



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 54-B
Series of 2020

**AMENDMENT TO SECTION 6 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 54 SERIES OF 2020 RELATING
TO THE COMPOSITION OF PROVINCIAL TASK FORCE AGAINST COVID-19 AND
ESTABLISHMENT OF VARIOUS TEAMS UNDER THE PROVINCIAL TASK FORCE AGAINST
COVID-19 IN THE PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO**

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 54 series of 2020 was issued by the Provincial Governor of this Province on February 5, 2020 providing for the institution of precautionary measures to prevent spread of novel coronavirus (NCoV) infection, strengthening the health surveillance system of the province and formulation of Provincial Task Force on NCoV outbreak;

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend Section 6 of Executive Order No. 54 series of 2020 to modify the composition of the Provincial Task Force Against Covid-19 for the province and to establish various teams under the said Provincial Task Force pursuant to DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2020-077 dated April 24, 2020 issued by DILG Secretary Eduardo M. Año.

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

Section 1. Amendment to Section 6.- Section 6 of Executive Order No. 54 series of 2020 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Section 6. PROVINCIAL TASK FORCE. – The Provincial Task Force Against COVID-19 shall facilitate the implementation of DOH protocols and guidelines and extend full cooperation to the DOH and other government agencies to meet the world health emergency. The task force shall be composed of the following:

Chairman:	Governor Eduardo B. Gadiano	
Vice-Chair:	Dr. Ma. Teresa V. Tan	- Provincial Health Officer
Members:		
	Dr. Reynaldo Ferratero	- Chief of Hospital (COH)-OMPH
	Dr. Romualdo Salazar	- COH-San Sebastian District Hospital
	Dr. Venmar Sayapal	- COH-Lubang District Hospital
	Dr. Carlos Dipasupil	- COH-Abra de Ilog Community Hosp.
	Dr. Anna Monica Bracamonte	- OIC-COH-San Jose District Hospital
	Dr. Al Kenneth G. Vitto	- OIC-COH-Sta. Cruz Community Hospital
	Dr. Niño Benedict Panopio	- OIC-COH-Paluan Community Hospital
	Dr. Michael M. Enarbia	- Representative from the DOH
	Dr. Beth F. Jimenez	- MHO-Calintaan
	Dr. Teresa A. Pagilagan	- MHO-Lubang
	Dr. Gerardo Agupitan	- MHO-Magsaysay
	Dr. Paul Mark Rasing	- MHO-Mamburao
	Dr. Ruth Alma Ramos	- MHO-Paluan
	Dr. Josephine Mangahas	- MHO-Rizal
	Dr. Meldy Soriano	- MHO-Sabluyan



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Dr. Enid Asuncion	-	MHO-San Jose
Dr. Roberto Llabres	-	MHO- Sta. Cruz
Dr. Jovy Galang	-	DTTB-Abra de Ilog
Dr. Louise Rellola	-	DTTB-Looc
Ms. Gemma Parcia	-	Representative of Ministry Without Borders
Dr. Army John Peralta	-	Medical Officer III- Department of Education
Mr. Mario Mulingbayan	-	PDRMO
Representative	-	Philippine Ports Authority
Mr. Sofronio Baranda	-	Provincial Agriculturist
PSSUPT. Joseph Bayan	-	PNP Provincial Director
Ms. Antonia Javier	-	OIC-PSWDO
Ms. Ma. Isabel Castillo	-	Provincial Tourism Officer
LTC Bienvenido Hindangan Jr.-	-	Commanding Officer, Philippine Army
Representative	-	Philippine Coast Guard
Mr. Joel Ligaya	-	Kabalikat Civicom Representative
Mr. Noel Flores	-	OIC- DTI Provincial Director
CINSP. Apolinar Asilo	-	Provincial Fire Marshall
Dir. Ulysses Feraren	-	DILG Provincial Director
Engr. Josefino Melgar Jr.	-	District Engineer-DPWH
Ms. Nancy Rubio	-	Provincial Treasurer
Mr. Manuel T. Tria Jr.	-	Provincial Budget Officer
Mr. Oscar O. Gallego Jr.	-	OIC-Provincial Accountant
Mr. Anthony A. Dantis	-	Provincial Planning and Development Officer
Representative	-	Department of Information and Communication Technology
Engr. Kenneth Roy Villar	-	Provincial Equipment and Pool Officer
Mr. Ernesto Tañada	-	PENR Officer- DENR"
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ALL MDRRMOs		
BHWs		
BHERTs		
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PESU		

6.1. The Provincial Task Force Against Covid-19 shall have the following teams:

6.1.1.- CONTACT TRACING TEAM (CTT) 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 home-quarantine measures and monitor status of probable, suspected, and confirmed cases including family members with known contact to a confirmed case to mitigate possibility of contagion, and report daily update to the COVID-19 Provincial and Regional Task Forces. Following the directives of the IATF-EID, the contact tracing teams of each LGU shall be led by the head of the Local Epidemiology Surveillance Unit of the LGU or its equivalent and shall include in its members representatives from the PNP, BFP, POPCOM, NGOs, and LGU volunteers.



6.1.2.- DIAGNOSTICS AND TESTING TEAM (DTT) whose responsibility is to facilitate the conduct of the expanded testing and provide framework for formulation and operations, to respond to the prevention or mitigation of COVID-19 through, but not limited to, Real Time-Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-PCR), blood testing to antibody testing, to temperature scanning and recording of symptoms. Testing of probable or suspected cases, both through PCR (swabbing) and Rapid Anti-Bodies Test Kit, must be conducted to effectively detect possible infection.

6.1.3.- PATIENT MANAGEMENT AND MONITORING TEAM (PMMT) whose responsibility is to keep track of the status and health of all individuals whether those who are probable, suspected, or confirmed, including those who are in quarantine or scheduled to go in quarantine. PMMT shall be composed of the following members:

DILG- Ulysses E. Feraren
PDRMO- Mario Mulingbayan
PHO- Engr. Arman Alcaide
PDOHO- Dr. Michael Enarbia
PNP- PCol. Joseph B. Bayan
PLO- Atty. Tirso Augustus L. Abeleda II
Provincial Budget Office-PJ Jordan
PEO- Engr. Remigio V. Masangkay

Under the PMMT are the following Units:

6.1.3.1.- ISOLATION FACILITY MANAGEMENT UNIT (IFMU) whose responsibility is to provide framework for the formulation of identifying and/or maintenance of isolation facilities that will house probable or suspected and/or confirmed cases of COVID-19 pursuant to existing guidelines of the Department of Health, and to enforce, regulate, and/or administer mandatory fourteen (14) day quarantine of concerned individuals.

6.1.3.2.- COVID REFERRAL AND LIAISON UNIT (CRLU) whose responsibility is to serve as coordinators and/or liaison between referral centers/hospitals and the LGUs, health providers, primary healthcare units or laboratory facilities for all communications on COVID-19 concerns including but not limited to referrals, consultations, data requests, validation and follow-up. They are to guarantee the unhindered processing of symptomatic COVID-19 positive patients from the transfer and admissions thereof to concerned health facilities.

6.1.3.3.- REINTEGRATION AND PSYCHOSOCIAL COUNSELLING UNIT (RPCU) whose responsibility revolves around the provision of psychosocial support to affected or individuals in need, the scope of which includes probable, suspected, and confirmed cases, and those who had contact with them, upon certification of completion of any mandatory quarantine period and/or release of a negative COVID-19 test result by a competent, and authorized



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facility/agency. They shall mainly focus on recovered COVID-19 patients who suffer discrimination from the society. In the same vein, LGUs must push for psychosocial programs and action plans to help patients, survivors and health workers overcome the psychosocial effects after experiencing the hardships of the pandemic. This will be their way to reintegration to the new normal.

6.1.4.- LOGISTICS AND RESOURCES SUPPORT TEAM (LRST) whose responsibility is centered on the effective management, procurement, and distributions of all LGU resources for battling COVID-19 or for provision of assistance from relief packs, PPEs, disinfectants, and all other related resources including the determination of, and establishment of isolation and holding facilities. They are tasked of ensuring that necessary support and resources are readily available for the people throughout the duration of localized quarantine."

Section 2. 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 3. 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 4. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE this ____ day of _____ 2020 at the Provincial Capitol, Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro, Philippines.


EDUARDO B. GADIANO
Governor