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SUBJECT: SUSTAINING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF BARANGAY DRUG CLEARING PROGRAM (BDCP) AND REPEALING FOR SUCH PURPOSE BOARD REGULATION NO. 3, SERIES OF 2017

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9165, also known as the “Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002,” as amended (the “Act”), tasks the Dangerous Drugs Board (the “Board”) to formulate policies and programs on drug prevention and control, and to develop and adopt a comprehensive, unified, integrated and balanced national drug abuse prevention and control strategy;

WHEREAS, Regulation No. 3, Series of 2017 was issued by the Board to provide guidelines on the implementation of Barangay Drug Clearing Program (BDCP) in all local government units;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 15, Series of 2017 created the Inter-Agency Committee on Anti-Illegal Drugs (ICAD) which primarily supports the Philippine Anti-Drug Strategy (PADS) by unifying, integrating, and synchronizing anti-illegal drug programs through the BDCP;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 66, Series of 2018 institutionalized the PADS which paved the way for the implementation of a well-balanced national anti-illegal drug program through strict law enforcement, prevention programs, early detection and opportune interventions, treatment and rehabilitation with the active involvement and participation of the local government units;

WHEREAS, DILG-DDB Joint MC No. 2018-01 laid down the implementing guidelines on the Functionality and Effectiveness of Local Anti-Drug Abuse Council (ADAC) to accelerate and cascade the campaign against illegal drugs at the local government level;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), as the lead agency in the anti-illegal drug campaign, implements enhanced procedures in declaring drug affected and drug unaffected barangays, municipalities, cities and provinces as “drug-cleared” or “drug-free”;

WHEREAS, in line with the priorities set forth by the Office of the President and to provide clear-cut procedures in implementing the BDCP to attain a drug resilient and self-policing communities, there is a need to enhance the provisions of the aforesaid Regulation;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it **RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to provide an enhanced guideline to sustain the implementation of the Barangay Drug Clearing Program and repeal Board Regulation No. 3, Series of 2017 as hereby stated:

SECTION 1. GENERAL PRINCIPLE OF BARANGAY DRUG CLEARING PROGRAM (BDCP) - The program is anchored on the culture of cooperation, respect for human dignity, holistic strategies, and whole-of-nation approach in addressing the drug problem in the communities.

SECTION 2. GENERAL OBJECTIVES OF THE BARANGAY DRUG CLEARING PROGRAM - The BDCP aims to reduce drug affectation in the country by taking away drugs from the people, take people away from the lure of illegal drugs, and minimize the impact of the drug problem in the community by integrating the support of stakeholders, duty bearers, and local chief executives. The ultimate goal is to realize drug resilient and self-policing communities and produce stigma-free rehabilitated PWUDs and drug reformists.

SECTION 3. SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES OF THE BARANGAY DRUG CLEARING PROGRAM - The conduct of drug clearing activities at various levels shall have the following minimum objectives:

- 3.1 Provide the barangays and local government units (LGUs) with basic foundation on the implementation of BDCP by identifying PWUDs, Pushers, Drug Den Maintainer, Coddler, Protector, Financier, Cultivator, Manufacturer and others, determining drug affectation level, and capacitating duty bearers and stakeholders;
- 3.2 Properly implement the BDCP and be declared as Drug-Cleared and/or Drug-Free through carrying out demand and supply reduction activities and other support initiatives;
- 3.3 Sustain the implementation of BDCP by ensuring that the community has developed resiliency against illegal drugs and effect reintegration of and erase the stigma on rehabilitated PWUDs and drug reformists;
- 3.4 Sustain the implementation of BDCP by achieving a self-policing community;
- 3.5 Institutionalize the implementation of BDCP through issuance of ordinances, executive orders, and policies and ensuring multi-sectoral support; and
- 3.6 Continuously enhance the implementation of BDCP through monitoring, evaluation and consultation with duty bearers and stakeholders.

SECTION 4. ACRONYMS

ADAC – Anti-Drug Abuse Council
BADAC – Barangay Anti-Drug Abuse Council
BDCP – Barangay Drug Clearing Program
DDB – Dangerous Drugs Board
ICAD – Inter-Agency Committee on Anti-Illegal Drugs
LCE – Local Chief Executive
LGU – Local Government Unit
PADS – Philippine Anti-Illegal Drugs Strategy
PWUD – Persons Who Use Drugs
PO, PDEA – Provincial Office, Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency
ROCBDC – Regional Oversight Committee of Barangay Drug Clearing

SECTION 5. DEFINITION OF TERMS

Barangay Seal of Excellence – refers to the highest recognition conferred to implementers of BDCP by PDEA.

Balay Silangan – refers to reformation facility that caters pushers pursuant to Board Regulation No. 2 Series of 2018.

Barangay Drug Clearing Program – holistic and a whole of nation approach in addressing the drug problem with the aim of attaining

resilient and self-policing communities by enlisting the participation of LGUs, government agencies, and various stakeholders.

Demand Reduction – refers to taking people away from the lure of drug abuse through preventive education; research; treatment, rehabilitation and reintegration; provision of alternative development programs; and forging cooperation with regional and international agencies and counterparts.

Drug Affection – refers to level of drug affection of a barangay such as Slightly Affected, Moderately Affected and Seriously Affected, based on the presence of PWUDs, Pushers, Drug Den Maintainers, Coddlers, Protectors, Financiers, Cultivators, Manufacturers and others, existence of illegal drug facilities, and prevalence of illegal drug activities.

Drug Reformists – refer to pushers and other offenders who complete the appropriate intervention/s.

House Visits – refer to the conduct of household visits of identified PWUDs and pushers, informing and convincing them to undergo appropriate intervention programs offered by the government.

Pusher – any person who sells, trades, administers, dispenses, delivers or gives away to another, on any terms whatsoever, or distributes, dispatches in transit or transports dangerous drugs or who acts as a broker in any as such transactions, in violation of the Act.

Persons Who Use Drugs (PWUDs) – refer to persons who use, abuse, or are dependent on dangerous drugs.

Rehabilitated PWUDs – refers to PWUDs who have completed the appropriate intervention/s.

Relapse – refers to rehabilitated PWUDs who completed intervention but resumed use of illegal drugs.

Revitalization - refers to compliance with DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2015-63 by BADACs.

Supply Reduction – refers to taking away drugs from the public through market denial operations and prevention of diversion from the licit to illicit market; and reduce the proliferation of illegal drugs through sustainable alternative development programs

Surrenderers – refer to individuals involved in illegal drugs who voluntarily submit themselves to intervention programs implemented by the government.

Vetting and Confirmation – refers to the process of certifying drug unaffected barangay as Drug-Free by ROCBDC.

SECTION 6. STAGES AND ACTIVITIES OF BDCP IMPLEMENTATION – the implementation of BDCP follows a three-tier stage:

6.1 Foundation Stage – defines the readiness of the barangay to undertake the BDCP. Activities under this stage includes:

- 6.1.1 Classification of Barangay according to Drug Affection based on the presence of PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainers, coddlers, protectors, financiers, cultivators, manufacturers and others, existence of illegal drug facilities, and prevalence of illegal drug activities;
- 6.1.2 Roll-Out of BDCP to LGUs and stakeholders to enhance awareness on the guidelines and procedures of the program;
- 6.1.3 BADAC Reactivation, Revitalization, and establishment of Rehabilitation Referral Desk; and
- 6.1.4. Identification and consolidation of a list by BADAC of the following:
 - 6.1.4.1 PWUDs
 - 6.1.4.2 Pushers
 - 6.1.4.3 Drug den maintainers, coddlers, protectors, financiers, cultivators, manufacturers, and others
- 6.2 Pivotal Stage – Exemplifies that the BDCP is properly implemented and its impact is being felt by the community. Activities under this stage comprise of the following:
 - 6.2.1 Conduct of House Visits to identified PWUDs and Pushers to inform them of available appropriate intervention programs;
 - 6.2.2 Conduct of Anti-Illegal Drug Operations;
 - 6.2.3 Ensure that general interventions and community-based drug rehabilitation programs implemented in the community are documented and certified by the Department of Health (DOH) pursuant to DDB Regulation No. 4, s 2020;
 - 6.2.4 Implement appropriate intervention programs for surrenderers;
 - 6.2.5 Implement Demand Reduction Programs and conduct of other related activities;
 - 6.2.6 Monitor PWUDs and Pushers as to interventions undertaken;
 - 6.2.7 Monitor and account the current circumstances of the identified PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others;
 - 6.2.8 Deliberate and declare drug-cleared status for Drug Affected Barangays, Municipalities, Cities and Provinces ROCBDC; and
 - 6.2.9 Deliberate on the Vetting and Confirmation of Drug-Free status for Drug Unaffected Barangays, Municipalities, Cities and Provinces by ROCBDC.
- 6.3 Sustainability Stage – this means that the level of BDCP implementation is consistent. This is indicated by empowered and self-policing barangays, resilient citizens, stigma-free rehabilitated PWUDs and drug reformists. Activities under this stage includes:
 - 6.3.1 Social Reintegration Program for rehabilitated PWUDs and drug reformists;
 - 6.3.2 Relapse Prevention Program for rehabilitated PWUDs;
 - 6.3.3 Continuous implementation of Drug-Free Workplace Program;
 - 6.3.4 Active Multi-Sectoral Support to BDCP implementation;
 - 6.3.5 Continuous Capacity Development for BDCP Implementers;
 - 6.3.6 Establishment of Community Drug Watch;
 - 6.3.7 Establishment of Community Support Group for Drug Problem;

- 6.3.8 Institutionalization of Implementation of BDCP through issuances of Ordinances, Executive Orders and Policies;
- 6.3.9 Periodic consultation with Duty Bearers and Stakeholders which may include holding of Annual Conference on BDCP Implementation;
- 6.3.10 Continuous conduct of demand reduction activities;
- 6.3.11 Sustained intervention programs for PWUDs which may include General Intervention (GI), Community-Based Drug Rehabilitation Program (CBDRP) and Drug Treatment Rehabilitation Center Program (DTRP); and
- 6.3.12 Sustained intervention program for pushers and other drug offenders pursuant to DDB Regulation No 2, Series of 2018.

SECTION 7. DUTY BEARERS AND STAKEHOLDERS - The ADAC shall carry-out the implementation of BDCP and shall be supported by the following:

- 7.1 National Government Agencies;
- 7.2 Local Government Units;
- 7.3 Law Enforcement Agencies;
- 7.4 Non-Government Organizations;
- 7.5 Peoples’ Organizations;
- 7.6 Faith-Based Organizations;
- 7.7 Civic Society Organizations;
- 7.8 Youth Sector;
- 7.9 Academe;
- 7.10 Private Sector; and
- 7.11 Media.

SECTION 8. ORGANIZATION OF REGIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON BARANGAY DRUG CLEARING (ROCBDC) - A Regional Oversight Committee shall be established composed of the following:

Chairperson:	PDEA Regional Director
Vice-Chairperson:	DILG Regional Director or Authorized Permanent Representative
Members:	PNP Regional Director or Authorized Permanent Representative; DOH Regional Director or Authorized Permanent Representative; and LGU Authorized Representative as appointed by the LCE.

SECTION 9. Powers and Functions of Regional Oversight Committee on Barangay Drug Clearing (ROCBDC) - Powers and Functions of ROCBDC on BDCP are the following:

- 9.1 The ROCBDC shall assess and evaluate the veracity of the documents submitted by the applicant for Drug-Cleared or Drug-Free Barangays, Municipalities/Cities or Provinces;
- 9.2 The ROCBDC shall be responsible in declaring Drug Affected Barangays, Municipalities/Cities or Provinces as Drug-Cleared after satisfying all the parameters set forth by this Regulation;
- 9.3 The ROCBDC shall be responsible in confirming Drug Unaffected Barangays, Municipalities/Cities or Provinces as Drug-Free after satisfying all the parameters set forth by this Regulation;
- 9.4 The ROCBDC shall issue a Resolution for Retention of Drug-Cleared Status or Drug-Free Status to barangay with no presence of active PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler,

- protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, and/or relapse cases;
- 9.5 The ROCBDC shall issue a Resolution for Presence of Active PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, and/or relapse cases to concerned BADAC for appropriate intervention;
 - 9.6 The ROCBDC shall direct the conduct of drug test on rehabilitated PWUDs who underwent General Intervention (GI), Community-Based Drug Rehabilitation Program (CBDRP) and Drug Treatment Rehabilitation Program (DTRP) and drug reformist who underwent intervention program in Balay Silangan;
 - 9.7 The ROCBDC shall issue a Resolution of Revocation to Drug-Cleared or Drug-Free Barangays, Municipalities/Cities or Provinces Status for failure to comply the requirements set forth by this Regulation;
 - 9.8 The ROCBDC shall ensure that all its policies, decisions and recommendations are supported by corresponding Resolutions; and
 - 9.9 The ROCBDC shall recommend programs/activities for the enhancement of the BDCP implementation

SECTION 10. Responsibility of Municipal/City Anti-Drug Abuse Council (MADAC/CADAC) Chairman - The MADAC/CADAC Chairman shall ensure the comprehensive implementation of BDCP and allocation of funds therefore.

SECTION 11. Classification of Barangays - The following are the classification of barangays in relation to BDCP:

- 11.1 Drug Unaffected Barangay - a barangay that has never been plagued or beset by any PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, illegal drug activity and illegal drug facility.
- 11.2 Drug Affected Barangay - a barangay that has reported and validated presence of PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others. Drug Affected Barangay is further classified as follows:
 - 11.2.1 Slightly Affected - presence of identified PWUD/s.
 - 11.2.2 Moderately Affected - presence of identified drug pusher/s and PWUD/s; and
 - 11.2.3 Seriously Affected - existence of any of the following: clandestine drug laboratory, illegal drug warehouse, plant sources cultivation, drug den/tiangge and/or presence of identified drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others.
- 11.3 Drug-Cleared Barangay - classified as previously drug affected, subjected to BDCP and declared cleared by ROCBDC.
- 11.4 Drug-Free Barangay - an Unaffected Barangay that has been vetted and confirmed by ROCBDC.

SECTION 12. Declaring Drug Affected Barangays, Municipalities, Cities and Provinces as Drug-Cleared - The following are the procedures in Declaring Drug Affected Barangays, Municipalities, Cities and Provinces as Drug-Cleared:

12.1 The Barangay shall:

- 12.1.1 Revitalize the BADAC;
- 12.1.2 Undergo orientation on BDCP;
- 12.1.3 Provide list of suspected PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others;
- 12.1.4 Conduct house visits;
- 12.1.5 Process Surrenderers;
- 12.1.6 Implement appropriate Intervention Programs to PWUDs and pushers;
- 12.1.7 Monitor the status of PWUDs and Pushers as to interventions undertaken;
- 12.1.8 Monitor and account the current circumstances of identified PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others;
- 12.1.9 Submit folder for application for Drug-Cleared Barangay status;
- 12.1.10 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Drug-Cleared Status;
- 12.1.11 Once declared as Drug-Cleared shall receive Certificate; and
- 12.1.12 Once deferred, comply the lacking requirements set by this Regulation and re-apply for Drug-Cleared status.

12.2 The Municipality/City shall:

- 12.2.1 Ensure that all Barangays as Drug-Cleared are validated, respectively;
- 12.2.2 Subject the randomly selected rehabilitated PWUDs and drug reformists in all barangays to undergo surveillance drug test;
- 12.2.3 Implement Ordinances or Executive Orders and Anti-Illegal Drug Programs;
- 12.2.4 Establish Balay Silangan, if applicable;
- 12.2.5 Submit folder for application for Drug-Cleared status;
- 12.2.6 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Drug-Cleared Status;
- 12.2.7 Once declared as Drug-Cleared, receive Balangay Seal of Excellence; and
- 12.2.8 Once deferred, comply the lacking requirements set by this Regulation and re-apply for Drug-Cleared status.

12.3 The Province shall:

- 12.3.1 Ensure that all municipalities/cities are Drug-Cleared;
- 12.3.2 Be a recipient of highest level of ADAC Functionality;
- 12.3.3 Have its Provincial Jail declared as Drug-Cleared pursuant to DDB Regulation No. 2, Series of 2020 or "Guidelines in the Nationwide Implementation of Drug Clearing Program in Controlled Facilities for Persons Deprived of Liberty";
- 12.3.4 Submit folder for application for Drug-Cleared status;

- 12.3.5 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Drug-Cleared Status;
- 12.3.6 Once declared as Drug-Cleared, receive Barangay Seal of Excellence; and
- 12.3.7 Once deferred, comply the lacking requirements set by this Regulation and re-apply for Drug-Cleared status.

SECTION 13. PROCEDURES IN THE VALIDATION PROCESS OF BARANGAYS WITH DRUG-CLEARED STATUS - The following are the procedures to be undertaken in the Validation of Barangays with Drug-Cleared Status.

13.1 The Barangay shall:

- 13.1.1 Receive Resolution of Conferring the Retention of Drug-Cleared Status from ROCBDC if there is no presence of Active PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, or Relapse case.
- 13.1.2 Receive Resolution from ROCBDC for the presence of Active PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, or relapse case.
- 13.1.3 Conduct house visitation to its constituents identified as Active PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, or relapse case;
- 13.1.4 Provide appropriate intervention to PWUDs and Pushers;
- 13.1.5 Monitor the status of PWUDs and Pushers as to interventions undertaken;
- 13.1.6 Monitor and account the current circumstances of identified PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others;
- 13.1.7 Submit folder for application for the Retention of Drug-Cleared status upon provision of appropriate intervention;
- 13.1.8 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Retention of Drug-Cleared Status; and
- 13.1.9 Once verified, receive Resolution of Conferring the Retention of Drug-Cleared Status.

SECTION 14. PROCEDURES IN VETTING AND CONFIRMATION OF DRUG UNAFFECTED BARANGAYS, MUNICIPALITIES AND CITIES AS DRUG-FREE - The following are the procedures to be undertaken in Vetting and Confirmation of Drug Unaffected Barangays, Municipalities and Cities as Drug-Free:

14.1 The Barangay shall:

- 14.1.1 Revitalize the BADAC;
- 14.1.2 Issue BADAC Resolution on Existence of Drug Awareness, Preventive Education and Information and Other Related Programs;
- 14.1.3 Issue BADAC Resolution on Existence on Voluntary and Compulsory Drug Treatment and Drug Rehabilitation Processing Desk (with pictures);
- 14.1.4 Submit Annual Investment Plan highlighting the budget for

- Anti-Illegal Drug Initiatives;
- 14.1.5 Undergo orientation on Barangay Drug Clearing Program (BDCP);
- 14.1.6 Submit report on absence of PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others, and facilities to local PNP and PO, PDEA;
- 14.1.7 Implement demand reduction programs and activities;
- 14.1.8 Submit folder for application for Drug-Free Barangay status;
- 14.1.9 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Drug-Free Status;
- 14.1.10 Once confirmed as Drug-Free, receive Certificate; and
- 14.1.11 Once deferred, comply the lacking requirements set by this Regulation and re-apply for Drug-free status.

14.2 The Municipality/City shall:

- 14.2.1 Ensure that all Barangays are Drug-Free and verified;
- 14.2.2 Implement Ordinances or Executive Orders and Anti-Illegal Drug Programs;
- 14.2.3 Establish Balay Silangan, if applicable;
- 14.2.4 Submit folder for application for Drug-Free status;
- 14.2.5 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Drug-Free Status;
- 14.2.6 Once confirmed as Drug-Free, receive Balangay Seal of Excellence; and
- 14.2.7 Once deferred, comply the lacking requirements set by this Regulation and re-apply for Drug-Free status.

SECTION 15. PROCEDURES IN THE VERIFICATION PROCESS OF BARANGAYS WITH DRUG-FREE STATUS - The following are the procedures to be undertaken in the Verification of Drug-Free Barangays as a requirement in Declaring a Municipality/City as Drug-Free.

15.1 The Barangay shall:

- 15.1.1 Receive Resolution from ROCBDC for No Presence of Active PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others
 - 15.1.1.1 Implement Demand Reduction Program and Activities;
 - 15.1.1.2 Submit folder for application for the Retention of Drug-Free status;
 - 15.1.1.3 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Retention of Drug-Free Status; and
 - 15.1.1.4 Once verified, receive Resolution of Retention of Drug-Free Status.
- 15.1.2 Receive Resolution from ROCBDC for the presence of PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others
 - 15.1.2.1 Implement Demand Reduction Program and Activities;
 - 15.1.2.2 Conduct house visitation to its constituents

- identified as Active PWUDs and pushers;
- 15.1.2.3 Provide appropriate intervention to PWUDs and pushers;
- 15.1.2.4 Monitor the status of PWUDs and Pushers as to interventions undertaken;
- 15.1.2.5 Monitor and account the current circumstances of identified PWUDs, pushers, drug den maintainer, coddler, protector, financier, cultivator, manufacturer and others;
- 15.1.2.6 Submit folder for application for the Retention of Drug-Free status upon provision of appropriate intervention;
- 15.1.2.7 Undergo deliberation by ROCBDC for Retention of Drug-Free Status; and
- 15.1.2.8 Once verified, receive Resolution of Retention of Drug-Free Status.

Section 16. FUNDING – Local Government Units shall ensure the allotment of substantial amount from their annual budget for the implementation of this Regulation pursuant to Section 51, Article VII of RA 9165.

Section 17. REPORTING MECHANISM – All BADACs shall submit a monthly report to MADAC/CADAC on the status of all identified PWUDs. The latter shall consolidate the same for its submission to PADAC. The PADAC shall submit the said report to DILG Regional Office (RO) which shall be subsequently forwarded to the DOH Regional Office, the repository of all reports for PWUDs, copy furnished the PDEA Regional Office.

ADACs shall ensure the submission of the necessary reports for the use of Anti-Drug Abuse Council – Reporting System of the Integrated Drug Monitoring and Reporting System (IDMRIS), Anti-Illegal Drugs Information System (AIDIS), and other relevant systems.

Section 18. MONITORING AND EVALUATION – After the stabilization of this program, the ICAD will be responsible in monitoring the sustainability of the same and subsequently conduct evaluation and recommend enhancements.

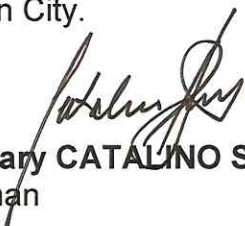
Section 19. PENALTY CLAUSE – Any violation of this Regulation shall be penalized with sanctions provided under existing laws and issuances without prejudice to the filing of civil, criminal and administrative cases as may be applicable.

Section 20. REPEALING CLAUSE – DDB Regulation No.3, Series of 2017 and all other Resolutions, Orders, Rules and Regulation which are inconsistent with this Regulation are hereby repealed.

Section 21. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE – If any provision or part hereof is held invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions of this Regulation not otherwise affected shall remain in force.

Section 22. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE – This Regulation shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in two (2) newspapers of general circulation and after the registration with the Office of the National Register (ONAR), UP Law Center, Quezon City.

APPROVED and **ADOPTED**, this 29th day of July in the year of our Lord, 2021, in Quezon City.


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