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Manila

BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE

Resolution No. 03_ Series of 2004 NIDA G. MARIANO
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ACCREDITATION OF THE UNITED ARCHITECTS OF THE PHILIPPINES, INC. (UAP) AS THE INTEGRATED AND ACCREDITED PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION OF ARCHITECTS (IAPOA)

WHEREAS, Section 40, Article V of Republic Act No. 9266, known as the "The Architecture Act of 2004", states, to wit:

"Section 40. Integration of the Architecture Profession. - The Architecture profession shall be integrated into one (1) national organization which shall be accredited by the Board, subject to the approval by the Commission, as the integrated and accredited professional organization of architects: Provided, however, That such an organization shall be registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission, as a non-profit, non-stock corporation to be governed by by-laws providing for a democratic election of its officials. An architect duly registered with the Board, shall automatically become a member of the integrated and accredited professional organization of architects and shall receive the benefits and privileges provided for in this Act upon payment of the required fees and dues. Membership in the integrated and accredited professional organization of architects shall not be a bar to membership in other associations of architects" (Underscoring supplied)

WHEREAS, on 19 May 2004, the United Architects of the Philippines, Inc. (UAP) submitted its Petition for Accreditation as the Integrated and Accredited Professional Organization of Architects (IAPOA) with the Board;

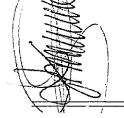
WHEREAS, an evaluation of the corporate papers of the UAP shows that it is a non-stock, non-profit corporation governed by by-laws providing for a democratic election of its officials;

WHEREAS, the hereunder considerations, standards, and factors are being invoked by UAP in support of the Petition thereof:

- 1. The UAP is the largest organization of architects in the Philippines with membership of more than 12,700 architects comprising more than 75% of all registered and licensed architects in the country;
- 2. The UAP is a member of international and regional organizations of architects such as Union Internationale des Architectes (UIA), Architects Regional Council Asia (ARCASIA), and Eastern Regional Organization for Planning and Housing (EAROPH);
- 3. The UAP was adjudged the Most Outstanding Professional Organization in 2002 by the Professional Regulation Commission;

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- The petition for accreditation of UAP as the IAPOA is duly supported by three (3) other organizations of architects, namely: the Philippine Institute of Architects (PIA), the Architecture Advocacy International Foundation, Inc. (AAIF), and the Council of Consulting Architects and Planners of the Philippines (CCAPP);
- WHEREAS, the foregoing clearly indicates that the integration of the Architecture profession as mandated by Republic Act No. 9266 will be better served by the accreditation of the UAP as the Integrated and Accredited Professional Organization of Architects (IAFOA); and
- WHEREAS, UAP's documents and papers in support of the Petition thereof are in order, since they are in accordance with the PRC Res. No. 2004-178, Series of 2004 and other pertinent issuances or policies.
- NOW, THEREFORE, By virtue of Rule 2 of Res. No. 2004-178, Series of 2004, the Board hereby resolved as it is now resolves to grant, subject to approval by the Commission, the United Architects of the Philippines, Inc's., (UAP) Petition for Accreditation as the Integrated and Accredited Professional Organization of Architects (IAPOA), and, accordingly, to issue thereto the Certificate of Accreditation signed by the Chairman and Members of the Beard and the Chairperson of the Commission with this No. ______ dated upon payment of the prescribed fee therefor.

FURTHER RESOLVED, as the IAPOA, the UAP is enjoined:

- To encourage registered and licensed architects who are not yet members of the UAP to join the said organization and be integrated into this IAPOA.
- 2. To insure the accomplishment of the purposes, duties, and responsibilities prescribed in R. A. No. 8981 and R.A. No. 9266 and their IRRs and the Constitution and By-laws of the UAP.
- To keep and make up-to-date its roster/roll of members.
- 4. To charge and collect reasonable tees from its members and to provide them the benefits and privileges they are entitled to, pursuant to the Constitution and By-laws of the UAP.
- 5. To motivate the members to undergo the Continuing Professional Education (CPE) Programs.
- 6. To comply with the relevant Rules in Res. No. 2004-178, Series of 2004.

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Done in the City of Manila, this 23rd day of June, 2004.

Chairman

Member

ATTESTED TO:

CARLOS G. ALMELOR

Secretary, Professional Regulatory Boards

APPROVED:

ANTONIETA FORTUNA-IBE

Chairperson

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Commissioner

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