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TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
 Chief Education Supervisor, SGOD and CID
 School Heads in Public and Private Schools
 All Others Concerned

FROM: VICTORIA V. GAZO
 Schools Division Superintendent

DATE: September 24, 2021

SUBJECT: **DISSEMINATION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 154, S. 2021 RE: AN ORDER IMPLEMENTING COMMUNITY QUARANTINE PROTOCOLS AND GUIDELINES IN THE CITY OF MALAYBALAY WHILE UNDER THE GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (GCQ) WITH HEIGHTENED RESTRICTIONS CLASSIFICATION FOR THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER 15 - 30, 2021**

The field is hereby informed of the Executive Order No. 154, s. 2021 re: An Order Implementing Community Quarantine Protocols and Guidelines in the City of Malaybalay while Under the General Community Quarantine (GCQ) with Heightened Restrictions Classification for the Period September 15 to 30, 2021.

For information.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 154
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AN ORDER IMPLEMENTING COMMUNITY QUARANTINE PROTOCOLS AND GUIDELINES IN THE CITY OF MALAYBALAY WHILE UNDER THE GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (GCQ) WITH HEIGHTENED RESTRICTIONS CLASSIFICATION FOR THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER 15 TO 30, 2021

Whereas, Region 10 Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (R10 IATF-MEID) has concurred with the Bukidnon Provincial COVID-19 Task Force Resolution No. 2045, s. 2021, s. 2021, to extend the **General Community Quarantine with Heightened Restrictions** classification of the City of Malaybalay, Province of Bukidnon for the period September 1 to 15, 2021;

Whereas, there is a need to issue an Executive Order for the proper implementation by the concerned offices and for the guidance of the general public of the new health protocols and guidelines;

NOW THEREFORE, I, FLORENCIO T. FLORES, JR., City Mayor of the City of Malaybalay, Bukidnon, by the power vested in me by law, do hereby ORDER the adoption and strict implementation of the following health and quarantine protocols and guidelines in the City of Malaybalay, to wit:

1. MINIMUM PUBLIC HEALTH STANDARDS

- a.) Mandatory proper wearing of face masks shall be observed at all times when outside the residence, except when eating and drinking;
- b.) Physical distancing of at least one (1) meter from another person at all times when in public places/ offices and business/ commercial establishments and offices;
- c.) Frequent hand washing/ sanitation and provision of hand washing facilities in public, private and business/ commercial offices and establishments;

2. HOME QUARANTINE AND USE OF HOME QUARANTINE PASS. The movement of all persons shall be limited to accessing goods and services from permitted establishments, for work in such establishments, or for such other activities allowed to operate under GCQ.

Any person below eighteen (18) years old, those who are over sixty-five (65) years of age, those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women shall be required to remain in their residences at all times, except for obtaining essential goods and services, or for work in industries and offices or such other activities permitted under this Order and for emergency cases;

Persons allowed to go outside their residence shall carry with them their Home Quarantine Pass (HQP) to be issued by their respective barangay governments. Only one (1) Home Quarantine Pass shall be issued to qualified individual for each household. However, an alternate qualified person may be designated in the HQP upon evaluation by the Punong Barangay concerned.

The following persons shall not be required to bring HQP under the following circumstances:

- a.) Authorized Persons Outside their Residences (APORs) when performing official functions;

- b.) Employees/ persons who work for offices, businesses and establishments allowed to operate under GCQ classification when reporting to work, provided that they bring company/ employee's IDs/ Certificate of Employment from their employers;
- c.) Persons engaged in outdoor exercises as allowed in this Order;
- d.) Persons on medical / health emergency;
- e.) Non-residents of Malaybalay City, provided that the purpose of their visit herein is for activities/ business allowed in this EO and they present Certification of non-PUM/PUI or complete Vaccination Card from their respective LGUs;
- f.) Persons attending religious services, funerals or interments, provided that the 30% venue capacity is observed;
- g.) Agricultural, farmworkers and other workers with no employment IDs, may present Certification from their respective barangays going to their farms/ place of work;
- h.) Persons with official transactions with government/ private offices whose personal appearance is required thereat.

Pursuant to City Ordinance No. 930 s. 2020, no business establishment located in Malaybalay City shall accommodate, serve or allow entry to persons in their respective establishments without a valid HQP issued by authorized official or entity. Except for frontline (medical and non-medical) personnel, persons listed in A and B above (APORs and employees) shall be required to present HQPs when accessing goods and services. Non-residents of Malaybalay City shall be required to show proof of non-residency (valid ID with residence address) to be allowed access/ entry to business establishments.

Business establishments shall post notices at the entrances of their establishments to inform the public of the HQP requirement.

The Home Quarantine Pass requirement shall subsist even when the City of Malaybalay is under the Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ) classification, unless expressly lifted by the undersigned or his authorized representative.

3. **GATHERINGS.** Gatherings outside of residences shall be **PROHIBITED** except for the purpose of providing health services, government services or humanitarian activities authorized by appropriate government agency. Gatherings at residences with any person outside of one's immediate household shall be likewise **PROHIBITED**.

Religious gatherings and necrological services, wakes, interments and funerals for those who died of causes other than COVID-19 shall be **allowed up to 30%** of the seating or venue capacity only, provided that minimum public health standards shall be observed.

Public and private offices conducting essential gatherings and business establishments catering/ hosting such essential gatherings shall be required to coordinate with the City Government of Malaybalay Incident Management Team (IMT) prior to the holding of the activity.

4. **LIQUOR/ALCOHOL BAN.** A city-wide ban/ prohibition on serving and consumption of alcohol in public places and business establishments is hereby imposed. Selling of alcoholic drinks is allowed, provided that the consumption thereof shall be made within private residences only and subject to limitations on gatherings as prescribed in this Order;

5. **CURFEW HOURS.** Imposition of curfew hours from 10:00 o'clock in the evening up to 4:00 o'clock in the morning the next following day, except for emergency cases, frontliners (medical and non-medical) going to and from their place of work, transients passing through Malaybalay City and returning residents (from outside Malaybalay City);

6. **OUTDOOR NON-CONTACT SPORTS AND EXERCISES.** Non-contact sports and exercises (such as biking, jogging, swimming, shooting, walking, badminton/ lawn tennis, etc.)

are allowed, provided that minimum public health standards are observed and no sharing of equipment is allowed. Age restriction on home quarantine shall NOT be applicable to this provision. Spectators in all non-contact sports and exercises shall be prohibited.

7. **PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS.** The following business establishments shall not be allowed to operate under GCQ:

- a.) Entertainment and leisure venues such as karaoke bars, bars, clubs, billiard halls, and similar places;
- b.) Recreational venues such as internet cafes, billiard halls, amusement arcades and similar venues/ places;
- c.) Amusement parks, *peryas*, recreation places such as playgrounds, playrooms, kiddie rides and the likes;
- d.) Cockfighting and operation of cockpits, lottery and betting shops and other gambling establishments, except as may be authorized by the National IATF or the Office of the President for the purpose of raising revenue for the government;
- e.) Outdoor sport courts or venues for contact sports, scrimmages, games or activities.

All other establishments shall be allowed to operate, subject to fifty percent (50%) capacity of their venues/areas and the observance minimum public health standards.

8. **PUBLIC TRANSPORT.** Public utility vehicles shall be authorized to operate, subject to the fifty percent (50%) of their carrying capacity as required by the LTFRB.

Provided that motorelas shall be allowed only four (4) passengers. Provided, further, that passengers shall be required to wear face shields, in addition to face mask.

9. **PUBLIC AND PRIVATE OFFICES.** All public and private offices are encouraged to adopt alternative work arrangements to, subject to Civil Service Commission and Department of Labor and Employment rules and regulations, respectively.

10. **QUARANTINE CONTROL POINTS.** The COVID-19 quarantine control points in Brgys. Dalwangan, Aglayan and those established by the barangays under EO No. 151, s. 2021, shall be maintained and shall strictly enforce the travel protocols (temperature check, physical distancing of passengers, age restriction, HQPs etc.) prescribed by relevant government authorities.

11. **USE OF CONTACT TRACING APPLICATION/ MEASURES.** Business establishments, such grocery stores, dine-in restaurants, supermarkets, hardware stores, banks, financial institutions and the likes, are required to use the Staysafe.ph application as their contact tracing app. Customers shall be required to scan the Staysafe.ph QR codes upon entering such establishments. In the absence of the Staysafe.ph app, offices and business establishments shall be required to use the manual contact tracing measure as required by the Department of Health and Department of Trade and Industry;

12. **INTERZONAL AND INTRAZONAL MOVEMENT.** The following guidelines shall be observed for interzonal and intrazonal movement of persons and goods:

- a.) All Authorized Persons Outside their Residence (APORs) shall be allowed without restrictions, regardless of the community quarantine classification of the place of their travel origin;
- b.) Repatriated OFWs or returning Overseas Filipinos (OFs) who have been issued a DOH/Bureau of Quarantine certificate shall be granted unhampered and unimpeded passage and entry to Malaybalay City;

- c.) International travellers shall present proof that they have undergone the mandatory 10-day quarantine upon arrival in the Philippines and the result of the Reverse Transcription Polymerase Reaction (RT-PCR) test conducted on them. They shall undergo the remaining four (4)-day home quarantine under strict supervision of the concerned City and Barangay Health employees;
- d.) Non-APOR travellers from outside the Malaybalay City shall be allowed, provided that the purpose of their visit/travel is for work, activity or business allowed under GCQ and they shall be required to present Certification of Non-PUI/ Non-PUM or their Vaccination Cards showing complete full dose the vaccine received;

The Malaybalay City Incident Management Team (IMT), the Malaybalay City Police Station, all Punong Barangays, the Traffic Management Center (TMC) and all concerned offices of the City Government of Malaybalay shall strictly implement the provisions of this Order.

Executive orders, rules and regulations issued by the Office of the President, the Department of Health, the National IATF and other relevant government authorities treating on the same subject matter are deemed incorporated in this Order. Previous orders which are inconsistent herewith are deemed amended or revoked.

This Order shall take effect immediately until sooner revoked or amended.

Issued this 23rd of September 2021 at Malaybalay City, Bukidnon.

FLORENCIO T. FLORES, JR.
City Mayor