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# EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 32 Series of 2020

AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2020-030 AND PROVIDING SUPPLETORY IMPLEMENTING GUIDELINES ON THE IMPOSITION OF MODIFIED GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (MGCQ) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAUANG, LA UNION.

**WHEREAS**, Proclamation 922 placed the entire country under National Health Emergency due to COVID-19 and enjoined all government agencies and local government units to render full assistance and cooperation, and mobilize the necessary resources to undertake critical, urgent and appropriate responses and measures to curtail and eliminate the COVID-19 threat;

**WHEREAS**, President Rodridgo Roa Duterte placed the entire Luzon under Enhanced Community Quarantine by virtue of Proclamation 929 and ordered all local government units down to the barangays to actively and strictly impose directives from the national government;

**WHEREAS**, RA No. 11469 or the Bayanihan to Heal As One Act recognizes the serious threat of the pandemic to the health, safety, security and lives of our countrymen, and the severe disruption of economic activities;

**WHEREAS**, IATF Resolution No. 40 dated May 27, 2020 classified the province of La Union as a low-risk province and placed it under MGCQ or Modified General Community Quarantine until June 15, 2020 without prejudice to the declaration of localized Enhanced Community Quarantine in critical areas;

WHEREAS, the LGU issued Executive Order No. 2020-030 which provided for the "Implementing guidelines on the imposition of MGCQ in the municipality of Bauang, La Union" in consonance with Resolution No. 30, dated April 29, 2020 of the AITF-EID entitled "Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines", AITF-EID Resolution No. 41, Series of 2020 dated May 29, 2020 providing for the gradual opening of salons and barbershops under GCQ and MGCQ areas, subsequent DTI guidelines/clarifications for businesses establishments/activities, Department of Tourism MC No. 2020-002 known as "Community Quarantine Guidelines for Hotel Operations";





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**WHEREAS**, there is a need to amend and provide suppletory implementing guidelines on the implementation MGCQ in the municipality of Bauang, La Union for the period June 1-15, 2020, in the light of AITF Resolution No. 43 dated June 03, 2020 and as a result of discussions of the IATF with identified community sectors and special governing committees;

WHEREAS, the March 18, 2020 Memorandum from the Office of the Executive Secretary directed all Local Government Units and other national agencies including universities and colleges to adopt, coordinate, and implement guidelines which the IATF may issue on the COVID-19 situation, consistent with the respective agency mandates and relevant, laws, rules and regulations;

**WHEREAS**, Section 16 or the General Welfare Clause of the Local Government Code of 1991 gives local government units the authority to exercise powers necessary for efficient and effective governance and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

**WHEREAS**, in consideration of the premises set forth herein, the following implementing guidelines are crafted to guide the public and private sector, and all residents of Bauang, La Union, as to their conduct under Modified General Community Quarantine;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, MENCHIE C. LOMBOY-DE GUZMAN, M.D.**, Municipal Mayor, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

**SECTION 1.** Section 2, paragraph 1 of Executive Order No. 2020-031 is hereby amended as follows, to wit;

"SECTION 2. ON TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS. Any person below twenty-one (21) years, those who are sixty (60) years old and above, those with immunodeficiency, co-morbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women shall be required to remain in their residence at all times, subject to provisions under this order and quarantine guidelines and protocols issued by appropriate government agencies.

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**SECTION 2**. The following sections shall be inserted after Section 18 and succeeding sections re-numbered accordingly, to wit;





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"SECTION 19. AMBULANT VENDORS. Movement of ambulant vendors shall be strictly regulated to safeguard residents from risk of infection from unknown origin and destination of vendors.

Ambulant Vendor (AV) covered under this section shall refer to any person with no specific business address and sells goods/merchandise on foot or by using any type of delivery vehicle, from one place to another.

#### **IMPLEMENTING GUIDELINES:**

- 1. Ambulant Vendors shall be categorized as follows:
  - a. Registered Ambulant Vendors or RAV. Those registered ambulant vendors within the municipality of Bauang, La Union regardless if registered residential address of vendors is within or outside the municipality.
  - b. Marginal Ambulant Vendors or MAV. Those residents of Bauang, La Union whose goods are limited to small-scale, seasonal backyard production or local distribution and sometimes driven by the needs of any emergency or crisis situation, like the COVID-19 pandemic.
- 2. Only RAVs with registered address in the municipality are allowed to operate within the municipality.
- 3. Operation of MAVs shall be limited within their barangays only, subject to regulations by their respective barangays.
- 4. MAV shall register in their barangays for master listing purposes, free of charge during the MGCQ.
- 5. Operation hours for duly registered MAVs and allowed RAVs shall be from 6:00AM to 5:00 PM.
- Strictly observe minimum public health standards like wearing of face mask and appropriate PPEs like gloves specially food handlers.
- 7. RAVs and MAVs shall attend the required Business Health Training prior to operation.
- 8. Food handlers and food-related RAVs and MAVs shall be subject to health and sanitary inspection.





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**SECTION 20. ACTIVITIES & SWIMMING IN BEACHES & INLAND WATERS.** This section covers the conduct of activities and swimming in beaches and inland waters in the municipality of Bauang, La Union.

#### **IMPLEMENTING GUIDELINES:**

- 1. Entrance and exit to beaches shall be regulated as far as possible care of concerned barangay council in cooperation with all stakeholders within the area.
- 2. Swimming hours shall be regulated as follows to avoid untoward incidents brought by the hot weather:

MORNING : 6:00 AM – 10:00 AM AFTERNOON : 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM

- 3. Minimum public health standards including use of face masks shall be strictly observed.
- 4. Cleanliness and sanitation shall be observed at all times. Use duly designated garbage bins. "Basura mo, dala mo."
- 5. Monitoring of swimming guests shall be done by concerned resorts and hotels.
- 6. Monitoring of beach-goers and inland water-goers from outside the municipality shall be done by the barangay thru the use of logbook for purposes of contact tracing.
- 7. All illegal structures along beaches and inland waters shall be cleared in accordance with applicable laws, rules and regulations to ensure sanitation & order within the area.
- 8. The Bauang Yamang Tubig Task Force (BYTTF) shall monitor the implementation of guidelines provided herein in cooperation with the PNP, MDRRMO, Barangay Disaster Risk Reduction Management Committee (BDRRMC), Barangay Health Emergency Response Team (BHERT) and other stakeholders."

**SECTION 20. GRAPE PICKING ACTIVITIES.** This section covers the regulation of grape picking activities/adventure being offered by the different grape farms covering the stretch from barangay Payocpoc Sur to barangay Urayong, referred herein as grape picking adventure area or GPAA.

The GPAA shall be known as "UBaS Pa!".





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#### **IMPLEMENTING GUIDELINES:**

1. There shall be two holding areas for those who would enter and do grape picking activities in the different grape farms within the GPAA, identified as follows:

North Bound: At the Municipal Boundary with Caba,

before the Welcome Arc at Barangay

Urayong

South Bound: Police Outpost in front of 1590 at Barangay

Payocpoc Sur

- 2. The Holding areas identified under no. 2 shall be jointly manned by the PNP, grape farms association and the LGU. Specific guidelines within shall be provided by the PNP in command.
- 3. All visitors and guests shall stop at the holding areas to be temperature-checked, registered using a logbook, and, receive briefing on minimum public health standards prior to entry to any of the grape farms.
- 4. All tour guides shall be in their proper attire complete with ID.
- 5. A map shall be provided at the holding areas to locate farms that are open for business.
- 6. All vehicles to be used in transporting guests shall be duly registered accordingly.
- 7. Grape-picking time shall be 7:00 AM 6:00PM.

SECTION 21. TRAVEL AUTHORITY. Additional guidelines in the movement of people in GCQ and MGCQ areas and vice versa:

#### **NO TRAVEL AUTHORITY:**

- 1. Workers and other people listed as authorized persons outside residence;
- 2. Indispensable Travel (IT) of persons within the province (inter-town) such as family emergency, medical emergency, and for humanitarian reason:
- 3. Locally Stranded Individuals within the province (inter-town)





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#### WITH TRAVEL AUTHORITY

- Travel from one province to province, region to region for Indispensable Travels (IT) and LSI;
- 2. Travelling from one province to another province, or region to another region for Non-Essential Travels (NET);
- 3. Non-essential travel from Bauang to GCQ and vice-versa.

# REQUIREMENTS FOR TRAVEL AUTHORITY FOR INDISPENSABLE TRAVEL (IT) & NON-ESSENTIAL TRAVEL (NET):

The following requirements shall be submitted to the Bauang Police Station for processing of Travel Authority:

- 1. Certification from Barangay Chairman that the person who wants to travel has not developed any COVID-19 symptoms at least 14 days before the travel request.
- 2. Medical Clearance Certificate from the Municipal Health Office (RHU). Medical Clearance Certificate issued by DOH accredited hospitals may also be considered.
- 3. LGU Acceptance from LGU of destination "

**SECTION 3. PREVAILING CONDITIONS.** Herein order is issued with due consideration of the prevailing conditions at the time of its issuance and is without prejudice to any guidelines that may be subsequently issued by the National Government, IATF or any higher authorities.

Should there be any conflict between the national guidelines and the provisions of this Order, the former shall prevail.

**SECTION 4. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** All executive orders, advisories, rules and regulations, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby revoked, amended and modified accordingly.

**SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY.** This order shall take effect immediately and shall be in force and effect during the period of the Modified General Community Quarantine.

This 5<sup>th</sup> day of June **2020** in **Bauang**, **La Union**.

MENCHIE C. LOMBOY-DE GUZMAN, M.D.

Municipal Mayor