



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



**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 38  
Series of 2020

**AN EXECUTIVE ORDER EXTENDING THE MODIFIED GENERAL COMMUNITY  
QUARANTINE (MGCQ) IN THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL**

**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 undersigned issued Executive Order No. 33 of even date placing the entire Province of Bohol under a Modified General Community Quarantine ("MGCQ") from 01-15 July 2020;

**WHEREAS**, Executive Order No. 33, following 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"), provides for a more relaxed and less stringent community quarantine but still imposing measures and protocols, such as but not limited to, sea and air travel ban, imposition of province-wide curfew and home quarantine, partial liquor ban, mandatory use of face masks, imposition of one-household-one-pass-policy, and the regulated operation of business establishments under the new normal in line with national standards;

**WHEREAS**, there are still considerable number of active COVID-19 cases within the Province of Bohol and the neighboring Cebu Province and Cebu City continue to exhibit an increasing number of COVID-19 cases which necessitate the extension of the Modified Community Quarantine in the province;

**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 the extension of the effectivity of Executive Order No. 33, Series of 2020, which places the Province of Bohol under the state of a Modified Community Quarantine and providing guidelines thereof, from 12:01 A.M. of 16 July 2020 to 11:59 P.M. of 31 July 2020.

**PROVIDED ALSO**, that the operation of Bars, Nightclubs, KTV, Karaoke Joints, Internet Shops and Cinemas shall continue to be prohibited. Cockfighting, gambling, and betting activities shall continue to be strictly prohibited.

**PROVIDED FURTHER**, that returning Locally Stranded Individuals and Overseas Filipino Workers as well as visiting national and regional Government Officials and all others who may be exempt from the effectivity of the sea and air travel ban under Executive Order No. 8-A, Series of 2020, are enjoined to coordinate and secure the necessary Clearance with the Bohol Inter-Agency Task Force before their arrival or scheduled visit in the province.

**PROVIDED FINALLY**, that violators of quarantine protocols under Executive Order No. 33 and all other valid, subsisting, and effective issuances shall be prosecuted under Provincial Ordinance No. 2020-007 (*Intensifying the Precautionary Measures to Avert Widespread Contagion of COVID-19 and Other Emerging Infectious Diseases in Bohol and Imposing Sanctions for Violations Thereof and for Other Purposes*) and its amendment after publication thereof without prejudice to prosecution under other relevant national laws, rules and regulations.

DONE this 15th day of July <sup>2020</sup> in the City of Tagbilaran, Bohol, Philippines.



**ATTY. ARTHUR C. YAP**  
Governor  
Province of Bohol