



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF EL SALVADOR CITY

06 October 2020

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 28, s. 2020

WEARING OF FACE MASK AND FACE SHIELD IN SCHOOLS AND DIVISION OFFICES

To: **Asst. Schools Division Superintendent**
Unit/Sections Heads
All Public Elementary School Heads
All Public Secondary School Heads
All Teaching and Non-Teaching Personnel
All Others Concerned
This Division

1. Pursuant to City Ordinance No. 37-s.2020 *Re: Prescribing Guidelines for Safety and Precautionary Measures Against Covid-19 Pandemic*, this Office enforces all teaching and non-teaching personnel to wear face mask and face shield in schools and division offices as a response to the guidelines specified by the Inter Agency Task Force (IATF) and the Local Government Unit of El Salvador City.
2. Further, schools and division offices should comply to the “no face mask/face shield, no entry” policy together with the other minimum health standards required by the IATF.
3. For dissemination and strict compliance.

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OIC, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

SGOD-MEDICAL /GGHC
SAFETY PRECAUTION



WHEREAS, on August 27, 2020 the Hon. Edgar S. Lignes has endorsed to the Sanggunian the Memorandum Order from the DILG directing all LGUs to enact and/or amend existing Local Ordinances to include penal provisions to strengthen implementation of quarantine and health safety standard protocols to contain COVID-19;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang has adopted Ordinance No. 22-S. 2020 dated June 8, 2020 entitled "An Ordinance Prescribing the Guidelines for Safety and Precautionary Measures Against Covid-19 Pandemic"

WHEREAS, in compliance to the DILG Memorandum, there is a need to amend Local Ordinance on Covid particularly the provisions on precautionary measures to include wearing of face shield and penalty clause to strengthen the implementation of quarantine and health safety standard protocols ;

NOW THEREFORE, upon due deliberation and on the Matter and On Motion of Hon. Aida T. Noble duly Seconded by Hon. Asuncion C. Yamaro, it was

RESOLVED, to enact, as the Sangguniang Panlungsod hereby enacts, the following Ordinance to wit:

ORDINANCE NO. 37-S. 2020

"AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION IV (1), (1a), (1b) AND (1c) (PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES) AND SECTION V (PENALTY CLAUSE) OF ORDINANCE NO. 22 - S. 2020 ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE PRESCRIBING GUIDELINES FOR SAFETY AND PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES AGAINST COVID-19 PANDEMIC"

SECTION I. Title. - This Ordinance shall be known as "An Ordinance Amending Section IV (1), (1a), (1b) and (1c) (Precautionary Measures) and Section V (Penalty Clause) of Ordinance No. 22 - S. 2020 entitled "An Ordinance Prescribing Guidelines for Safety and Precautionary Measures Against Covid-19 Pandemic" .

SECTION II. Scope. - This Ordinance shall apply to all persons, residing and those entering the territorial jurisdiction of El Salvador City and therefore subjected to the guidelines for safety precautionary measures to combat Covid-19.

SECTION III. Amendment. - That Section (1), (1a), (1b) and (1c) of Ordinance No. 22-S. 2020 shall be amended and read as follows :

All business establishments, government offices, barangay local government units, hospitals, schools, public utility vehicles (PUVs), markets, terminals and other institutions within the City of El Salvador are hereby required to adopt stringent social distancing protocol to prevent and contain the spread of transmission in their respective areas and facilities. Other safety precautions are likewise encouraged to include, but not limited to the following:

1. Wearing of face mask and face shield in all public places.

1a. All persons are mandated to wear face masks and face shields, ear loop masks, indigenous, reusable, do-it-yourself masks, handkerchiefs, or such other protective equipment or any combination thereof which can effectively lessen the transmission of

Covid-19, whenever they go out of their residences, pursuant to existing guidelines issued by the national government;

1b. "No face mask and face shield No entry" policy in all establishments, PUVs, markets and likewise require all personnel who will be attending to clients/customers, and for public utility drivers to wear protective face mask;

1c. Require frontline personnel and employees, customer support and others of similar functions to wear face masks and face shields during their duty or shift.

SECTION V. Penalty. – That Section V of Ordinance No. 22-S. 2020 shall be amended and read as follows:

- a. First Offense - A fine of TWO THOUSAND (Php 2,000) PESOS;
- b. Second Offense – A fine of THREE THOUSAND (Php 3,000.00) PESOS;
- c. Third and Succeeding Offenses – A fine of FIVE THOUSAND (Php 5,000.00) PESOS and/or imprisonment for 10-30 days at the discretion of the court.

SECTION VI. Separability Clause. – If any section or provision of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional, void or found to be inconsistent with future community quarantine classifications and its guidelines, the remaining provisions not affected by such declaration shall remain in full force or effect.

SECTION VII. Repealing Clause. – All previous Ordinances, rules, and regulations inconsistent with this Ordinance shall be deemed repealed or modified accordingly.


SECTION VIII. Effectivity. – This Ordinance shall take effect after all legal requirements have been complied.

APPROVED.


I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing minutes and the same was approved this 21st day of September 2020, at the New SP Session Hall, this City.


ALFREDO S. PAZ, MDMG
City Council Secretary

ATTESTED BY:


HON. AGRIPIÑO D. ESTRADA, JR.
City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED BY:


HON. EDGAR S. LIGNES
City Mayor

Date Approved: 10/1/20 