

Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF SORSOGON

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 18 -S. 2018

AN ACT DIRECTING THE EXECUTION OF A TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RE-ROUTING SCHEME ALONG BONIFACIO, MANOOK AND QUEZON STS. ON JUNE 11, 2018 DURING THE STREET PRESENTATION OF GINUBAT FESTIVAL 2018

WHEREAS, Sec. 21 (c) of RA 7160 provides: "Any national or local road, alley, park, or square may be temporarily closed during an actual emergency, or fiesta celebrations, public rallies, agricultural or industrial fairs, or an undertaking of public works and highways, telecommunications, and waterworks projects, the duration of which shall be specified by the local chief executive concerned in a written order: Provided, however, that no national or local road, alley, park, or square shall be temporarily closed for athletic, cultural, or civic activities not officially sponsored, recognized, or approved by the local government unit concerned.";

WHEREAS, the Local Government Unit of Gubat, Sorsogon will be celebrating its 254th founding anniversary with the theme *Ginubat Festival 2018: Kulturang Gubatnon*, *Ato Orgulyuhon*;

WHEREAS, one of the highlights of said festival will be a street presentation showcasing the rich culture and traditions of the town that will be held on June 11, 2018 starting at 6:00 o'clock in the morning until 12:00 o'clock noon;

WHEREAS, the street presentation will commence from Cota na Daco and will end at corner Manook and Luna Streets, Gubat, Sorsogon;

WHEREAS, considering that Manook St. is the primary thoroughfare in the town of Gubat, Sorsogon there is a need to put in place a temporary traffic re-routing scheme to lessen the inconvenience to the travelling public and to prevent any untoward incident from happening;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SHARON ROSE GLIPO ESCOTO, Municipal Mayor of Gubat, Sorsogon, by the power vested in me by law, do hereby order:

SECTION I: TRAFFIC RE-ROUTING SCHEME AND ROAD CLOSURE.

1. MANOOK ST., shall be closed for vehicular traffic from 6:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING UNTIL 12:00 O'CLOCK NOON OF JUNE 11, 2018;

- Likewise STREETS CROSSING AND/OR LEADING TO MANOOK ST. where the street presentation will passs through shall also be closed for vehicular traffic on the same aforementioned time and date;
- 3. VEHICLES COMING FROM THE DIRECTION OF SORSOGON AND PRIETO DIAZ going to the direction of the town of Barcelona, Bulusan, and Casiguran shall be directed to PASS THROUGH BONIFACIO ST. while VEHICLES COMING FROM THE DIRECTION OF BULUSAN, BARCELONA, AND CASIGURAN GOING TO SORSOGON shall be directed to PASS THROUGH QUEZON ST.
- 4. GUSOJODA and RJ Lines Jeepneys are directed to temporarily use PAMANA Terminal while the activity on the said time and date are ongoing;

SECTION II: EXEMPTION FROM COVERAGE OF THIS ORDER. Exempted from the coverage of this temporary traffic re-routing scheme are vehicles responding to emergency situations such as ambulances, fire trucks, and police/military vehicles.

SECTION III: IMPLEMENTATION.

- 1. The Gubat Municipal Police Station through the Chief of Police is directed to strictly implement this directive in order to efficiently and effectively address the traffic situation.
- 2. The Municipal Engineering Office through the Municipal Engineer is directed to establish appropriate signage to implement this directive and to prepare a traffic route map to be attached to this Order.
- 3. The Municipal Administrator is directed to ensure compliance of this directive.

SECTION IV: EFFECTIVITY. This directive shall take effect on the date and time of the aforementioned activity.

It is further directed that copy of this Order and its attachment be furnished to the Chief of Police of Gubat MPS, for strict implementation, the properietor jeepney and bus lines and presidents of the concerned drivers and operators association for their information and appropriate action.

SO ORDERED.

Done this May 30, 2018 at Gubat, Sorsogon, Philippines.

SHARON ROSE GLIPO ESCOTO Municipal Mayor

