



Republic of the Philippines
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)
Province of Cavite
CITY OF GENERAL TRIAS
OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 21-10 (GENERAL)

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ADOPTING THE LOCAL EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 08 SERIES OF 2021 ENTITLED "AN ORDER IMPLEMENTING STRINGENT PUBLIC HEALTH PROTOCOLS TO ARREST THE INCREASE OF COVID-19 CASES IN THE CITY OF GENERAL TRIAS."

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 states that the Local Government Units (LGUs) shall ensure and support, among other things, the promotion of health and safety of its inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Presidential Proclamation No. 922 Series of 2020 was issued declaring a state of public health emergency throughout the Philippines due to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) thus placing the country under various types of community quarantine;

WHEREAS, the City of General Trias deemed it necessary to provide or prescribe a response strategy, guidelines and interventions to control and prevent the increasing number of COVID-19 cases in the City;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Kristine Jane M. Perdito-Barison duly seconded by SP Member Vivencio Q. Lozares, Jr.,

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod, that:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as "Adopting the Local Executive Order Implementing Stringent Public Health Protocols Ordinance."

SECTION 2. OBJECTIVE. To safeguard the health and safety of every Gentriseños amidst the threat of the pandemic COVID-19.

SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS. Whenever used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall have the respective meanings hereafter set forth:

- a. Cease and Desist Order - the LGU's directive for the immediate halt on all prohibited acts;
- b. Community Service - the punishment impose by the LGU for violation of the prescribed public health protocols under this Ordinance which may include among others: a) cleaning or disinfection of public places,

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- b) distribution of Information and Education Campaign materials on COVID-19, c) repacking and/or distribution of relief goods and d) tree planting;
- c. Establishments – both business and non-business establishments such as churches, schools, government offices, and non-government organizations;
- d. Deputized Apprehending Officer/Person – All uniformed personnel of the City of General Trias Component Police Station and individuals deputized by the Local Chief Executive thru an Executive Order who are members of organizations duly accredited by the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) for at least three (3) years, which are task to enforce the prescribed public health protocols under this Ordinance and issue official violation receipt to violators.
- e. Public Health Protocols – the measures prescribed by the City Government of General Trias to prevent and control the spread of COVID-19; and
- f. Temporary Closure Order – the momentary closure of an establishment found to have violated the prescribed Public Health Protocols mandated under this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. SCOPE AND COVERAGE. This Ordinance shall apply to all the constituents including juridical entities within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of General Trias.

SECTION 5. ADOPTION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE LOCAL EXECUTIVE ORDER. This Ordinance hereby adopts the abovementioned Local Executive Order No. 08, attached hereto and made integral part hereof, regarding the stringent public health protocols with modification on the following provisions:

- a. Sec. 1 (c). Liquor ban pertains only to the selling and use of liquor for one (1) month, 15 March to 14 April 2021;
- b. Sec. 1 (f). The prohibitions on public, mass or social gatherings does not cover the religious worship services, delivery of government social services and other events sanctioned by the government. The said gatherings shall comply and observe the minimum public health standard imposed by the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-MEID);
- c. Sec. 1 (d). Minors below ten (10) years of age and senior citizens above sixty five (65) years of age are only allowed to go outside their residences under indispensable circumstances for obtaining essential goods and services, for work in industry and offices allowed to operate during community quarantine and, for emergency cases;

SECTION 6. FINES AND PENALTIES.

INDIVIDUAL	
1 st Offense	Php 2 500
2 nd Offense	2 500 and community service
3 rd Offense	3 000 and community service

JURIDICAL PERSON OR ESTABLISHMENTS	
1 st Offense	Php 2 500 and cease and desist order
2 nd Offense	3 500 and temporary closure order
3 rd Offense	5 000, temporary closure order and revocation of business permit if applicable

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SECTION 7. DISPOSITION OF COLLECTED FINES. Fines shall be paid by the violator to the Office of the City Treasurer and the same will go to:

- a. 60% - City Government of General Trias
- b. 40% - Deputized Apprehending Officer/Person

SECTION 8. IMPLEMENTING OFFICE/PUBLIC EDUCATION AND INFORMATION. The Office of the City Mayor through the City Information Office (CIO), City Health Office (CHO), Business Permit and Licensing Office (BPLO), General Trias Component City-Police Station (PNP), Barangay Officials and other offices or persons as may be determined by the Local Chief Executive shall conduct information campaign on public health protocols and implement the provisions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 9. REPEALING CLAUSE. All ordinances, resolutions and other issuances that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby amended, repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 10. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If, for any reason, any part or provision of this shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof, which are not affected, shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 11. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ORDAINED under THIRD/FINAL READING on 17 MARCH 2021.


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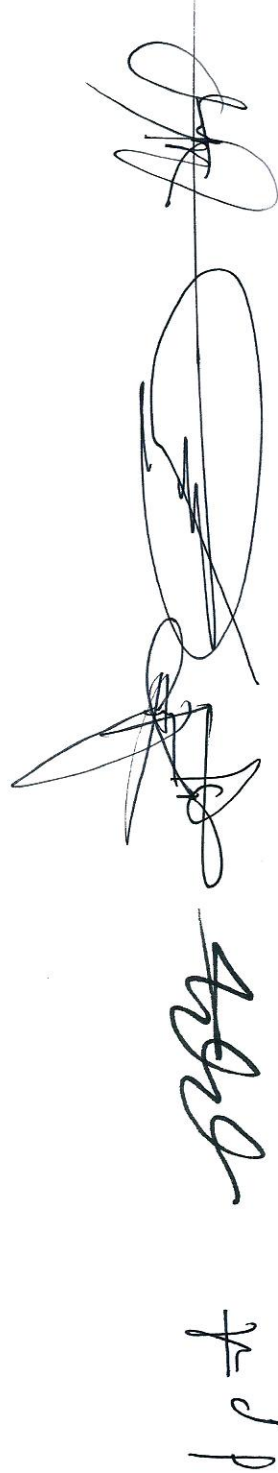

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