.n.b. – mayor of loay wrote she did not impose such requirement. Letter filed under feb 2011 folder

BASIC : LETTER DATED JANUARY 24, 2011, FROM PUNONG BARANGAY ROGERIO G. GANZON OF UBOS, LOAY, BOHOL

2nd Indorsement January 28, 2011

Respectfully returned to Ms. Rustica N. Mascariñas, Provincial Director, DILG Bohol Provincial Office, the herein basic communication from Punong Barangay Rogerio G. Ganzon of Ubos, Loay, Bohol requesting legal opinion on whether the signature of the Mayor noting the appointment of the Barangay Secretary and Barangay Treasurer is required to be effective and for transacting business particularly the barangay's depository bank.

It is our considered view that such signature of the Mayor is not required by law. Let it be stressed that under the Local Government Code of 1991, the authority to appoint the barangay secretary, barangay treasurer, tanods and other barangay officials and employees is vested with the Punong Barangay. What is required by law for the appointments issued by the Punong Barangay to become complete and effective is the concurrence of the majority of all the members of the sangguniang barangay.

PEDRO A. NOVAL, JR. Regional Director

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