



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF ISABELA
City of Ilagan

Office of the Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 15 Series of 2023

CREATING THE PROVINCIAL INTER-AGENCY MONITORING TASK FORCE (IMTF) FOR MONITORING THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN (LCPC) OF COMPONENT CITIES AND MUNICIPALITIES IN THE PROVINCE

WHEREAS, Articles 359 and 360 of the Civil Code of the Philippines provide that the government shall establish Councils for the Protection of Children considering that children are the most vulnerable to abuse, neglect, and/or exploitation, among others;

WHEREAS, Article 4881 enacted in 1967 mandated the creation of a Council for the Protection of Children in cities and municipalities so that the sacred duty of the state to “assure that every family is helped into bringing up their children to make them useful men and women, and to see that proper direction, supervision and guardianship in the training, education, and other interest of its minor citizens be undertaken by it”;

WHEREAS, the Local Council for the Protection of Children (LCPC) shall be responsible in planning and spearheading programs for children at the local level geared towards making every locality child friendly;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 9344 also known as the “Juvenile Justice and Welfare Act” of 2006, has given more emphasis on LCPC’s crucial role in the protection of children;

WHEREAS, Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 2021-039 dated 07 April 2021 provides for the Comprehensive Guidelines for the Establishment, Strengthening, and Monitoring of the LCPC at all Levels and for Other Purposes;

WHEREAS, DILG MC No. 2021-039 was released to consolidate and update previous issuances and memorandums pertaining to the establishment of LCPCs throughout the years and to provide Local Government Units (LGUs) clear guidance that will be more helpful in ensuring the functionality, relevance and effectivity of their respective LCPC;

WHEREAS, the DILG MC No. 2021-039 requires the creation of the Provincial Inter-Agency Monitoring Task Force to monitor and evaluate the functionality of LCPC of component cities and municipalities in the province of Isabela;

NOW THEREFORE, I, RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, Governor of the Province of Isabela, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, hereby decree the following:

SECTION 1. CREATION. THE PROVINCIAL INTER-AGENCY MONITORING TASK FORCE (IMTF) FOR MONITORING THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN (LCPC) OF COMPONENT CITIES AND MUNICIPALITIES IN THE PROVINCE is hereby created.

SECTION 2. COMPOSITION. The Provincial IMTF-LCPC shall be composed of, to wit:

Chairperson: **ENGR. CORAZON D. TORIBIO, CESO V**
Provincial Director-Isabela
Department of the Interior and Local Government

Co- Chairperson: **MS. LUCILA M. AMBATALI**
Provincial Social Welfare and Development Officer

Members: **ATTY. NOEL MANUEL R. LOPEZ**
Provincial Administrator

ATTY. EDUARDO A. CABANTAC
Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator

DR. NELSON O. PAGUIRIGAN, M.D.
Isabela Provincial Health Officer

DR. RACHEL L. LLANA, PhD., CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent-Isabela
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Vice President -Academics
Saint Ferdinand College

PASTOR JOSE B. CABAJAR
Ilagan Baptist Church
Interfaith Representative-NGO

Secretariat: **PSWDO Staff**

SECTION 3. FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES. The Provincial IMTF- LCPC shall perform the following functions:

1. Gather, collect and organize the required documents on or before February 28 of the assessment year, to wit;
 - a. Executive Order of Sangguniang Ordinance organizing/reconstituting the C/MCPC;
 - b. Minutes of meetings duly signed by the secretariat head, notices of meetings with agenda and attendance sheets attached;
 - c. Resolutions recommending proposed policies, plans and programs for adoption by the C/M Sanggunian;
 - d. Approved Annual Work and Financial Plan (LCPC WFP Form 001-B), and Local Council Ordinance or LGU Budget providing or appropriating funds of C/MCPC.
 - e. Copies of the (i) City/ Municipal Annual Report (LCPC AR Form 001-B), (ii) State of C/M Address (SOC/MA) reflecting accomplishment on children, and (iii) State of Children Report.
2. Review and validate the consolidated reports of C/M IMTF on the functionality of Barangay Council for the Protection of Children;
3. Evaluate the C/MCPC based on submitted documents using LCPC Assessment Form 001-B;
4. Confer with the concerned City or Municipal Mayors on the outcome of the evaluation and come up with recommended action points; and
5. Using LCPC Consolidated Form 001-A and LCPC Consolidated Form 001-B, submit report in soft and hard copies to the DILG Regional Office on or before March 30, copy furnished the DILG Provincial Office;

SECTION 4. PERIOD COVERED AND FREQUENCY OF ASSESSMENT. Monitoring of the LCPC Functionality shall be conducted annually, every 1st quarter of every year. The period to be assessed is the preceding year.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 25th day of April 2023, at City of Ilagan, Isabela.


RODOLFO T. ALBANO III
Governor 