



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Sorsogon
MUNICIPALITY OF GUBAT
OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2020-036

AN ORDER IMPOSING TEMPORARY BAN ON THE SALE, DISTRIBUTION AND USE OF FIRECRACKERS, FIREWORKS AND OTHER PYROTECHNIC IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF GUBAT

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7183 is an “Act Regulating the Sale, Manufacture, Distribution and Use of Firecracker and Other Pyrotechnic Devices”;

WHEREAS, the same law mandates the local government unit to observe the manufacture, sale, distribution and use of firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices including the strict compliance to safety precautions, rules and regulations of manufacturer, distributor, seller and user;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code provides that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, due to the pandemic, the health and safety of everyone is of paramount concern hence the spread of the disease must be prevented;

WHEREAS, there is a need for the reinforcement of the social distancing measures and protocols to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus;

NOW, THEREFORE, by the authority given to local executive to promulgate the necessary rules and regulation within their territorial jurisdiction in conformity with the national standard rules and regulation, I, SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby impose the temporary ban on the sale, distribution and use of Firecrackers, Fireworks and other Pyrotechnic Devices in the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon.

SECTION 1. No person, individual entity or corporation shall be allowed to sell, distribute, and use firecrackers, fireworks and other pyrotechnic devices within the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Gubat.



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All confiscated firecrackers, fireworks and other pyrotechnic devices shall be destroyed under the supervision of the Gubat Municipal Police Station.

SECTION 2: Penalties. Any person who sells, uses and distributes firecrackers, fireworks and other pyrotechnic devices shall be penalized in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act No. 7183.

SECTION 3: Effectivity. This order shall take effect immediately until 5 January 2021 and rescinds all orders contrary thereof.

Done this 23rd day of December, 2020 in the Municipality of Gubat, Province of Sorsogon.


SHARON ROSE G. ESCOTO
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