



OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 25 Series of 2020

REQUIRING THE MANDATORY WEARING OF FACE MASKS AND OTHER PROTECTIVE GEARS FOR HEALTH PURPOSES OUTSIDE RESIDENCES OR IN PUBLIC IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAYAMBANG, PANGASINAN AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Memorandum Circular No. 2020- from Department of Interior and Local Government Secretary Eduardo M. Año laid down the “Suppletory Guidelines on the Implementation of Enhanced Community Quarantine in Luzon, and State of Public Health Emergency in Other Parts of the Country due to the CoViD-19 Threat;

WHEREAS, 5.1.1 of the Guidelines states that “All LGUs are charged with the promotion of health and safety within their jurisdiction. As such, they are to take the lead in the prevention and control of the spread of CoViD-19 at the local level.”;

WHEREAS, 5.2.4 of the Guidelines states that “LGUs shall implement strict home quarantine. This shall be enforced by LGUs in all households within their jurisdiction. Movement shall be regulated through the issuance of gate passes to designated individuals per household. Further, such movement shall be limited to accessing basic necessities, and provision for food and essential health services”;

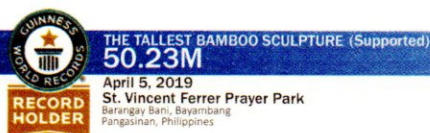
WHEREAS despite government interventions, the number of confirmed cases of CoViD-19 continues to rise;

WHEREAS, as part of the government efforts to contain the CoViD-19 outbreak, the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) Against CoViD-19 adopted the policy of mandatory wearing by all residents of facemasks whenever allowed to go out of their residences;

NOW THEREFORE, I, DR. CEZAR T. QUIAMBAO, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law as the Municipal Mayor, do hereby REQUIRE THE MANDATORY WEARING OF FACE MASKS AND OTHER PROTECTIVE GEARS FOR HEALTH PURPOSES OUTSIDE RESIDENCES OR IN PUBLIC IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAYAMBANG, PANGASINAN AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, TO WIT:

SECTION 1. MANDATORY WEARING OF FACE MASKS AND OTHER PROTECTIVE GEARS FOR HEALTH PURPOSES OUTSIDE

“Baley ko, Pawilen ko, Aroen ko, tan Tulungan ko”



RESIDENCES OR IN PUBLIC IN THE MUNICIPALITY. As part of the safety measures against CoViD-19 and to ensure the safety and general welfare of all residents of the Municipality, all persons within the territorial jurisdiction of Bayambang are directed to wear face masks when leaving their residences and while in public places to lessen or prevent the transmission of CoViD-19 during the period of the Luzon-Wide Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ).

Face Masks to be worn preferably should be surgical or medical grade masks. However, in its absence, residents may use face masks which are any reusable or disposable item made of cloth or any breathable material worn over the nose and mouth which can serve as protection or barrier against possible infection from a disease such as CoViD-19. Face Masks shall include surgical masks, N-95 masks, handkerchiefs, face shields or other protective equipment. Provided, that no provocative or obscene masks shall be worn in public. Provided, further, that masks used for hiding identification shall not be allowed.

SECTION 2. EFFECT OF NON-WEARING OF FACE MASKS.

Any person not wearing face masks shall be denied entry to markets and other business establishments. Establishments allowed to be open for purposes of providing basic necessities shall require the wearing of face masks or any alternative covering (except those not allowed) when entering their establishment.

SECTION 3. MANDATORY REPORTING OF PUMs and PUIs WITH SEVERE SYMPTOMS. The Barangay Health Emergency Response Teams shall be primarily responsible for the reporting to the Municipal Health Office of PUMs and PUIs showing signs or symptoms of CoViD-19 in their respective barangays. Households shall also report to the BHERTs any household member showing signs or symptoms. The Municipal Health Office, upon discretion, may bring the PUMs and PUIs to the designated facilities.

SECTION 4. VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES. Any person who deliberately and willfully violates this Executive Order shall be held liable under Republic Act 11332, among other laws and ordinances, which provided for the penalty for “non-cooperation of persons or entities that should report or respond to notifiable diseases or health events of public concern.

SECTION 5. ENFORCEMENT. The Public Order and Safety Office in coordination with the Philippine National Police, as well as All Barangay Officials involved in public order, are hereby mandated to enforce and implement, to the full extent, this Order

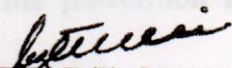
SECTION 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of the Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

SECTION 7. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other orders, rules, regulations and issuances, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with this Order, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately after compliance with publication requirements and shall remain effective during the period of Enhanced Community Quarantine until revoked or amended.

Let copies of this Order be furnished to all Offices and Departments, the Bureau of Fire Protection, the Philippine National Police and all Barangays for their information and guidance.

DONE this 07th day of April, 2020 in the Municipality of Bayambang, Pangasinan, Philippines.


DR. CEZAR T. QUIAMBAO
Municipal Mayor



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