GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (RGAD-TWG) RESOLUTION NO. 1, SERIES OF 2019**

**WHEREAS**, the Regional Management and Development Conference (RMDC) as a policy making body of the DSWD Field Office 1 addresses or resolves issues and concerns encountered by the different Divisions/Units/Sections/Centers/Institution/RPMOs/POOs;

**WHEREAS**, the Policy Development and Planning Section (PDPS) is the designated Gender and Development Technical Working Group (RGAD-TWG) Secretariat at the Regional level;

**WHEREAS**, it was proposed during the RMDC to also adopt the RGAD-TWG Resolution No. 1, Series of 2019 or the Institutionalization of the Gender and Development (GAD) Corner as Part of the Knowledge Corner of DSWD FO 1, Centers and Institution, RPMOs, and POOs;

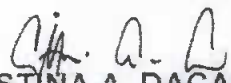
**WHEREAS**, the RGAD-TWG Resolution was formulated based on Administrative Order No. 05, series of 2012, and 15, series of 2018 or the "DSWD Guidelines on Gender and Development (GAD) Mainstreaming" in compliance to Section 36 of the Magna Carta of Women, Republic Act 7192 or Women in Development and Nation Building Act, and Executive Order No. 273, series of 1995 or the Philippine Plan for Gender-Responsive Development, 1995-2025;

**WHEREAS**, a motion was raised to approve the Resolution which was unanimously seconded by the body.


**NOW THEREFORE AND IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING PREMISES, BE IT RESOLVE AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the adoption of RMDC Resolution No. 5, Series of 2019.

APPROVED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 2019 at the City of San Fernando, La Union.

**CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:**

  
**CRISTINA A. DACANAY**  
Head Secretariat, RMDC

**ATTESTED:**

  
**MARCELO NICOMEDES J. CASTILLO**  
Regional Director, DSWD FO 1  
Chairperson, RMDC – DSWD FO 1

  
**LUQUILA D. GALVEZ**  
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**REGIONAL GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (RGAD-TWG)  
RESOLUTION NO. 1, SERIES OF 2019**

**RECOMMENDING THE INSTITUTIONALIZATION OF THE GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT  
(GAD) CORNER AS PART OF THE KNOWLEDGE CORNER OF DSWD FO 1, CENTERS  
AND INSTITUTION, RPMOs, AND POOs**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 9710, otherwise known as the Magna Carta of Women (MCW) defines Gender Mainstreaming as the strategy for making women's as well as men's concerns and experience an integral dimension of the design, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of policies, programs, and projects in all social, political, civil, and economic spheres so that women and men benefit equally. It is the process of assessing the implication for women and men of any planned action, including legislation, policies or programs in all areas and at all levels;

**WHEREAS**, the DSWD issued Administrative Order No. 05, series of 2012 and 15, series of 2018 or the "DSWD Guidelines on Gender and Development (GAD) Mainstreaming" in compliance to Section 36 of the Magna Carta of Women, Republic Act 7192 or Women in Development and Nation Building Act, and Executive Order No. 273 or the Philippine Plan for Gender-Responsive Development, 1995-2025 to ensure that gender are mainstreamed in all policies, plans, programs, infrastructures, protocols, budget, and human resources;

**WHEREAS**, DSWD shall adopt gender mainstreaming as a strategy to promote human rights and eliminate gender discrimination in their systems, structures, policies, programs, processes, and procedures;

**WHEREAS**, the Regional Gender and Development Technical Working Group as the lead in Gender Mainstreaming in the agency has proposed during its RGAD-TWG 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Meeting to institutionalize the Gender and Development Corner as part of the Knowledge Corner of all DSWD Regional Knowledge Corner, Centers and Institution, RPMOs, and POOs;

**WHEREFORE**, upon the recommendation of the RGAD-TWG members, the proposal was unanimously seconded;


**BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is **HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Institutionalization of the Gender and Development Corner as part of the Knowledge Corner of all DSWD Regional Knowledge Corner, Centers and Institution, RPMOs, and POOs be approved;


**RESOLVED FURTHER**, the Institutionalization of the Gender and Development Corner; shall be observed;

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that PDPS shall be responsible in the dissemination of this guidance to all concerned divisions/sections/units, centers and institution;

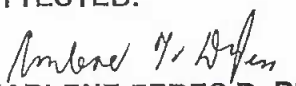
**APPROVED**, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 2019 at the DSWD Field Office 1, City of San Fernando, La Union.

**CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:**

  
**ANNIELY J. FERRER**  
SWO V/Chief, PPD  
RGAD-TWG Vice – Chairperson

  
**LUCILA D. GALVEZ**  
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**ATTESTED:**

  
**MARLENE FEBES D. PERALTA**  
ARD for Operations  
Chairperson, RGAD - TWG