

# Republic of the Philippines Province of Oriental Mindoro MUNICIPALITY OF BONGABONG OFFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

### EXECUTIVE ORDER (No. 12 Series of 2021)

AN ORDER DECLARING AND PLACING THE ENTIRE CAMPUS OF THE MINDORO STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY (MINSCAT) IN BRGY.

LABASAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BONGABONG, ORIENTAL MINDORO UNDER A LOCALIZED LOCKDOWN AMID THE COVID-19 THREAT

WHEREAS, there has been a sudden and unexpected surge in the number of positive cases of COVID-19 in the country in recent days including in the Province of Oriental Mindoro where there has been a spike in the number of cases within the municipalities;

**WHEREAS**, in spite of the measures from both the national government, the local government of Oriental Mindoro and the LGU of Bongabong, reports of positive cases (Rapid Antigen Test) and the potential exposure of other personnel of the Mindoro State College of Agriculture and Technology;

WHEREAS, for the safety and protection of all its personnel, the neighboring communities, and the whole municipality, there is a need to impose restrictions to the institution;

WHEREAS, to prevent further local transmission and spread of COVID-19 in the Municipality of Bongabong;

**NOW, THEREFORE I, ELEGIO A. MALALUAN,** Municipal Mayor of Bongabong, Oriental Mindoro, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the entire campus of the Mindoro State College of Agriculture and Technology (MINSCAT) in Brgy. Labasan be placed under localized lockdown.

## SECTION 1. RESTRICTION OF MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE IN THE BONGABONG CAMPUS OF THE MINDORO STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY (MINSCAT)

- I. EXIT FROM THE CAMPUS To prevent the spread of the coronavirus in the Municipality of Bongabong, all personnel and officials of the Bongabong campus of the Mindoro State College of Agriculture and Technology shall be barred from leaving the premises and confines of the institution unless given authorization by the local health officials and/or the Local Chief Executive (LCE).
- II. ENTRY TO THE CAMPUS People are prohibited from entering the campus except those involved in the medical/healthcare, rescue/social welfare, and others granted approval upon the discretion of the local health officials and/or the LCE.

#### SECTION 2. QUARANTINE, ISOLATION, AND TESTING

- i. All personnel of MINSCAT-Bongabong shall undergo mandatory quarantine within the confines of the campus for a particular period deemed necessary by the Municipal Health Officer;
- II. Those personnel who are outside of the campus, and have been potentially exposed, must report back and undergo quarantine in the campus;
- III. Those who are considered close contact, upon the discretion of the contact tracers, and those who will exhibit COVID-19 related symptoms shall undergo mandatory testing.
- IV. Those whose test yielding negative results shall continue quarantine for seven (7) days within the campus, and shall undergo repeat test after another seven days.
- V. Those whose test yielding positive results shall undergo confirmatory test (RT-PCR). If it yields another positive result, the personnel shall continue quarantine for another 14 days within the campus in isolation.

#### SECTION 3. RESTRICTION TO-AND-FRO THE CAMPUS

The security personnel of the campus, in coordination with the barangay officials of Brgy. Labasan, shall ensure the restriction of the movement of people to-and-fro the risk area.

#### SECTION 4. DURATION OF THE LOCALIZED LOCKDOWN

The lifting of the localized lockdown shall not be automatic and shall be subject to prior review and approval of the LCE and the local IATF of Bongabong.

#### SECTION 5. REPEALING CAUSE

All rules and regulations, executive orders, memoranda, or any part thereof, previously promulgated in conflict with or contrary to these Executive Order or any portion thereof, are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

#### **SECTION 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE**

If any portion or provision of this Executive Order is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other portions or provisions hereof, which are not affected thereby shall continue in full force and effect.

#### **SECTION 7. EFFECTIVITY**

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain enforced unless revoked or amended. Let copies of this Order be furnished to all concerned for their information, guidance, and action.

**DONE** in the Municipality of Bongabong, Oriental Mindoro, this 25<sup>th</sup> of March, 2021.

Municipal Mayor