



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 44

Series of 2020

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER DECLARING THE HOUSE IDENTIFIED BY THE CITY HEALTH OFFICE IN PUROK 9, BRGY. RAJAH MUDA, CITY OF TACURONG AS CRITICAL ZONE (UNDER ECQ) AND PORTION OF PUROK 9 (NEGROSANON), BRGY. RAJAH MUDA, CITY OF TACURONG AS CONTAINMENT ZONE (UNDER MECQ) AS PER ZONING CONTAINMENT STRATEGY FROM OCTOBER 7, 2020 TO OCTOBER 22, 2020

WHEREAS, a report from the City Health Office and the PNP Station Tacurong City was received with the information that a resident of Purok 9, Brgy. Rajah Muda, Tacurong City was found to be Positive for COVID 19 as a result of the RT PCR test.

WHEREAS, that the household members were considered direct contacts/suspects and should be restricted or confined in their respective houses;

WHEREAS, pursuant to DILG Regional Memorandum Order No. 2020-14 and stipulated under Executive Order No. 112 and NTF Memorandum Circular No.2 there is a need to implement a localized lockdown and strategically contain the spread or transmission of the said virus;

WHEREAS, Executive Order 52, Series of 2020 of the Province of Sultan Kudarat Extending the Implementation of MGCQ in the Province of Sultan Kudarat in Section 33 thereof, the Local Chief Executive is given the authority to declare granular lockdown to prevent and impede the spread or contamination thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, I ANGELO O. MONTILLA, by the powers vested in me by law as the City Mayor of Tacurong City do hereby Order the following:

SECTION 1. HOUSEHOLD UNDER ECQ. The residents of the subject household identified by the City Health Office shall observe strict home quarantine during the period and their essential goods and services including but not limited to: food, water ration, and health care shall be provided by Barangay Government of Rajah Muda and the City Government of Tacurong.

SECTION 2. PORTION OF PUROK 9 (NEGROSANON), RAJAH MUDA, CITY OF TACURONG UNDER MECQ. All residents of a portion of Purok 9 (Negrosanon), Brgy. Rajah Muda, City of Tacurong being covered under Modified ECQ shall be given one (1) quarantine pass per household to access essential goods or services and/or reporting to work.

SECTION 3. GUIDELINES FOR AREAS PLACED UNDER MODIFIED ENHANCED COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (MECQ).

- a) Minimum public health standards such as but not limited to wearing of face mask and face shield, social distancing of not less than one meter, etc. shall be complied with at all times for the duration of the MECQ.
- b) Strict home quarantine shall be observed in all households, and the movement of all residents shall still be limited to accessing essential goods and services, and for work in permitted offices or establishments or such other activities listed hereunder.
- c) Any person below twenty-one (21) years old, those who are sixty (60) years old and above, those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women, including any person who resides with the aforementioned, shall be required to remain in their residences at all times, except when indispensable under the circumstances for obtaining essential goods and services, for work in industries and offices or such other activities permitted in this Section.

- d) Mass gatherings such as but not limited to, movie screenings, concerts, sporting events, and other entertainment activities, community assemblies, and non-essential work gatherings shall be prohibited. Gatherings that are for the provision of critical government services and authorized humanitarian activities while adhering to the prescribed minimum health standards shall be allowed. Religious gatherings shall be limited to not more than five (5) persons until otherwise modified through subsequent issuances of the IATF.
- e) Public transportation shall be suspended. This notwithstanding, commissioned shuttle services for employees of permitted offices or establishments, as well as point-to-point transport services provided by the government shall be allowed to operate, giving priority to healthcare workers.
- f) Private transportation such as company shuttles and personal vehicles utilized by persons authorized outside their residences are allowed subject to the guidelines provided by DOTr. The use of bikes and other non-motorized transportation is strongly encouraged.
- g) Individual outdoor exercise such as outdoor walks, jogging, running or biking are allowed within MECQ areas. Provided, that the minimum health standards and precautions such as the wearing of masks and the maintenance of social distancing protocols are observed.
- h) All other guidelines shall be referred to the OMNIBUS GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMUNITY QUARANTINE IN THE PHILIPPINES with Amendments as of July 16, 2020 of the INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

SECTION 4. CONDUCT OF CASE INVESTIGATION. Conduct of case investigation shall be done within 24 hours and contact tracing of all close contacts of confirmed, suspected, and probable COVID 19 cases should be initiated immediately.

SECTION 5. DAILY REPORT OF CESU OFFICER. The City Epidemiology Surveillance Unit (CESU) Officer shall render a daily report inclosing his monitoring and evaluation of the status of the spread or contamination of the Corona Virus in the area, for its submission thereafter to the DILG Regional Director/RIATF 12 Chairperson.

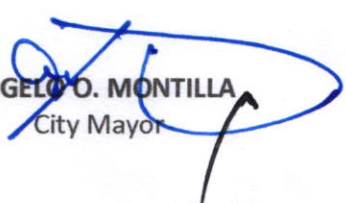
SECTION 6. ESTABLISHMENT OF QUARANTINE CONTROL POINTS. The Barangay Government of Rajah Muda shall establish and man the Quarantine Control Points in all borders of the identified area under MECQ. The policy of "No ID No Entry shall be observed and the following identifications shall be presented to authorities at checkpoints to show that they are residents of the area being contained.

SECTION 7. PENAL CLAUSE. Those found resisting and seriously disobeying any person in authority or his agents while engaged in enforcing this Order will be penalized in accordance with Article 151 of the Revised Penal Code.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain effective until 12:00 midnight of October 22, 2020.

Let a copy of this Executive Order with Data Analytics and Action Plan including the report of the City Health Officer and PNP Station of Tacurong be submitted to RIATF – EID Region 12 in compliance with DILG Region 12 Advisory dated August 24, 2020 for concurrence purposes and copy furnished the DILG Provincial Director of the Province of Sultan Kudarat and Office of the Provincial Governor of the Province of Sultan Kudarat.

Issued this 7th day of October 2020 at Tacurong City.


ANGELO O. MONTILLA
City Mayor