

Republic of the Philippines OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR

City of Davao

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 66

Series of 2021

AN ORDER PROVIDING FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE REVERSE TRANSCRIPTION POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION (RT-PCR) RESULT REQUIREMENT FOR TRAVELERS ENTERING DAVAO CITY VIA LAND, SEA, AND AIR

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared a COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, President Rodrigo Duterte issued Presidential Proclamation 1218 series of 2021, dated September 10 2021, extending the State of Calamity in the country until September 12, 2022;

WHEREAS, Presidential Spokesperson Harry Roque announced on November 13, 2021, that Davao City shall be placed under Alert Level 2 until November 30, 2021;

WHEREAS, there is a need to put on hold the implementation of Davao City Ordinance No. 0477-21, known as "An Ordinance Providing for Mandatory Testing Prior To Entry into Davao City Via the Davao International Airport" because of the change in the COVID-19 status in the city;

WHEREAS, there is a need to provide a new guide for travelers entering Davao City by land, sea, or air travel both domestic and international, following the decrease in the number of cases reported and the active vaccination rollout within the city.

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

SECTION 1. LAND AND DOMESTIC SEA AND AIR TRAVEL. All travelers entering Davao City by land and all arriving domestic travelers by sea and air shall no longer be required to present their 24-72 hours negative RT-PCR test results. No document shall be required for entry into Davao City, except for security checks that may be required by the AFP and PNP personnel, for the purposes of anti-crime, anti-illegal drugs, and anti-terrorism operations.

SECTION 2. INTERNATIONAL AIR TRAVEL. All passengers by international air travel arriving in Davao City, including those international passengers arriving through connecting domestic flights, shall comply with the requirements and guidelines provided by the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-MEID).

SECTION 3. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

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SECTION 4. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

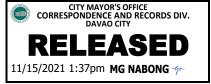
SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect from 12:01 AM of November 16, 2021 to January 15, 2022.

Done this 15th day of November 2021 in Davao City, Philippines.

SARA Z. DUTERTE
City Mayor

Attested by:

ATTY. ZULEIKA T. LOPEZ
City Administrator



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