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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 95
 Series of 2020

“AN ORDER ENFORCING THE WEARING OF PROTECTIVE FACE MASKS AND FACE SHIELDS IN ALL BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS IN TUGUEGARAO CITY”

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, , after the declaration of the 2019 Corona Virus Disease, or the COVID-19, as a pandemic by the World Health Organization, the number of confirmed cases throughout the country has increased alarmingly

WHEREAS, aside from social distancing, one of the stringent measures to prevent the transmission of the virus is the wearing of protective gears primarily face mask and face shields;

WHEREAS, Section 1 of the *Joint Memorandum Circular No. 20-04 of DOLE and DTI*, mandated the use of protective face mask and face shield in all private establishments;

WHEREAS, the Eight City Council enacted *City Ordinance No. 61-08-2020*, entitled: “ An Ordinance Mandating the wearing of Protective Face Masks and Face Shield in Tuguegarao City “

WHEREAS, there is a need to enforce the wearing of Protective Face Masks and Face Shield in all business establishments in Tuguegarao City “;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution and the laws as the acting City Mayor, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Executive Order shall be known as, “*An Executive Order Enforcing the Wearing of Protective Face Masks and Face Shield in all Business Establishments in Tuguegarao City*”

SECTION 2. SCOPE AND COVERAGE. This Order shall cover the following, to wit:

- a. Public Market Vendors including those in the Satellite Markets;
- b. Sidewalk/Street Vendors;
- c. Ambulant Transient, Itinerant and Push Cart Vendors;
- d. Talipapas and
- e. Private Business Establishments such as but not limited to:
 - 1. Sari- Sari Stores
 - 2. Groceries
 - 3. Convenience stores
 - 4. Malls



f. General Public / Customers

SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS. For the purposes of this Executive Order, the following terms shall be defined as follows:

- a. **PUBLIC MARKET** refers to market which is not only to the resort of general public or purchaser, but also available to all who wish to offer their services for sale, stalls or places being allotted to those who apply, to the limits of the capacity of the market, on payments of fixed rents or fees.
- b. **MARKET VENDOR** refers to any person who is engaged in the trading and selling of meat, poultry, fish, vegetables and fruits at any public or private market in Tuguegarao City.
- c. **SIDEWALK/STREET VENDOR** refers to any person engaged in selling, offering for sale, or distributing food on a public sidewalk/streets of Tuguegarao City.
- d. **AMBULANT, TRANSIENT, ITINERANT AND PUSH CART VENDORS** refers to a vendor or seller who does not permanently occupy a definite place in the market but one who comes either daily or occasionally to sell his/her goods.

SECTION 4. TYPE OF PROTECTICE FACE SHIELD.

- a. Face shields shall cover the entire face (completely cover the sides and length of the face). If possible, face shields should extend to the ears and below the chin; and
- b. Visor-type face shields shall not be allowed;

SECTION 5. PROPER WAY OF WEARING FACE SHIELDS. The proper way of wearing face shields should be as follows:

- a. Face shields and masks should always be worn together when interacting with colleagues, clients and/or visitors; and
- b. Face shields may be removed according to the demands of the work or when the occupational safety and health of the employees so requires.

SECTION 6. NO FACE SHIELD, NO ENTRY POLICY. All offices and establishments shall implement the "No Face Mask, No Entry Policy" in their respective premises.

No individual shall be allowed to enter or transact business with any offices and establishments without a face shield.

SECTION 7. NO FACE SHIELD, NO OPERATION OF BUSINESS POLICY. Vendors shall not be allowed to operate their businesses or to sell in the public markets or in the streets of Tuguegarao City without wearing their facemask and face shields.

Vendors who are caught selling their goods to an individual without a facemask and face shield shall warrant the closure of their stalls/ establishments.



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SECTION 8. Violation. Any person violating the provisions of this Executive Order shall be dealt with any provisions of existing laws.

SECTION 9. Enforcement/Implementation. This Order shall be implemented by the City Market Administrator, Tuguegarao City Police Force, Public Safety and Security Office, and Punong Barangays in their respective jurisdictions.

Section 10. Repealing Clause. All prior issuances or parts thereof inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby repealed, amended or otherwise modified accordingly.

Section 11. Effectivity. This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain so until the threat of the African swine fever has been declared contained as per announcement from the Department of Agriculture.

DONE in Tuguegarao City, this 17th day of September in the Year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.


BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II
Acting City Mayor 