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AN ORDER PROVIDING FOR THE GUIDELINES AND MINIMUM HEALTH PROTOCOLS UNDER ALERT LEVEL 3 IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOS BAÑOS FROM 1 NOVEMBER TO 14 NOVEMBER 2021, UNLESS OTHERWISE MODIFIED, EXTENDED, OR LIFTED EARLIER AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Section 15 Article II of the 1987 Constitution states that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;

WHEREAS, the Local Government Code of 1991 (RA 7160) mandates that every local government unit has to exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, on 30 March 2020, to develop a science-based approach in determining the risk-based classification of areas in the country, the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) convened a sub-Technical Working Group tasked to develop the LGU Epidemic Response Framework and to define parameters in assessing recent developments in the Philippine COVID-19 situation;

WHEREAS, pursuant to DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2020-0062 in compliance with the Memorandum from the Executive Secretary of the Office of the President signed on 16 March 2020, the LGU of Los Baños guaranteed to protect the health and safety of the community of the Municipality of Los Baños in providing guidelines for COVID-19;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ANTONIO L. KALAW, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Los Baños, Province of Laguna, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. Coverage. All residents and non-residents of the Municipality of Los Baños, as well as all establishments located within the Municipality, are covered by this order.

SECTION 2. Guidelines on the Implementation of Alert Levels System for COVID-19 response in Pilot Areas as of 13 October 2021. Section [4] of the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-MEID) Guidelines for Areas under Alert Level 3 are hereby adopted, to wit:

1. Intrazonal and interzonal travel shall be allowed subject to reasonable restrictions based on age and comorbidities, as may be determined by the LGUs, which should not be stricter as those prescribed under Alert Level 4 and subject to the oversight, monitoring, and evaluation of their respective RIATF. Provided, that those below eighteen (18) years of age, and those belonging to the vulnerable population, shall be allowed access to obtain essential goods and services, or for work in permitted industries and offices in accordance with existing labor laws, rules, and regulations. Individual outdoor exercises shall also be allowed for all ages regardless of comorbidities or vaccination status.
2. The following establishments and/or activities characterized as high-risk for transmission shall not be allowed to operate, or be undertaken in areas classified under Alert Level 3:
 - a. Face to face or in-person classes for basic education, except those previously approved by the IATF and/or the Office of the President;
 - b. Contact sports, except those conducted under a bubble-type setup as provided for under relevant guidelines adopted by the IATF, Games and Amusement Board, and Philippine Sports Commission, and approved by the LGU where such games shall be held;
 - c. Funfairs/peryas and kid amusement industries such as playgrounds, playroom, and kiddie rides;
 - d. Venues with live voice or wind-instrument performers and audiences such as in karaoke bars, clubs, concert halls, and theaters;
 - e. Casinos, horse racing, cockfighting and operation of cockpits, lottery and betting shops, and other gaming establishments except as may be authorized by the IATF or the Office of the President; and
 - f. Gatherings in residences with individuals not belonging to the same household.
3. The following establishments, or activities, shall be allowed to operate or be undertaken at a maximum of 30% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only and 50% outdoor venue capacity. Provided, that all workers/employees of these establishments are fully vaccinated against COVID-19 and MPHS shall be strictly maintained. Provided further, that there is no objection from the LGU where these activities may take place.

- a. Venues for meetings, incentives, conferences, and exhibitions (MICE);
- b. Permitted venues for social events such as parties, wedding receptions, engagement parties, wedding anniversaries, debut and birthday parties, family reunions, and bridal or baby showers;
- c. Visitor or tourist attractions such as libraries, archives, museums, galleries, exhibits, parks, plazas, public gardens, scenic viewpoints or overlooks, and the like;
- d. Amusement parks or theme parks;
- e. Recreational venues such as internet cafes, billiard halls, amusement arcades, bowling alleys, skating rinks, archery halls, swimming pools, and similar venues;
- f. Cinemas and movie houses;
- g. Limited face-to-face or in-person classes for higher education and for technical-vocational education and training;
- h. In-person religious gatherings;
- i. Gatherings for necrological services, wakes, inurnment, and funerals for those who died of causes other than COVID-19 and for the cremains of the COVID-19 deceased;
- j. Licensure or entrance/qualifying examinations administered by their respective government agency, and specialty examinations authorized by the IATF subject to the health and safety guidelines as approved by the IATF;
- k. Dine-in services in food preparation establishments such as kiosks, commissaries, restaurants, and eateries, subject to DTI sector-specific protocols;
- l. Personal care establishments such as barbershops, hair spas, hair salons, and nail spas, and those offering aesthetic/cosmetic services or procedures, make-up services, salons, spas, reflexology, and other similar procedures including home service options, subject to the sector-specific protocols of the DTI;
- m. Fitness studios, gyms, and venues for non-contact exercise and sports, subject to DTI sector-specific protocols. Provided that patrons/clients and workers/employees wear face masks at all times and that no group activities are conducted; and
- n. Film, music, and television production, subject to the joint guidelines as may be issued by the DTI, DOLE, and the DOH.

4. Agencies and instrumentalities of the government shall remain to be fully operational and shall adhere to at least 30% on-site capacity while applying work-from-home and other flexible work arrangements.

SECTION 3. Additional Guidelines on the Use of All Public and Open Spaces, such as Parks, Plazas, Public Gardens, Scenic Viewpoints or Overlooks, and the like, within the Territorial Jurisdiction of Los Baños. In line with the recommendations of the Los Baños IATF, the following are hereby adopted:

1. All public and open spaces, such as parks, plazas, public gardens, scenic viewpoints or overlooks, and the like, within the territorial jurisdiction of Los Baños, shall be open to the public, unless otherwise covered by other existing laws, rules, or regulations.
2. To prevent the transmission of the virus, picnics in the abovementioned public places shall be prohibited.

Specific Guidelines for the Use of the General Paciano Rizal Park and Caesar P. Perez Memorial Therapeutic Massage Center and Health Spa:

1. Operating hours of both General Paciano Rizal Park and Caesar P. Perez Memorial Therapeutic Massage Center and Health Spa shall be from 5 AM to 7 PM daily.
2. Masks must be worn at all times, even for the clients of the Caesar P. Perez Memorial Therapeutic Massage Center and Health Spa during the procedure of massage/therapy.
3. Clients of the Caesar P. Perez Memorial Therapeutic Massage Center and Health Spa must present vaccination cards before allowed entry.

SECTION 4. Curfew. In line with Executive Order No. 32, series of 2021, issued by the Office of the Provincial Governor of Laguna, lifting curfew in the entire province of Laguna, the same is hereby adopted.

SECTION 5. Dissemination. All Punong Barangays are directed to disseminate this Order to everyone within their respective territorial jurisdiction. The Municipality of Los Baños, Public Information Office, is likewise directed to post pertinent information on various platforms for widest dissemination.

SECTION 6. Penalties. Barangays and all establishments located in the Municipality should ensure strict enforcement of safety protocols to prevent the spread of Covid-19. All applicable laws and ordinances shall be pursued against those who fail to follow the provision of this Executive Order.

SECTION 7. Repealing Clause. All other issuances, order, memorandum which are inconsistent herewith are hereby amended or repealed accordingly;

SECTION 8. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of provision of this order be declared invalid, any part or provision not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 9. Effectivity. This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until lifted or amended by another order or superseded by law or ordinance.

Done this 8th of November, 2021 at the New Municipal Bldg. of the Municipality of Los Baños, Province of Laguna.


HON. ANTONIO L. KALAW
Municipal Mayor