



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR
City of Davao

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 106,
Series of 2020

AN ORDER CREATING THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP TO FORMULATE THE IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE SPECIAL OFFICE FOR CHILDREN'S CONCERN, PROVIDING FOR ITS COMPOSITION, THEIR DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Philippines, as one of the signatories to the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC), is committed to promote, protect and fulfill the rights of the child to a meaningful participation in matters that affect them, specially their rights are at stake.

WHEREAS, the City of Davao has taken concrete actions in fulfilling the country's commitment to the UNCRC through the enactment of City Ordinance No. 0292-06, Series of 2006, otherwise known as "The Comprehensive Children and Family Support System in Davao, as Amended" or the "Davao City Children's Welfare Code, as amended", which first mentioned the creation of a Davao City Special Office for Children's Concerns (SOCC).

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 0602-18, Series of 2018, also known as "An Ordinance Creating the Special Office for Children's Concern under the City Mayor's Office" aims to beef up the capacity of all implementing agencies in realizing the provisions of the Davao City Children's Welfare Code, as amended.

WHEREAS, the Special Office for Children's Concern shall be deemed as the special coordinating and implementing arm of the City of Davao's Local Council for the Protection of Children and shall focus on the implementation of specific programs and projects for children apart from the services rendered by the Davao City Social Welfare and Development Office;

WHEREAS, to effectively implement the functions and purpose of the Special Office for Children's Concerns, the implementing rules and regulations of City Ordinance No. 0602-18, Series of 2018 must be formulated and established by the members of the Local Council for the Protection of Children;

WHEREAS, there is a need for the creation of a Technical Working Group to handle the efficient formulation of the Implementing Rules and Regulations for the creation of the Special Office for Children's Concerns;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SARA Z. DUTERTE, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. CREATION OF THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP TO FORMULATE THE IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE SPECIAL OFFICE FOR CHILDREN'S CONCERN. There is hereby organized and constituted a group known and called as the Technical Working Group for the formulation of the Implementing Rules and Regulations for the creation of the Special Office for Children's Concerns, also known as "TWG - SOCC IRR".

SECTION 2. FUNCTIONS. The TWG - SOCC IRR shall have the following functions:

1. Formulate the Implementing Rules and Regulations for the creation of the Special Office for Children's Concerns;
2. Respond immediately to issues and concerns affecting the creation of the Special Office for Children's Concerns;
3. Advocate for the efficient formulation of the Implementing Rules and Regulations for the creation of the Special Office for Children's Concerns; and,
4. Perform such other functions that are incidental to and are necessary for the formulation of the Implementing Rules and Regulations for the creation of the Special Office for Children's Concerns.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION. The TWG - SOCC IRR is hereby composed of the following offices to be represented by its department head or highest-ranking officer or their duly authorized representatives:

Chairperson : City Council on Women, Children and Family Relations

Vice-Chairperson : Non-Government Organization (NGO)

Members : City Administrator's Office (CAoO)
City Planning and Development Office (CPDO)
City Legal Office (CLO)
Department of Interior Local Government – Davao City
Five (5) Civil Society Organizations

The TWG - SOCC IRR may add members from time to time as deemed necessary.

Section 4. FUNDING/OPERATING COSTS. All costs pertaining to the operation of the TWG - SOCC IRR as may hereinafter identified by the Chairperson or the Vice-Chairperson, shall be taken from the available funds of the City Government of Davao, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Section 5. Repealing Clause. All previous Executive Orders inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 6. Effectivity Clause. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done in the City of Davao, Philippines, this ___ day of 11 DEC 2020, 20__.


SARA Z. DUTERTE
City Mayor

Attested by:


ATTY. ZULEIKA T. LOPEZ
City Administrator

