

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 20-24 (GENERAL)

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PROHIBITING MINORS TO ACCOMPANY ADULTS AS WELL AS THE SENIOR CITIZENS TO GO OUT OF HOUSES DURING THE ENHANCED COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (ECQ) PERIOD AND PENALIZING VIOLATORS THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the fast spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) forces restrictions on almost every sector of the society in order to protect and save the lives of the people;

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared the 2019 nCoV Acute Respiratory Disease (ARD) as a Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC);

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Department of Health (DOH) have identified both the senior citizens and the minors as two of the most vulnerable members of the society in this pandemic;

WHEREAS, in the recently announced guidelines of the Calibrated Quarantine Operations, Cavite Governor Juanito Victor "Jonvic" C. Remulla, Jr. stressed that senior citizens are not allowed outside their homes;

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the City Government to strengthen the preventive measures approved by the national government to prevent the spread of the virus and to enhance protection of the whole community;

WHEREAS, the Sanggunian, with the most vulnerable members of the society in mind, agreed to institute a legislative measure which shall further protect both the minors and the seniors to help completely contain the virus and flatten the curve of COVID-19;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Jowie S. Carampot duly seconded by SP Member J-M Vergel M. Columna and SP Member Isagani L. Culanding,

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in Regular Session assembled, that:

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Continuation...page 2 of City Ordinance No. 20-24 (General):

SECTION 1. TITLE - This Ordinance shall be known as "Prohibiting Minors and Senior Citizens to Go Out of Houses During the ECQ Period".

SECTION 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS -

- a. Minors Children who are below 18 years of age, and
- b. Senior Citizens Elderly who are at least 60 years old.

SECTION 3. RULES AND REGULATIONS – It is strictly prohibited for any senior citizens to go out of the house during the community quarantine. Any minor, likewise, is prohibited to accompany any adult outside the house during the community quarantine.

SECTION 4. PENALTIES -

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: Reprimand, and

Second Offense

: Community Service.

SECTION 5. REPEALING CLAUSE – All existing ordinances, resolutions, motion or parts thereof not consistent herewith are hereby repealed, amended or superseded accordingly.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE - This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.

ORDAINED under SECOND READING on 28 APRIL 2020.

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CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

WENCESLAO P. CAMINGAY Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MAURITO C. SISON City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ANTONIO A. FERRER
City Mayor

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