



-OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR-

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 11-03-28

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER PLACING THE MUNICIPALITY OF GUIUAN UNDER AN EXTENDED 72-HOUR BORDER RESTRICTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING DISEASE SURVEILLANCE AND CONTACT TRACING, AND ESTABLISHING OTHER GUIDELINES RESTRICTING MOVEMENT OF PERSONS ENTERING AND EXITING THE MUNICIPALITY

WHEREAS, it is a declared policy of the State to uphold the people's constitutional rights to life, health, safety and property and to promote the general welfare of its people at all times;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 11469 otherwise known as the "Bayanihan to Heal as One Act" was approved mandating all local government units to adopt and implement measures to prevent further spread of COVID-19 and ensure safety and well-being of all;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Guiuan, Eastern Samar has issued series of Executive Orders which include: E.O. No. 03-20-011; E.O. No. 03-20-012, E.O. No. 04-20-013, E.O. No. 05-20-017, E.O. No. 06-20-020, E.O. No. 08-30-025, E.O. No. 09-01-026, and E.O. No. 10-30-27 to better respond to this current public health emergency and to ensure that Guiuan remains COVID-free;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health-Eastern Visayas has confirmed eleven (11) COVID-19 positive case in Guiuan on November 3, 2020;

WHEREAS, there is a need to implement border restrictions to conduct contact tracing and disease surveillance in the next 72 hours to monitor the possible contacts of ES-99 to ES-109 within the Municipality of Guiuan;

WHEREAS, the Local Government of Guiuan is committed to protecting and ensuring the safety and security of all Guiuanonans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ANNALIZA P. GONZALES-KWAN, Municipal Mayor of Guiuan, Eastern Samar, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

Section 1. *Extending the 72-hour Border Restriction* – The Municipality of Guiuan, Eastern Samar is extending its 72-hour border restriction from 11:59 PM of November 3, 2020 to 11:59 PM of November 6, 2020 for the purpose of conducting disease surveillance and contact tracing of possible contacts in Guiuan.

Only those on essential and/or official travel shall be allowed to enter and exit the municipality within the duration of this Executive Order, including the following:

- (1) Health and emergency frontline services personnel;
- (2) Personnel delivering essential goods and services;
- (3) Persons traveling for medical and emergency reasons;
- (4) Authorized Personnel Outside of Residence (APOR) on Official Business.

Entering and Exiting the Municipality of Guiuan for leisure and other nonessential purposes is temporarily prohibited.

Section 3. *Requirements for Entry and Exit*– Border control checkpoint shall enforce strict protocols for the entry and exit of people at the Guiuan border. All persons who are exempt and will be allowed to enter/exit the border shall present necessary document including, but not limited to: (1)

Valid I.D.; (2) Updated Medical Health Certificate (7 days validity); (3) Travel Pass; (4) Travel Order for APOR; (5) Documents proving essential purpose of travel (e.g. Medical Referral).

Section 4. Travel to GCQ Areas – Those with any travel history to GCQ areas such as, but not limited to, Tacloban City shall undergo a mandatory 10-day facility quarantine upon their arrival to Guiuan, effective November 5, 2020 to November 15, 2020, except for the following:

- (1) Health and emergency frontline services personnel;
- (2) Personnel delivering essential goods and services;
- (3) Authorized Personnel Outside of Residence (APOR) on Official Business.

An official travel order from the employer or place of employment shall be presented at the Guiuan border upon entry, and when securing the municipal travel pass to travel outside of Guiuan to GCQ areas such as Tacloban City.

Section 5. Vulnerable Group – Any persons below twenty-one (21) years old, those who are sixty (60) years old and above, those who are immunocompromised and/or with comorbidities and other health risks, and pregnant women are required to stay at home, except when travel is indispensable under the circumstances for obtaining essential goods and services, or for work in permitted industries and offices (e.g. APOR).

Section 6. Suspension of Mass Gatherings – Mass gatherings such as, but not limited to, large meetings, sporting events, entertainment activities, large parties, community assemblies, and religious gatherings, shall be temporarily prohibited.

Section 7. Curfew – The Municipality of Guiuan, Eastern Samar continues to enforce the daily curfew prohibiting the roaming and loitering of the general public in public places from 8:00 PM to 5:00 AM. Penalty for violators is a one-day community service in their respective barangays.

Section 8. Penalties – Non-compliance of this Executive Order shall be penalized under the provisions of R.A. 11332, that provides for non-cooperation of persons and entities that should report and/or respond to CoViD-19 suspected and confirmed cases.

Further, if the offense is committed by a public or private health facility, institution, agency, corporation, school, or other juridical entity duly organized in accordance with law, the Chief Executive Officer, President, General Manager, or such other officer in-charge shall be held liable. In addition, the business permit and license to operate of the concerned facility, institution, agency, corporation, school, or legal entity shall be cancelled.

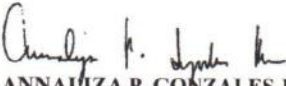
Section 9. Separability – In any event that any provision of this Executive Order or any part hereof is declared invalid, contrary to law, or unconstitutional, the provisions not thereby affected shall remain in force and effect.

Section 10. Repeal – All other issuances or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

Section 11. Effectivity – This Executive Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain to be in force until amended, modified or repealed, in whole or in part by subsequent national and/or local government issuances.

SO ORDERED.

Done this 3rd November 2020 at Guiuan, Eastern Samar.


HON. ANNALIZA P. GONZALES-KWAN
Municipal Mayor