

The Effects of the Implementation of the Local Government Code of 1991 to Selected Local Services Rendered by the Municipality of Dasmarinas, Cavite (1992-1995)

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ABSTRACT

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OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY:

A. GENERAL:

To know the effects of the implementation of the Local Government Code of 1991 to selected local services rendered by the municipality of Dasmariñas, Cavite. (1992-1995).

B. OBJECTIVES:

- To determine the manner in which the social and environmental 1. services affected by the implementation of the 1991 Local Government Code?
- To determine which of them benefited from the implementation 2. of the 1991 Local Government Code?
- To determine the differences in the local services before and 3. after the implementation of the 1991 Local Government Code in terms of:



- 3.1 Budget Allocation
- 3.2 Organizational Structure
- To determine what happened to the efficiency to the social and environmental services after the implementation of the 1991 Local Government Code?
 - 4.1 As viewed by selected barangay captains
 - 4.2 As viewed by selected government employees

SCOPE AND COVERAGE:

The researcher focused the study on the effects of the implementation of the Local Government Code of 1991 to selected local services rendered by the Municipality of Dasmariñas, Cavite.

METHODOLOGY:

The researcher employed the descriptive method. The respondents of the study were the selected barangay captains and government employees of the Municipality of Dasmariñas, Cavite. The study used questionnaires and interview to gather data. The statistical treatment used was the arithmetic mean and percentile.

MAJOR FINDINGS:

The findings of the study revealed that there was practically a great change in organizational structure after the implementation of the Local Government Code of 1991, There were also great changes as to their budgets, which increased after the The Municipal Government funds were not dependent on the implementation. Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) alone, but it constituted 60 percent of their overall



allocated depending on the demands and needs. The study also revealed that after the implementation of the 1991 Local Government Code, the services improved and the budget for their programs and projects increased. It also showed that after the implementation of the 1991 Local Government Code, the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) increased up to 40 %.

CONCLUSIONS:

The implementation of the Local Government Code had an effect on the selected local services rendered by the Municipality of Dasmariñas. The local services were affected by the implementation of the 1991 Local Government code, specifically the budget. Local services improved from 1992-1995. The effects of the implementation of the Local Government Code were positive. The devolution of powers and authority upon the various Local Government Units from the National Government proved more effective than decentralization or transfer of basic powers from national to local government to allow more participation.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The researcher recommended the following:

- The National Government should further increase the Internal Revenue 1. Allotment (IRA) for the programs and projects of the Local Government Units, and for the Local Government to allocate the budget in a more orderly way.
- Although all of the selected local services improved, the Government 2. should further give attention to the greater improvement on educational services, especially with the educational standards, facilities and aids.



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- 3. Barangay Captains should not depend only on the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) but should conduct campaigns and projects like "fund raising" for better efficiency of the services rendered. They should also continue rendering free health programs and establish other projects for the improvement of their units and facilities for their respective barangays.



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