

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2016-003

CREATING THE EXPANDED LOCAL HEALTH BOARD OF GUBAT, SORSOGON AND DEFINING ITS ROLES AND FUNCTIONS

WHEREAS, in pursuant to Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991 under Section 102 on the creation and composition of a local health board in every province, city, or municipality;

WHEREAS, the established municipal health board shall be headed by the Municipal mayor as Chairman, the Municipal Health Officer as Vice-Chairman, and the Chairman of the Committee on Health of the Sangguninag Bayan, a representative from the private sector or non-government organization involved in health services, and a representative of the Department of Health in the municipality, as members;

WHEREAS, recognizing the importance of collaborative governance for health and networking among various stakeholders for the effective implementation of the health programs and strengthening of the local health system, thus the need for expansion of the members of the members of the local health board to include but not necessarily limited to the following;

- a. Barangay Health Worker Municipal Federation President
- b. Liga ng mga Barangay President
- c. Municipal Budget Officer
- . WHEREAS, the board shall meet at least once a month or as often as maybe necessary. A majority of the members of the board shall constitute a quorum, but the Chairman or the Vice-Chairman must be present during meetings where budgetary proposals are being prepared or considered. The affirmative vote of all the majority of the members shall be necessary to approve such proposals;

NOW THEREFORE, I, SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO, Mayor of the Municipality of Gubat, Sorsogon by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

Section 1. CREATION: The Local Health Board (LHB) of Gubat, Sorsogon is hereby created.

Section 2. COMPOSITION:

Chairman:

HON. SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO, Municipal Mayor

Vice-Chairman:

DR. ANTHONY S. LELIS, Municipal Health Officer

Members:

HON. VALENTIN PURA IV, Chairman, SB Committee on Health

* REV. MSGR. MELCHOR ESPERIDA, NGO Representative MS. EDEN E. ESPARTINEZ, DOH Representative

[^] MS. EVELYN E. ESPEDIDO, BHW Municipal Federation President HON. NELSON E. QUIÑONES, Liga ng mga Barangay President MR. EDUARDO E. FELICIA, Municipal Budget Officer

Section 3. FUNCTIONS. The functions of the LHB shall be:

- a. To propose to the sanggunian concerned, in accordance with standards and criteria set by the Department of Health, annual budgetary allocations for the operation and maintenance of health facilities and services within the municipality, city or province, as the case may be;
- b. To serve as an advisory committee to the sanggunian concerned on health matters such as, but not limited to, the necessity for, and application of, local appropriations for public health purposes; and
- c. Consistent with the technical and administrative standards of the Department of Health, create committees which shall advise local health agencies on matters such as, but not limited to, personnel selection and promotion, bids and awards, grievance and complaints, personnel discipline, budget review, operations review and similar functions.

Section 4. EFFECTIVITY. This order shall take effect immediately and rescinds all orders contrary thereof.

Done in the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon, Philippines, this 19th day
of July 2016.

SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO

Municipal Mayor

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