



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF SORSOGON
MUNICIPALITY OF GUBAT

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2018-022

**INSTITUTIONALIZING THE LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORT ROUTE TEAM OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF GUBAT, SORSOGON**

WHEREAS, Department Order No. 2017 – 011 or the “Omnibus Planning and Identification of Public Road Transportation Services and Franchise Issuance”, stipulated that the Department of Transportation (DOTr) shall set guidelines, criteria, and procedures for local public transport planning help build local capacities to prepare Local Public Transport Route Plans (LPTRPs). LGUs shall be responsible for collecting data, analyzing public transport supply and demand, and identifying specific public transport supply gaps for travel within their territories and for capturing this in city and municipal public transportation plans;

WHEREAS, the DILG, in the exercise of its general supervision of LGUs, may establish and prescribe rules, regulations, and other issuances to ensure that locally-issued ordinances, orders rules and regulations concerning public transportation conform with existing laws and jurisprudence relating to public transportation, in accordance with DILG and DOTC Joint Memorandum Circular No. 01, series of 2008, dated 10 September 2008, entitled ‘Guidelines in the Review of Local Ordinances, Orders, Rules and Regulations concerning Public Transportation;

WHEREAS, section 17 (a) of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as “The Local Government Code of the Philippines”. Provides that Local Government Units (LGUs) shall discharge the functions and responsibilities of national agencies and offices devolved to them pursuant to this Code. LGUs shall likewise exercise such other powers and discharge such other functions and responsibilities as are necessary, appropriate, or incidental to the efficient and effective provision of the basic services and facilities enumerated herein;

WHEREAS, section 1 and 2 of Executive Order 712, s. 2008 provides that:

“Section 1: The Department of Transportation and Communications (DOTC) is hereby directed to immediately review all existing orders, rules and regulations issued by Local Government Units (LGUs) concerning public transportation within their jurisdiction, including the grant of franchises to tricycles, establishments and operation of transport terminals, authority to issue traffic citation tickets, and unilateral rerouting schemes of public utility vehicles.”

“Section 2: Pending the review by the DOTC under Section 1 hereof of existing orders, rules and regulations issued by LGUs, the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) shall, subject the existing laws, advice LGUs to suspend (1) the establishment and operations of new and existing transport terminals that charge fees and require compulsory use by public utility vehicles, (2) the enforcement or re-routing schemes that violate the authorized routes as provided for in the PUV franchises, (3) the issuance of new tricycle franchises while respecting those that have been issued already, (4) the increase in local fees and charges applicable to public transportation, and (5) the implementation of local programs, projects and ordinances that have impact on the cost of operations of public utility vehicles without first coordinating and getting the approval of the DOTC to ensure that these programs, projects and ordinances do not prejudice public interest by way of higher transport fares.”;

WHEREAS, Joint Memorandum Circular No. 001, series of 2017, dated 19 June, 2017 of the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) and Department of Transportation (DOTr) mandated the Provincial, City, Municipal Governments, Autonomous Regions, Special Areas, and Regional offices of the DILG and DOTr thru the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) nationwide to Prepare and issue local ordinances concerning the Local Public Transport Route Plan (LPTRP);

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO, Mayor of the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law do hereby order the institutionalization of the Local Public Transport Route Team of Gubat, Sorsogon.

SECTION 1. COMPOSITION

Chairperson : HON. SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO, Municipal Mayor
Alternate Chairperson : ✓PATRICK OMAR B. ERESTAIN, Municipal Administrator
Vice-Chairperson : ✓SPO4 ARMAN ESTERA, Head, Gubat Traffic Enforcement Group
Members : ✓HON. CESAR ESPERIDA JR., SB Member Representative
Chairman, Committee on Transportation
: ✓FREDERICO DE MONTEVERDE, Head, *Dec 15/2018*
Business Permits and Licensing Office
: PCI JIM JEREMIAS, Chief of Police
: ✓ENGR. RIZALDE ERMINO, Municipal Engineer
: ✓YOLANDA PATRIARCA, Municipal Agriculturist
: ✓HON. JOSE ARTURO ENANO, Chairman,
Association of Barangay Councils
: RHODORA PAULA F. YUZON, Tourism Officer-Designate
: ✓ANTHONY LORENZO, President, FGSTODA
: ✓FRANCISCO ESPINEDA, President, Jeepney Operators
: ✓ROMEO C. GAJO, President, Gubat Microentrepreneur Ass.
: AIDA HANDIG, Representative, MPDO
: JAIME ESTILLER, Representative, Passenger Group
: RHALEN ENDENO, Head, MDRRMO
Secretariat (non-voting) : Municipal Planning and Development Office


SECTION 2. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Preparing the Local Public Transport Plan (LPTRP) based on and/or consistent with the Manual prescribed in Joint Memorandum Circular No. 001, series of 2017, dated 19 June, 2017 of the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) and Department of Transportation (DOTr); and
2. Submitting the same to the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) for review, copy furnished the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), within six (6) months from the formal notice of the DOTr.

SECTION 3. REPEALING CLAUSE. All prior issuances and orders inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until rescinded, modified or supplemented.

DONE in the Municipality of Gubat, Sorsogon, Philippines, this 31st day of AUGUST 2018.


SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO
Municipal Mayor