



Republic of the Philippines  
**PROVINCE OF BOHOL**  
City of Tagbilaran



**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

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BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 33  
Series of 2020

**PLACING THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL UNDER MODIFIED GENERAL  
COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (MGCQ)**

**WHEREAS**, under Section 4 (g) of the Bayanihan to Heal as One Act, the Local Government Units, while mandated to act within the letter and spirit of all the rules, regulations and directives issued by the National Government and to implement standards of Community Quarantine consistent with what the National Government has laid down for the subject area, are however allowed to continue exercising their autonomy in all matters undefined by the National Government or are within the parameters it has set;

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Governor of Bohol is empowered to issue executive orders for the faithful and appropriate enforcement of laws and ordinances and to carry out such emergency measures during and in the aftermath of man-made and natural disasters and calamities under Section 465 (b) (1) (vii) in relation to Section 465 (b) (2) (iii) of RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991;

**WHEREAS**, on 30 June 2020, the President, Hon. Rodrigo Roa Duterte, has announced that the Province of Bohol will be placed under a Modified General Community Quarantine ("MGCQ") from 01-15 July 2020;

**WHEREAS**, under the Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines as amended on 25 June 2020 ("IATF Omnibus Guidelines") issued by the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease ("IATF"), MGCQ "refers to the transition phase between General Community Quarantine and the New Normal when the following temporary measures are relaxed and become less necessary: limiting movement and transportation, the regulation of operating industries, and the presence of uniformed personnel to enforce community quarantine protocols";

**WHEREAS**, notwithstanding IATF's identification of the Province of Bohol as among the low-risk areas, the continuing threat of COVID-19 transmission propels the need to continue the imposition of all quarantine measures, such as but not limited to the imposition of province-wide curfew and home quarantine, partial

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**Section 4. *Allowed Industries and Establishments.*** - Those industries and establishments allowed to operate under Executive Order No. 31, Series of 2020, shall remain open and allowed to operate under strict minimum health standards.

Dine-in Food Industry shall be allowed on a 50% percent capacity complying with minimum health standards and guidelines. The City/Municipal Mayors shall continue to provide health and sanitation accreditation to ensure compliance of dine-in establishments of the capacity limitation and minimum health and sanitation standards.

For hotels and other accommodation establishments, only those accredited as provided by law and relevant DOT and DILG issuances may operate, and only upon issuance of a Certificate of Authority to operate by the DOT. For this purpose, DOT and DILG shall work with LGUs to ensure compliance of accommodation establishments.

**Section 5. *Public, Mass and Religious Gatherings.*** - Public and mass gatherings, including concerts, sporting/athletic events and socio-civic/cultural activities, shall continue to be prohibited until further orders. However, religious gatherings, weddings, baptisms, and work conferences shall be allowed at 50% capacity of the venue. Home receptions for wedding, baptism, and similar events, as well as celebration of fiesta at home shall NOT be allowed.

**Section 6. *Health and Exercise.*** - In recognition that exercise is an essential component in maintaining a healthy body and sound mind, the IATF has allowed indoor and outdoor non-contact sports and other form of exercises such as walking, jogging, running, biking, golf, swimming, tennis, badminton, skateboarding and range shooting following minimum health standards. It is expected that in these allowed sports and exercises, there shall be no borrowing of sports equipment. Contact sports such as but not limited to Basketball, Football, Volleyball, Boxing, and Martial Arts shall continue to be prohibited.

Under MGCQ, the IATF has allowed establishments in Sector IV which includes Fitness Gyms on a 50% capacity basis. However, these establishments shall obtain clearance from the City/Municipal Mayor that they can implement the basic minimum standards.

**Section 7. *Public and private transportation.*** - Public and private transportation shall continue to operate pursuant to the regulations imposed by the Land Transportation and Franchising Regulatory Board and the Land Transportation Office.

**Section 8. *Internet Shops, Cinemas, Bars, Nightclubs, KTV and Karaoke.*** - Bars, nightclubs, KTV and karaoke joints shall continue to be closed. Internet Shops and Cinemas shall remain close until the duration of the MGCQ.

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liquor ban, mandatory use of face masks, the imposition of one-household-one-pass-policy, and the regulated operation of business establishments under the new normal in line with national standards;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the above premises, **I, ATTY. ARTHUR C. YAP**, Governor of the Province of Bohol, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:



**Section 1. Province-wide state of Modified General Community Quarantine.**  
- Consistent with national policy towards implementing a unified, cohesive and orderly program against COVID-19, and coupled with the exercise of local autonomy geared towards becoming the flagbearer and model of the New Normal, a province-wide Modified General Community Quarantine is hereby ordered to be in effect from **12:01 A.M. of 01 July 2020 to 11:59 PM of 15 July 2020.**

**Section 2. Extension of the Suspension of Domestic Air and Sea Travel of Passengers Bound for Bohol.** - The suspension of domestic air and sea travel of passengers bound for Bohol until 11:59 of 31 May 2020 pursuant to Executive Order No. 8, Series of 2020, as extended by the subsequent Executive Orders, is hereby **EXTENDED FURTHER from 12:01 A.M. of 01 July 2020 to 11:59 PM of 15 July 2020.** However, the repatriation of Returning Overseas Filipinos (ROFs) and Locally Stranded Individuals (LSIs) and the travel of Authorized Persons Outside Residence (APORs) shall continue under the strict quarantine and testing protocols.

**Section 3. Adoption with Modification Section 5 of the IATF Omnibus Guidelines dated 25 June 2020.** - Section 5 of the IATF Omnibus Guidelines is adopted except the following provisions observed under the GCQ regime will remain to be enforced in the entire Province of Bohol from **12:01 A.M. of 01 July 2020 to 11:59 PM of 15 July 2020:**


- i. General curfew from 9:00 P.M. to 5:00 A.M.
  - a. Minors may break their mandatory curfew every Friday and Saturday from 6:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. provided that they are accompanied by a parent (s) /guardian (s); and
  - b. For Senior Citizens 65 Years Old and above, they shall be allowed to break their mandatory curfew every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 6:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.
- ii. Home Quarantine Pass System
- iii. Suspension of Face-to-Face Classes
- iv. Partial Liquor Ban
- v. Social Distancing
- vi. Mandatory Use of Face Masks

**Section 9. *Cockfighting and Gambling Activities.*** - Cockfighting and other gambling and betting *activities* shall continue to be prohibited.

**Section 10. *Repealing Clause.*** - All Executive Orders and other issuances which are inconsistent herewith are deemed repealed and modified accordingly.

**Section 11. *Effectivity.*** - This Order shall take effect on 12:01 AM of July 1, 2020 and unless further extended shall automatically lapse at 11:59 PM of July 15, 2020.

DONE this 30<sup>TH</sup> day of June 2020 in the City of Tagbilaran, Bohol, Philippines.

  
ATTY. ARTHUR C. YAP  
Governor  
Province of Bohol