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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO : ALL RIATF XII MEMBERS, ALL RTF ON COVID-19 MEMBERS, LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVES, DILG PDs / CD / CLGOO OF COTABATO CITY AND OTHERS CONCERNED**

**SUBJECT : JOINT RIATF - EID XII - RTF ON COVID - 19 RESOLUTION Nos. 2020 - 033, 2020 - 033 - A, 2020 - 033 - B, and 2020 - 033 - C**

**DATE : October 13, 2020**

Attached are the copies of resolutions which were approved during the Joint RIATF-EID XII – RTF on COVID-19 Virtual Meeting on October 07, 2020, to wit:

- Resolution No. 2020-033 – Policy Guidelines and Recommendations Relative to the Management of Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Situation in Region 12;
- Resolution No. 2020-033-A – Resolution Appealing to All LGUs of Region 12 to Adopt the Region 12 COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (RCCTS) as One Application to Ensure Inter-Operability and Convenience of Contact Tracing Efforts;
- Resolution No. 2020-033-B – Resolution Submitting to National Task Force for COVID-10 for its Evaluation the Region 12 COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (RCCTS) as One Contact Tracing Application of SOCCSKSARGEN; and
- Resolution No. 2020-033-C – Resolution Appealing to LGU General Santos City to Reconsider Relaxing the Existing Guidelines on the Entry of APORs in its AOR.

For information, guidance and/or appropriate action.

**JOSEPHINE CABRIDO-LEYSA, CESO III**  
Regional Director, DILG XII/ Chair, RIATF 12

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*The DILG Region XII, imbued with integrity, competence and professionalism, and **Living Up to a Peaceful, Accountable, and Dynamic** working environment, commits to deliver quality services through oversight function, capacity development intervention, incentives and rewards and administrative assistance to local government units.*

*We uphold customer satisfaction and continual improvement of our Quality Management System's effectiveness, compliant to applicable laws, rules and regulations, and international standards, for a highly **Developed, Orderly, Self-Reliant, Environment-friendly and Globally Competitive SOCCSKSARGEN. (LUPAD DOSE).***



**EXCERPTS FROM THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE JOINT VIRTUAL MEETING OF THE REGIONAL INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASE (RIATF-EID) XII AND REGIONAL TASK FORCE COVID-19 XII HELD ON OCTOBER 7, 2020 9:30 AM**

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**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-033-C**

October 7, 2020

**RESOLUTION APPEALING TO LGU GENERAL SANTOS CITY TO RECONSIDER RELAXING THE EXISTING GUIDELINES ON THE ENTRY OF APORs IN ITS AOR**

**WHEREAS**, IATF Resolution No. 75-A placed the entire Region under the Modified General Community (MGCQ) status effective October 1-31, 2020 without prejudice to the declaration of Localized Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) in critical areas. General Santos City has also been considered an area with increased risk of transmission; whereby, the NTF and DILG were tasked to ensure the strict implementation of Zoning Containment Strategy, strict enforcement of minimum health standards, intensified tracing and quarantine of close contacts and isolation of confirmed cases;

**WHEREAS**, DOH-CHD XII reported that as of October 6, 2020, the Region has a total of 1,654 confirmed cases of whom 1,086 have fully recovered, 45 deaths and 522 are currently under quarantine or confined in the referral hospitals. A total of 250 cases was added in a span of one week or an average of 36 cases per day;



**WHEREAS**, LGU General Santos City enacted Executive Order No. 45 and City Ordinance No. 51 series of 2020 requiring those who come from high risk areas to secure negative RT-PCR result within 72 hours and to register in the TAPAT contact tracing application prior their arrival in the borders of the City;

**WHEREAS**, after thorough review and discussion, the RIATF-EID XII and RTF-COVID-19 XII during its meeting on September 9, 2020 passed Resolution No. 2020-029-A entitled, "Resolution Indorsing the Request for Escalation of General Santos City from MGCQ to GCQ Status Subject to Conformity with the Policies Set Forth by the National IATF under the GCQ". Representatives from the LGU committed to rectify EO No. 45 to incorporate the comments of the Body;

**WHEREAS**, during the recent Joint RIATF-EID XII and RTF COVID-19 Meeting, some members raised the concerns that General Santos City still implements the requirement on negative RT-PCR result even for APORs of Region 12 and other nearby Regions of the same quarantine classifications;

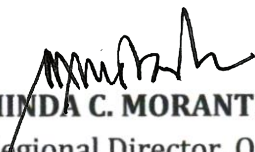
**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of RD Akmad J. Usman of DBM XII and duly seconded by RD Macario D. Gonzaga XII; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to Appeal to LGU General Santos City to Reconsider Relaxing the Existing Guidelines on the Entry of APORs in its AOR;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all members of the RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19 for their information. The same copy to be furnished to Hon. Ronnel C. Rivera, City Mayor of General Santos for his information and/or appropriate action.


**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

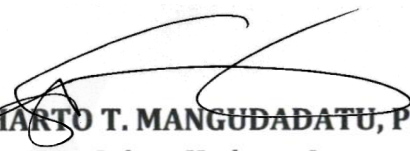
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**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-033-B**

October 7, 2020

**RESOLUTION SUBMITTING TO NATIONAL TASK FORCE FOR COVID-19 FOR ITS  
EVALUATION THE REGION 12 COVID-19 CONTACT TRACING SYSTEM (RCCTS)  
AS ONE CONTACT TRACING APPLICATION OF SOCCSKSARGEN**

**WHEREAS**, IATF Resolution No. 75-A placed the entire Region under the Modified General Community (MGCQ) status effective October 1-31, 2020 without prejudice to the declaration of Localized Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) in critical areas. General Santos City has also been considered an area with increased risk of transmission; whereby, the NTF and DILG were tasked to ensure the strict implementation of Zoning Containment Strategy, strict enforcement of minimum health standards, intensified tracing and quarantine of close contacts and isolation of confirmed cases;

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**WHEREAS**, DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2020-77 entitled "Rationalizing the Establishment of a Local Government Unit Task Force Against COVID-19" mandated the LGUs to form a Contact Tracing Team whose responsibility is to conduct contact tracing for all persons with known exposure to a COVID-19 patient to ensure that they are strictly observing the quarantine measures and consequently, to mitigate possibility of contagion;

**WHEREAS**, the LGUs, being at the frontline in managing the COVID-19 pandemic, have initiated various web-based and mobile-based contact tracing applications to aid the efforts in tracing the close contacts of the confirmed COVID-19 patients;

**WHEREAS**, the Province of South Cotabato through its Provincial Ordinance No. 13 passed on May 26, 2020 adopted the South Cotabato COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (SC-CCTS) and provided guidelines in its implementation to all business establishments, government offices, residents, and visitors within the territorial jurisdiction of the Province. The SC-CCTS was presented and recognized during the Open Government Partnership (OGP) Leaders' Summit on the sidelines of the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) last September 24, 2020. It was also replicated by the following LGUs outside the Region:

- *Davao Del Sur;*
- *Jose Abad Santos, Davao Occidental;*
- *Bayawan City, Negros Oriental;*
- *Passi City, Iloilo;*
- *Bacolod City, Negros Occidental;*
- *Pilar, Siargao; and*
- *Del Carmen, Siargo*

**WHEREAS**, RIATF-EID XII and RTF-COVID-19 XII on its August 26, 2020 meeting, approved a Resolution Institutionalizing the South Cotabato COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (SC-CCTS) as Region 12's COVID-19 Contact Tracing System for easier and faster generation of list of close and general contacts, harmonize the contact tracing applications and encourage data sharing among the LGUs;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of RD Akmad J. Usman of DBM XII and duly seconded by RD Macario D. Gonzaga XII; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to Submit to National Task Force for COVID-19 for its Evaluation the Region 12 COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (RCCTS) As One Contact Tracing Application of SOCKSARGEN;

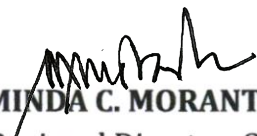
**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the IATF-EID and NTF COVID-19 for their assessment and further recommendation. The same copy to be furnished to the Provincial Governors, City and Municipal Mayors of Region XII, and members of RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19 for their information and appropriate action.




**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.


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- *Bacolod City, Negros Occidental;*
- *Pilar, Siargao; and*
- *Del Carmen, Siargao*

**WHEREAS**, RIATF-EID XII and RTF-COVID-19 XII on its August 26, 2020, meeting approved a Resolution Institutionalizing the South Cotabato COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (SC-CCTS) as Region 12's COVID-19 Contact Tracing System for easier and faster generation of list of close and general contacts, harmonize the contact tracing applications and encourage data sharing among the LGUs of SOCCSKSARGEN;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of RD Macario D. Gonzaga of LTO XII and unanimously seconded by all members; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to Appeal to All LGUs of Region 12 to Adopt the Region 12's COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (RCCTS) As One Application to Ensure Inter-operability and Convenience of Contact Tracing Efforts;

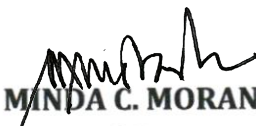
**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the IATF-EID and NTF COVID-19 for their information and further recommendation. The same copy to be furnished to the Provincial Governors, City and Municipal Mayors of Region XII, and members of RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19 for their information and appropriate action.




**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

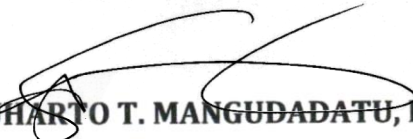
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Approved:

  
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**EXCERPTS FROM THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE JOINT VIRTUAL MEETING OF THE REGIONAL INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASE (RIATF-EID) XII AND REGIONAL TASK FORCE COVID-19 XII HELD ON OCTOBER 7, 2020 9:30 AM**

**PRESENT:**

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Governor, Sultan Kudarat Province/  
Chairperson, RTF-COVID-19 XII

RD MINDA C. MORANTE

OCD XII/ Co-Chairperson, RTF COVID-19

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City Mayor, Tacurong City

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City Mayor, Kidapawan City  
City Mayor, General Santos City  
City Mayor, City of Koronadal  
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**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-033**

October 7, 2020

**POLICY GUIDELINES AND RECOMMENDATIONS RELATIVE TO THE MANAGEMENT OF  
CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) SITUATION IN REGION 12**

**WHEREAS**, per Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines dated July 16, 2020, the IATF approved the minimum protocols to be observed by areas under the Modified General Community Quarantine status. Specifically, Section 5 requires the strict implementation of the following:

- Minimum public health standards shall be complied with at all times for the duration of MGCQ; and



- The movement of all persons in areas under MGCQ shall be limited to accessing essential goods and services, for work in the offices or industries permitted to operate hereunder, and for other activities permitted under this Section;

Further, Section 7 provides:

- The interzonal movement of persons between areas placed under GCQ and MGCQ for any purpose other than leisure shall be permitted;
- Movement to and from an area placed under GCQ to an area where no community quarantine is in place shall be permitted, except for the sole purpose of leisure;

**WHEREAS**, IATF Resolution No. 75-A placed the entire Region under the Modified General Community (MGCQ) status effective October 1-31, 2020 without prejudice to the declaration of Localized Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) in critical areas. General Santos City has also been considered an area with increased risk of transmission; whereby, the NTF and DILG were tasked to ensure the strict implementation of Zoning Containment Strategy, strict enforcement of minimum health standards, intensified tracing and quarantine of close contacts and isolation of confirmed cases;

**WHEREAS**, DOH-CHD XII reported that as of October 6, 2020, the Region has a total of 1,654 confirmed cases of whom 1,086 have fully recovered, 45 deaths and 522 are currently under quarantine or confined in the referral hospitals. A total of 250 cases was added in a span of one week or an average of 36 cases per day;

**WHEREAS**, LTFRB Memorandum Circular No. 2020-017 entitled Guidelines for Public Transportation under General Community Quarantine allows the public transportation to operate in a limited capacity. Social distancing and limited passenger capacity as well as required sanitary measures shall be strictly observed;

**WHEREAS**, RIATF-EID XII and RTF-COVID-19 XII on its weekly meeting on August 26, 2020 approved a Resolution Institutionalizing the South Cotabato COVID-19 Contact Tracing System (SC-CCTS) as Region 12's COVID-19 Contact Tracing System for easier and faster generation of list of close and general contacts;

**WHEREAS**, during the Joint RIATF-EID XII and RTF COVID-19 Meeting, the Body discussed, strategized, and resolved emerging local issues and determined appropriate or future actions to avoid the further spreading of the virus;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, that the Joint RIATF-EID XII-RTF-COVID-19 approved the following Resolutions:

- A. RESOLUTION APPEALING TO ALL LGUs OF REGION 12 TO ADOPT THE REGION 12 COVID-19 CONTACT TRACING SYSTEM (RCCTS) AS ONE APPLICATION TO ENSURE INTER-OPERABILITY AND CONVENIENCE OF CONTACT TRACING EFFORTS;



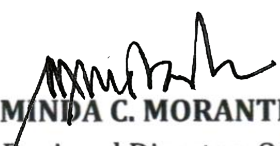
- B. RESOLUTION SUBMITTING TO NTF FOR ITS EVALUATION THE REGION 12 COVID-19 CONTACT TRACING SYSTEM (RCCTS) AS ONE CONTACT TRACING APPLICATION OF SOCCSKSARGEN;
- C. RESOLUTION ADOPTING COVID ORDER NO. 3 PERTAINING TO POINT-TO-POINT TRANSPORTATION SCHEME IN REGION 12; AND
- D. RESOLUTION APPEALING TO LGU GENSAN TO RECONSIDER RELAXING THE EXISTING GUIDELINES ON THE ENTRY OF APORs.

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the IATF-EID for its assessment and recommendation. The same copy to be furnished to NTF COVID-19, Provincial Governors, City and Municipal Mayors of Region XII, members of RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19 for their information and/or appropriate action.


**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.


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