



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 118
Series of 2020

**"AN ORDER IMPOSING CURFEW HOURS DURING THE PERIOD OF
NATIONAL EMERGENCY IN TUGUECARAO CITY"**

WHEREAS, the prime duty of the government is to serve and protect the people, the maintenance and order, the protection of life, liberty, and property, and the promotion of general welfare;

WHEREAS Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 otherwise known as the *Local Government Code of 1991*, "states that the Local Government Units are authorized to exercise powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance and those which are essential to the promotion of general welfare;"

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization has declared Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19) as a pandemic and in response thereto, President Rodrigo R. Duterte through Proclamation No. 922, declared the Philippines under State of Public Health Emergency;

WHEREAS, in response to the growing concern over the outbreak of COVID-19, there is a need to regulate the movement of people in Tuguegarao City;

WHEREAS, IATF prescribes Local Government Units placed under Modified General Community Quarantine to impose curfew hours in their respective jurisdiction;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO, City Mayor of Tuguegarao, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution and the laws, do hereby order the following:

Section 1. Curfew. Curfew from 11:00 PM to 4:00 AM is hereby imposed within the territorial jurisdiction of Tuguegarao City starting October 17, 2020 .

Section 2. Exemptions. The following are the exemptions in this Order:

- a. Health workers and hospital personnel;
- b. Authorized government officials and employees, like peace officers and elected government officials **in the performance of their duties**;
- c. Members of the Armed Forces of the Philippines, Philippine National Police Bureau of Fire Protection, and Bureau of Jail Management and Penology;
- d. Barangay Officials and Tanods **on duty**;
- e. Those persons involved in **emergency medical cases**;
- f. Those involved in the delivery of **basic necessities** like food and medicine;
- g. Drivers and helpers of delivery trucks when loading and unloading of **fruits and vegetables and agricultural products e.g. live hogs, cattle, broilers, eggs and the like**;
- h. Funeral parlors when retrieving/servicing of cadavers;
- i. Priests and religious personnel administering religious rites at night;

- j. Street sweepers, garbage collectors, slaughterhouse workers on night shift duty and meat delivery personnel; and
- k. **Those providing basic medical necessities and online delivery services for food and basic necessities may operate 24/7.**

Section 3. Violation. Any person violating this provisions of this Order shall be dealt with in accordance with pertinent provisions of law.

Section 4. Enforcement / Implementation. This Order shall be implemented by the Philippine National Police - Tuguegarao City, Public Safety and Security Office, Punong Barangays and Barangay Tanods in their respective jurisdictions.

Section 5. Repealing Clause. All prior issuances or parts thereof inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby repealed, amended or otherwise modified accordingly.

Section 6. Effectivity. This Order shall take effect starting October 17, 2020 and shall remain so until lifted.

DONE in Tuguegarao City, this 14th day of October in the Year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.

ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO
City Mayor

