



Republic of the Philippines  
 Regional Inter-Agency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Diseases XII –  
 Regional Task Force COVID -19

**EXCERPTS FROM THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE JOINT VIRTUAL MEETING OF THE REGIONAL INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASE (RIATF-EID) XII –REGIONAL TASK FORCE COVID-19 HELD ON JULY 1, 2020 9:30 AM**

**PRESENT:**

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-Mayor, Kidapawan City  
-Mayor, General Santos City  
-Regional Director, TESDA XII  
-Regional Director, DPWH XII  
-Regional Director, OWWA XII  
-Regional Director, DICT Mindanao Cluster 3  
-Regional Director, DOE Mindanao Field Office  
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**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-019**

July 1, 2020

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

**WHEREAS**, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, during his Public Address on June 30, 2020 declared the Provinces of South Cotabato and Cotabato under Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ) while other parts of the Region are classified as low risk MGCQ;

**WHEREAS**, Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines provides that,

*Section 5.3 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 shall be required to remain in their residences at all times xxxxxx*

*Section 5.4 Indoor and outdoor non-contact sports and other forms of exercise such as but not limited to walking, jogging, running, biking, golf, swimming, tennis, badminton, equestrian, range shooting, and skateboarding are allowed. Provided, that the minimum public health standards such as wearing of masks and maintenance of social distancing protocols, and no sharing of equipment where applicable, are observed. For this purpose, the prohibition in Section 5.3 does not apply*



*Section 8.1 further provides that LGUs are enjoined to enact the necessary ordinances to enforce curfew for non-workers in jurisdictions placed under MECQ, GCQ, and MGCQ to penalize, in a fair and human manner, violations of the restrictions on the movement of people as provided under these Omnibus Guidelines. Law enforcement agencies, in implementing and enforcing said curfew ordinances, are likewise strongly enjoined to observe fair and humane treatment of curfew violators. Public transportation, however, shall not be restricted by curfew ordinances*

**WHEREAS**, DILG Advisory dated June 22 which supports the IATF and NTF Memorandum Circular on the Application of the Zoning Containment Strategy for CoVID-19 provides that the LGUs, through their Local Chief Executives, have the authority to determine and declare zoning classification and lockdown depending on present parameters, including the existence of suspected, probable, or confirmed CoVID-19 case. The authority maybe exercised immediately to ensure timely response, subject to the review and assessment of the RIATF and RTF;

**WHEREAS**, DILG Advisory dated June 11, 2020 directs the LGUs to ban cockfighting or “*sabong*” in their areas of jurisdiction until such time it is allowed through an issuance of the President, the IATF, the DILG or any other National Government Agency having jurisdiction on the matter;

**WHEREAS**, DOH-CHD XII CoVID-19 Tracker revealed that the Region, as of June 30, 2020, has sixty-one (61) confirmed patients, one of whom died, thirty nine (39) have fully recovered, and twenty-one (21) are still on a quarantine. Further, the spike of new cases in the Region can be attributed to the coming in of Locally Stranded Individuals and Returning Overseas Filipinos. The LCEs raised concerns on the depleting financial and human resources to accommodate the confirmed CoVID-19 patients and the inbound LSIs and ROFs. The LGU health care workers and logistics personnel are exhausted and in need of two-week rest to ensure strict maintenance of quarantine protocols;

**WHEREAS**, during the Joint RIATF-EID XII and RTF CoVID-19 Meeting, the Body discussed, strategized, and resolved emerging local issues and determine 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 STRICTLY PROHIBITING THE CONDUCT OF COCKFIGHTS IN REGION 12 LGUs UNTIL FURTHER REVOKED;
- B. RESOLUTION URGING ALL LGUS OF REGION 12 TO ENACT ORDINANCES RESTRICTING THE MOVEMENT OF PERSONS BELOW 21 AND ABOVE 60 & THOSE WITH CO-MORBIDITIES EXCEPT FOR PURPOSES OF ESSENTIALS, SCHOOL, WORK, INDOOR & OUTDOOR NON-CONTACT AND OTHER FORMS OF EXERCISE IN THE DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY;
- C. RESOLUTION URGING ALL LGUs TO ENACT CURFEW HOUR SPECIFICALLY FOR NON-WORKERS;



- D. RESOLUTION IMPOSING MORATORIUM FOR THE TRANSPORT OF LSIs AND ROFs TO REGION 12 FROM JULY 8-23, 2020;
- E. RESOLUTION CONCURRING THE DECLARATION OF COMMUNITY LOCKDOWNS OF THE FOLLOWING:
1. Sitio Bario Site, Brgy. Colon, Maasim Sarangani
  2. Purok Pagkakaisa, Brgy. Lambayong, Tampakan, South Cotabato
  3. Purok Mangga, Brgy. D'Lotilla, Isulan and Purok Orchids, Brgy. Pamantingan, Esperanza, Sultan Kudarat
- F. RESOLUTION REQUESTING IATF TO INCLUDE IN ITS POLICY FOR LSIs BE PCR-TESTED AND ONLY THOSE CERTIFIED NEGATIVE WILL BE ISSUED A TRAVEL PASS AND BE ACCEPTED BY RECEIVING LGUs;
- G. RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE ONLINE TALAKAYAN KONTRA COVID-19 TO BE SPONSORED BY RESOURCEGOV PROJECT OF MAHINTANA FOUNDATION INC. IN PARTNERSHIP WITH DILG XII THROUGH ITS LOCAL GOVERNANCE REGIONAL RESOURCE CENTER (LGRRC) SOMETIME IN JULY 2020 AND INVITING LGUs, LRIs, CSOs, NGAs, AND OTHER KEY STAKEHOLDERS TO BE PART OF THIS UNDERTAKING WITH RTF AND RIATF AS CO-SPONSORS;
- H. RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION OF THE RTF COVID-19 XII-ECONOMY CLUSTER
1. **ERC Resolution No. 17 series of 2020:** "Enjoining/Requesting Congress to Review RA 7925 and Allow Government to Put up Broadband Infrastructure"
  2. **ERC Resolution No. 18 series of 2020:** "Requesting DICT to Put in Place Quality Performance Indicators for the Network Broadband and Provide Access Points in the PRGC"
  3. **ERC Resolution No. 19 series of 2020:** "Requesting DICT to Fast Track the Implementation of the National Broadband Project (NBP) and to Include in their Annual Budget Proposals the Appropriations for NBP"
  4. **ERC Resolution No. 20 series of 2020:** "Requesting DBM to Release the Funds Intended for the Implementation of the National Broadband Project (NBP)"

I. AGREEMENTS:

***RIATF-EID XII CONCERNS***

I.1 DILG XII & NEDA XII to Explore the Partnership of Implementing the Scan Dashboard and How it will complement the Regional Resource Center as a Knowledge Hub of DILG; and

I.2 All APORs to still observe the Health Protocols imposed by R-12 LGUs

***RTF COVID-19 CONCERNS***

I.3 Reconciliation of data by DOH, DILG and OCD;



- To conduct series of coordination activities among the concerned agencies

I.4 LGUs must submit copy of declaration of localized lockdown to RIATF for review and concurrence;

I.5. RIATF and RTF to review and assess the effectivity of COVID-19 Response in the Region for the past 3 months in preparation for the localized implementation of the National Action Plan;

I.6 OCD XII to conduct 4 batches of PSCP training (with inclusion of COVID-19 Health measures) to the 54 LGUs and DILG XII;

I.7 DepEd 12 approved the request of LGUs M'lang and President Roxas, Cotabato Province; Banga, South Cotabato; and, Glan and Malapatan, Sarangani to use schools as isolation facilities until July 15, 2020;

I.8 ImPlan on MROFs was approved in principle but will still be incorporating comments and suggestion from the members if any, until Friday, July 3, 2020;

I.9 Law and Order Cluster to monitor movement of commuters in the checkpoints;

I.10 On the Hatid Tulong (*formerly Hatid Probinsiya*), a transport assistance initiative for LSIs and ROFs and a grand send-off will take place on July 4 for Mindanao (Gensan and Cotabato City as drop-off areas)

- Include PCR – Test in the requirements of the LSIs to be sent off to their respective LGUs; and

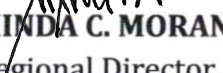
I.11 To include column for APORs in the forms accomplished by arriving passengers in ports of entry since they are also allowed to travel for official business via land, air and sea

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


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


Attested by:

  
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