



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
Iligan City
Office of the City Mayor

Executive Order No. 14, Series of 2022

AN ORDER ADOPTING THE ALERT LEVEL TWO (2) CLASSIFICATION OF THE NATIONAL INTER AGENCY TASK FORCE

WHEREAS, the City remains adherent to national IATF directives balanced with the constitutional policy¹ on true autonomy of the local government unit as the authority directly responding to the ground situation in real time;

WHEREAS, the City Mayor, for the efficient, effective and economical governance the purpose of which is the general welfare of the city and its inhabitants, shall carry out emergency measures as may be necessary during man-made and natural disasters and calamities;²

WHEREAS, LGUs are mandated 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 and delivery of basic services to their constituents;³

WHEREAS, upon Iligan's recent classification under **IATF ALERT LEVEL 2** there is a need to realign its policies with national guidelines and further strengthen its measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19 specifically its latest and most insidious Variant, Delta;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CELSO G. REGENCIA, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law as the City Mayor of Iligan, do hereby order:

Section 1. Declaration of Policy and Reiteration of Personal Protocols. The highest attainable standard of health is not a just fundamental right but a personal duty. The City thus declares as its policies that –

a. Parallel to the City's Covid-19 Prevention Response, individual compliance to personal hygiene and health protocols must never relax, and must now be urgently reiterated, including but not limited to handwashing, mask-wearing, and social distancing at all times;

b. That these personal protocols are *minimum* hygiene standards. Substantial compliance is not acceptable; only complete and thorough observance will serve;

c. That defeat of the virus requires nothing less than a tri-effort between the City, the Barangay, and its citizens. The Punong Barangay and his officials are called upon to monitor gathering places, identified drinking session spots, restaurants, bars, establishments, streets, and public venues within their barangay which are high-density areas in order to strictly implement minimum health protocols.⁴

¹Section 25 of Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution.

² Pursuant to Section 455 (b) (1) (vii) of RA 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991 (RA 7160),

³ according to the provisions of Sections 16 and 17, RA 7160.

⁴ Pursuant to Sec. 389B, paragraph c) of RA 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991, the Punong Barangay is required to "Maintain public order in the Barangay and, in pursuance thereof, assist the city or municipal mayor and the sanggunian members in the performance of their duties and functions," relative to the powers of the barangay to promote general welfare.

Section 2. Alert Level 2, refers to areas wherein case transmission is low and decreasing, healthcare utilization is low, or case counts are low but increasing, or case counts are low and decreasing but total bed utilization rate and intensive care unit utilization rate is increasing.

Section 3. Fully vaccinated individuals, including those belonging to the vulnerable population, may participate in permitted activities. To ensure compliance with the national policy in limiting the movement, all private persons shall be allowed to go out of their residences if he/she can present their i. full vaccination card or ii. a negative RT-PCR test which is valid for 72 hours, supported with any of the following:

a. Valid government issued or Employment ID or Certificate of Employment; Recent Certificate of Self-Employment issued by respective Punong Barangay;

b. These shall not apply in times of medical emergency, court processes and/or transaction which are considered as essential and unavoidable travel from residence to his/her destination.

Section 4. All establishments in Iligan which are allowed to operate shall require the individuals/customers to present any of the following as stated in Section 4.

Section 5. The following establishments, or activities, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken for fully vaccinated individuals only at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity and 70% outdoor venue capacity. Provided, that all workers/employees of these establishments are fully vaccinated against COVID-19 and Minimum Public Health Standard shall be strictly maintained:

- a. Gatherings for necrological services, wakes, interment, funerals for those who died of causes other than COVID-19 shall be allowed for a maximum of seven (7) days only, upon satisfactory proof of their relationship with the deceased and with full compliance with the prescribed minimum public health standards for the duration of the activity;
- b. Food preparation establishments such as commissaries, restaurants, and eateries may operate with their indoor dine-in services at fifty percent (50%) for fully vaccinated individuals only and with al fresco/outdoor dine-in services at seventy percent (70%) of the venue seating capacity, subject to DTI sector-specific protocols;
- c. Meetings, Incentives, Conventions, and Exhibitions (MICE), 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; events in eligible venue establishments shall be allowed at fifty percent (50%) of venue seating capacity, likewise social events in the same establishments shall be allowed up to fifty percent (50%) of the venue seating capacity, with the observation of the Covid-19 health protocols;
- d. 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 shall be allowed at fifty percent (50%) of seating capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only, subject to the sector-specific protocols of the DTI;
- e. Resorts, swimming pools, beaches and other recreational establishments, including indoor tourist attractions, historical sites and museums as defined by the Department of Tourism (DOT) shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken for fully

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vaccinated individuals only at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity and 70% outdoor venue capacity.;

- f. Fitness studios, gyms, and venues for individual 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, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only and 70% outdoor venue capacity.
- g. Outdoor non-contact sports and other forms of exercise such as but not limited to walking, jogging, running, biking, golf, tennis, badminton, equestrian, range shooting, and skateboarding are allowed. Provided the minimum public health standards such as the wearing of face masks and face shields, the maintenance of social distancing protocols, and no sharing of sports equipment, are observed;
- h. Contact sports approved by the LGU where such games shall be held provided that all participants including coaches, staff, and trainers, among others are fully vaccinated;
- i. Visitor or tourist attractions such as libraries, archives, museums, galleries, exhibits, parks, plazas, public gardens, scenic viewpoints or overlooks, Amusement parks or theme parks, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only and 70% outdoor venue capacity.;
- j. Recreational venues such as internet cafes, billiard halls, amusement arcades, bowling alleys, skating rinks, archery halls, swimming pools, and similar venues, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals and 70% outdoor venue capacity;
- k. Cinemas and movie houses, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only;
- l. Limited face-to-face or in-person classes for basic education subject to prior approval of the Office of the President, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only;
- m. Limited face-to-face or in-person classes for higher education and for technical-vocational education and training, shall be allowed to operate, or be undertaken at a maximum of 50% indoor venue capacity for fully vaccinated individuals only;
- n. 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;
- o. Film, music, and television production subject to the joint guidelines as may be issued by the DTI, DOLE, and the DOH;

Section 6. Government Agencies and instrumentalities of the government shall remain to be fully operational and shall adhere to at least 80% on-site capacity while applying work-from-home and other flexible work arrangements, as stipulated in Civil Service Rules on Alternative Work Arrangements in the Government.

Section 7. Under the Safety Seal Certification Program, business establishments awarded Safety Seal Certifications shall be allowed to operate at an additional Ten (10%) percentage points beyond the prescribed on-site capacity or venue seating capacity, whichever is applicable;

Section 8. Intrazonal and interzonal travel shall be allowed subject to the reasonable restrictions based on age and comorbidities, Regulation on entry of residents and non-residents from within the region and other regions:

- a. All individuals entering Iligan City will be subjected to body temperature scan and those temperature of 38 Degree Celsius or above upon screening shall be held temporarily for five minutes at the checkpoint, a second elevated temperature shall be reported to the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for appropriate action;
- b. Non-Residents within the region entering the Iligan City for purposes of procuring essential goods and accessing basic services shall be required to present valid identification cards. *Non-residents entering Iligan City for purposes other than the procurement of essential goods and accessing essential services shall be allowed provided they present their Fully Vaccinated Covid-19 Immunization Card or proof of negative antigen test or RT-PCR swab test result from the place of origin with a three (3) – day validity.*
- c. Iligan City Residents re-entering or returning to Iligan City after twenty- four (24) hours or more originating from within the region, shall present his Fully Vaccinated Covid-19 Immunization Card or proof of negative antigen test or RT-PCR swab test result from the place of origin with three (3)-day validity period at the Quarantine checkpoint. The result of the antigen or swab test shall be reported to EOC. Residents within the region re-entering Iligan City within the same period may be accommodated at a fast lane upon presentation of full Covid-19 Vaccination Card;
- d. Residents returning to Iligan City from other regions shall comply S-PASS required protocol, such as:
 - i. Any of the following:
 - a. Fully vaccinated Covid-19 Immunization Card;
 - b. Certificate of Complete Covid-19 Immunization;
 - c. Negative RT-PCR (only valid within 72 hours);
 - ii. Barangay Residence Confirmation Certificate
 - iii. LGU Letter of Acceptance

Section 9. Transactions with the Local Government Unit, shall be for fully vaccinated individuals only or upon presentation of negative RT-PCR test; Documentary requirements stated in Section 4 of the herein Executive Order shall be followed.

A. Transactions in Public Offices. All individuals having business, transacting, or making queries with any local government office or facility shall only be allowed to do so upon presentation of vaccine card or the presentation of a negative RT-PCR test.

B. Transactions in Private Offices. All private business institutions are highly encouraged to allow clients entry in their premises only upon presentation of vaccine care or presentation of a negative RT-PCR test.

Section 10. Curfew Hours shall be from 12:00AM to 4:00AM. Travelers from other cities arriving within the curfew hours shall present valid travel documents and documents required under section 8a to 8c, whichever is applicable;

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Section 11. Casinos, horse racing, cockfighting and operation of cockpits, lottery and betting shops, and other gaming establishments shall not be allowed to operate, or be undertaken in areas classified under Alert Level 2 except as may be authorized by the local IATF or the Office of the President.

Section 12. Purchase and *Consumption* of liquor within restaurants, bars, stores, malls, other private establishments and venues of liquor from supermarkets, groceries and stores is allowed from 9AM to 11PM only.

All public vendors specifically those operating stalls in the City's markets, terminals and other economic enterprises, including clients, entrepreneurs, and users of the slaughterhouse, live auction markets, and fish landing shall similarly be allowed to continue their operation only upon the presentation of vaccination card or presentation of a negative RT-PCR test.

Failure to comply with the above requirement shall subject the vendor to payment of the fines defined under Section 14 of EO 288, series of 2021, or may result in the suspension of his Market Award and/or business permit until he implements the necessary corrective measures.

Section 13. Manufacturing, issuance, use and distribution of fake vaccine cards and allied documents. The issuance, manufacturing, use and distribution of fake vaccine cards and other allied documents is penalized by Article 172 of the Revised Penal Code, as amended by R.A. No. 10951, and we quote:

"Art. 172. Falsification by private individual and use of falsified documents. - The penalty of prisión correccional in its medium and maximum periods and a fine of not more than One million pesos (₱1,000,000) shall be imposed upon:

"1. Any private individual who shall commit any of the falsifications enumerated in the next preceding article in any public or official document or letter of exchange or any other kind of commercial document;

"2. Any person who, to the damage of a third party, or with the intent to cause such damage, shall in any private document commit any of the acts of falsification enumerated in the next preceding article; and

"3. Any person who shall knowingly introduce in evidence in any judicial proceeding or to the damage of another or who, with the intent to cause such damage, shall use any of the false documents embraced in the next preceding article, or in any of the foregoing subdivisions of this article, shall be punished by the penalty next lower in degree."

The City Legal Office, City Administrator's Office, City Health Office are hereby directed to conduct swift investigation and to cooperate with the PNP to prosecute these offenders.

Lawyers, Juris Doctors, and paralegals employed as Job Orders or on Contract of Service in the City of Iligan are encouraged to assist the above-mentioned offices in the preparation of pleadings, motions, and other legal processes, provided that the assistance mentioned shall not be in conflict with their main functions.

Section 14. Reportorial Requirement of Private Establishments. Private establishments are encouraged to retain a machine copy of vaccine cards of all their employees. Such copy must be placed in a neatly prepared container and made ready for inspection by the government authorities allowed to perform the inspection.

Section 15. Inspection of Establishments: The Local Price Coordinating Council is directed to conduct inspection on all establishments selling basic commodities to see to it that prices of basic commodities (including medicines) are not grossly in excess of its true worth, and to prevent hoarding, profiteering, and cartel.



These establishments are reminded that if committed, they will be penalized under Section 15, Republic Act No. 7581, otherwise known as "THE PRICE ACT", and we quote:

Penalty for Acts of Illegal Price Manipulation. – Any person who commits any act of illegal price manipulation of any basic necessity or prime commodity under Section 5 hereof shall suffer the penalty of imprisonment for a period of not less than five (5) years nor more than Fifteen (15) years, and shall be imposed a fine of not less than Five thousand pesos (P5,000) nor more than Two million pesos (P2,000,000).

Section 16. Violations of any applicable provision stipulated herein shall be dealt with in accordance with existing pertinent laws, orders, rules, and regulations, such as but not limited to Republic Act 11332, City Ordinance No. 20-6952, other relevant issuances and orders.

First Offense	-P1,000.00 or Community Service;
Second Offense	-P2,000.00;
Third Offense	-P3,000.00 or imprisonment for not less than 3 days but not more than 5 days or both at the discretion of the court

Section 17. Enforcement. – All Barangay Officials, Barangay Tanods, Purok Officials, Civil Security Unit (CSU) Personnel, City Mayor's Office- Multi Task Force, Anti Littering Task Force (ALTF) Personnel, Market Police, Civilian Volunteers, BPAT, Members of the Philippine National Police, the Armed Forces of the Philippines, the Joint Task Force Kamagong-Iligan(JTFKI) are hereby mandated to implement the City Ordinance 20-6952 and are authorized to issue Citation Tickets against persons caught violating any provision of the Ordinance;

Section 18. The Emergency Operation Command Center shall continue to function and coordinate and/or consolidate courses of action using the Incident Command System (ICS) with the various Task Forces/Clusters through the local IATF-MEID-IMT for COVID-19 to address any incident that may arise during pandemic;

Section 19. All previous executive orders inconsistent with this order is hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

This Order shall take effect on the **18th day of February 2022**, until recalled, set aside, or revoked by the undersigned.

Done this 18 of February 2022, in Iligan City, Philippines.


CELSO D. REGENCIA
City Mayor