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clubhouses or similar establishments, if any, shall be limited to basic operations. For this purpose, the prohibition in Section 4(3) of the IATF Omnibus Guidelines does not apply.

#### Section 15. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.

The road, rail, maritime, and aviation sectors of public transportation shall operate at a reduced operational and vehicle capacity in accordance with guidelines issued by the DOTr. Provided, that in all public transports, a strict one (1) meter distance between passengers shall be observed and appropriate engineering controls shall be in place.

#### Section 16. PROVISIONS OF IATF OMNIBUS GUIDELINES AND RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Guidelines for interzonal and intrazonal movement and the General Provisions as provided under Sections 7 and 8 of the IATF Omnibus Guidelines and its all other provisions and Resolutions are hereby adopted insofar as these are applicable to the implementation of General Community Quarantine (GCQ).

### Section 17. ISSUANCES OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT RELATIVE TO GCQ ARE DEEMED ADOPTED.

Executive Order No. 60 Series of 2020 and all other issuances of the Provincial Government relative to the implementation of General Community Quarantine (GCQ) which are not otherwise amended or repealed by IATF and other National Issuances are hereby adopted.

#### Section 18. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.

If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid for any reason, the parts not affected thereby shall remain valid and in full force and effect.

#### Section 19. REPEALING CLAUSE.

All Executive Orders, Rules and Regulations issued by this province which are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed, superseded or modified accordingly.

#### Section 20, EFFECTIVITY.

This ORDER shall be in full force and effect during the general community quarantine period (June 16, 2020 to June 30, 2020), unless earlier repealed or extended by another issuance.

**DONE** at the Provincial Capitol, Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro this day of June 2020.

EDUARDO B. GADIANO Governor

"Ganado saSerbisyo. Ganado saPagbabago!"

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- ii.) Opening of private schools will be allowed within the period provided by law. Provided, that school learning continuity plan shall be submitted; no face-to-face classes will be allowed earlier than 24 August 2020; and, from 24 August, face-to-face learning shall only be allowed when the local risk severity grading permits, and subject to compliance with minimum health standards;
- iii.) Adoption of various learning delivery options such as but not limited to face-to-face, blended learnings, distance learnings, and homeschooling and other modes of delivery shall be implemented depending on the local COVID Risk Severity Classification and compliance with minimum public health standards; and
- iv.) Conduct of curricular and co-curricular activities involving gatherings such as science fairs, showcase of portfolios, trade fairs, school sports, campus journalism, festival of talents, job fairs, and other similar activities is cancelled, except those conducted online.
- b.) For higher education, the recommendations of the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) for higher education institutions (HEIs) shall be adopted, as follows:
  - i.) The rolling opening of classes will be based on education delivery mode, compliance with minimum health standards and the situation on the ground:
    - 1. HEIs using full online education can open anytime;
    - 2. HEIs using flexible learning can open anytime in August 2020;
    - 3. HEIs using significant face-to-face or in-person mode can open not earlier than 01 September 2020;
    - 4. No face-to-face or in-person classes until 31 August 2020.
  - ii.) Private HEIs are encouraged to change their academic calendar and open in August 2020;

#### Section 13. LIMITED MASS GATHERINGS.

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 ten (10) persons, until otherwise modified through subsequent issuances of the IATF.

#### Section 14. SPORTS AND OTHER FORMS OF EXERCISE.

Outdoor non-contact sports and other forms of exercise such as but not limited to walking, jogging, running, biking, golf, swimming, tennis, badminton, equestrian, and skateboarding are allowed. Provided, that the minimum public health standards such as the wearing of masks and the maintenance of social distancing protocols, and no sharing of equipment where applicable, are observed. Provided, further, that operations of the relevant



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### Section 10. HOTELS OR SIMILAR ESTABLISHMENTS NOT ALLOWED TO OPERATE SUBJECT TO EXCEPTIONS.

No hotels or similar establishments shall be allowed to operate, except those accommodating the following:

- a. For guests who have existing booking accommodations for foreigners as of March 17, 2020;
- b. Guests who have existing long-term bookings;
- c. Distressed Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) and stranded Filipinos or foreign nationals;
- d. Repatriated OFWs in compliance with approved quarantine protocols;
- e. Non-OFWs who may be required to undergo mandatory facility-based quarantine; and
- f. Healthcare workers and other employees from exempted establishments under the Omnibus Guidelines and applicable Memoranda from the Executive Secretary.

Provided that in all of the foregoing, hotel operations shall be limited to the provision of basic accommodation services to guests through an in-house skeleton workforce. Ancillary establishments within the premises, such as restaurants, cafes, bars, gyms, spas, and the like, shall not be allowed to operate or to provide room service; Provided further, that accommodation establishments may prepare: (a) packed meals for distribution to guests who opt for the same; and (b) food orders for take-out and delivery only.

#### Section 11. RESTAURANTS AND DINE-IN FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS.

Restaurants and Dine-in food establishments may operate at thirty percent (30%) operational capacity. Provided that venue capacity allows for social distancing protocols. Provided further, that such businesses are compliant with the proper protocols prescribed by the DTI.

The resumption and/or continued operations of dine-in food establishments shall be subject to their proprietors' compliance with the proper health protocols set by the DTI, DOLE and DOT. Further, their compliance shall be assessed through a post-audit mechanism which shall be led by the DTI, DOLE, DOT, DOH, DILG, LGU Health Office and/or other deputized organizations.

#### Section 12. GUIDELINES ON CLASSES FOR BASIC EDUCATION AND HIGHER EDUCATION.

Face-to-face or in-person classes shall be suspended. For Academic Year 2020-2021, the following shall be observed for the conduct of classes:

- a. For basic education, the Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan of the Department of Education (DepEd) shall be adopted, as follows:
  - i.) Opening of classes for the basic education shall be on 24 August 2020 and shall end on 30 April 2021;



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#### Section 4. MOVEMENT OF PERSONS UNDER GCQ.

The movement of all persons in areas placed under GCQ shall be limited to accessing essential goods and services, and for work in the offices or industries permitted to operate hereunder. Provided, that movement for leisure purposes shall not be allowed.

#### Section 5. PERSONS PROHIBITED TO GO OUTSIDE RESIDENCES.

Any person below twenty-One (21) years old, those who are sixty (60) years old and above, those with immunodeficiency, comorbidities, 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 or for work in permitted industries and offices.

#### Section 6. WORK IN GOVERNMENT OFFICES.

Work in all government offices may be at full operational capacity, or under such alternative work arrangements as agencies may deem appropriate in accordance with the relevant rules and regulations issued by the Civil Service Commission (CSC). Provided that for offices requiring employees to report physically, commissioned shuttle services as well as point-to-point transport services may be provided.

#### Section 7. LIMITED OPERATIONS IN MALLS AND SHOPPING CENTERS.

Limited operations in malls and shopping centers shall be allowed, except for leisure establishments and services which shall continue to be closed. Provided, that establishments and services allowed to operate in malls and shopping centers may only operate at a capacity consistent with Section 2(4) of the IATF Omnibus Guidelines dated May 22, 2020. Provided, further, those below twenty-one (21) years old, and those sixty (60) years old and above and those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women, including any person who resides with the aforementioned, may not enter malls and shopping centers except when indispensable under the circumstances for obtaining essential goods and services or for work in establishments located therein until otherwise modified through subsequent issuances of the IATF. Provided, finally, that operations of malls and shopping centers are subject to the guidelines of the DTI.

#### Section 8. PUBLIC AND PRIVATE CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.

All public and private construction projects shall be allowed subject to strict compliance with the construction safety guidelines issued by the DPWH for the implementation of infrastructure projects during the COVID-19 pandemic.

#### Section 9. ESTABLISHMENTS AND INDUSTRIES NOT ALLOWED TO OPERATE.

Amusement, gaming, and fitness establishments, as well as those in the kids and the tourism industries, and all Category IV industries may not operate.



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### EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 68 Series of 2020

# "AN ORDER IMPOSING GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (GCQ) IN THE PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO STARTING JUNE 16, 2020 TO JUNE 30, 2020 AND PROVIDING FOR GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE IN THE PROVINCE"

WHEREAS, by virtue of IATF Resolution No. 46-A Series of 2020, the Province of Occidental Mindoro is placed under General Community Quarantine (GCQ) starting June 16, 2020 until June 30, 2020;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, there is an urgent need to promulgate this Executive Order to impose General Community Quarantine (GCQ) in the Province of Occidental Mindoro and to provide guidelines and procedures for the implementation of GCQ from June 16, 2020 until June 30, 2020.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDUARDO B. GADIANO**, Governor, Province of Occidental Mindoro, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

Section 1. IMPOSITION OF GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (GCQ) IN THE PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO.

Pursuant to IATF Resolution NO. 46-A Series of 2020, the Province of Occidental Mindoro is hereby placed under General Community Quarantine (GCQ) starting on June 16, 2020 until June 30, 2020.

#### Section 2. GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (GCQ).

General Community Quarantine (GCQ) refers to the implementation of temporary measures limiting movement and transportation, regulation of operating industries, and presence of uniformed personnel to enforce community quarantine protocols.

#### Section 3. MINIMUM PUBLIC HEALTH STANDARDS.

Minimum public health standards shall be complied with at all times for the duration of the GCQ.

Minimum public health standards refers to guidelines set by the DOH in Administrative Order No. 2020-0015, as well as sector-relevant guidelines issued by national government agencies as authorized by the IATF, to aid all sectors in all settings to implement non-pharmaceutical interventions (NPI), which refer to public health measures that do not involve vaccines, medications or other pharmaceutical interventions, which individuals and communities can carry out in order to reduce transmission rates, contact rates, and the duration of infectiousness of individuals in the population to mitigate COVID-19.