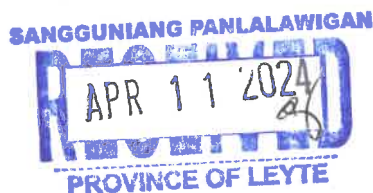


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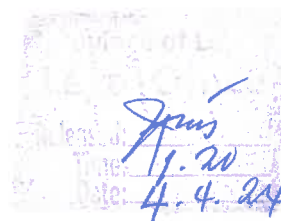
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Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 4, S.2024-05 of the Sangguniang of Bayan of Dagami, Leyte, recommending for the declaration of its validity, pursuant to its power under Section 56 (C) of R.A. 7160, to the opinion of the Provincial Legal Office (PLO), an exercise of the power under Section 447(5)(xiv)ⁱ in relation to P.D. 603ⁱⁱ.

Furthermore, the opinions rendered herein are without prejudice to opinions rendered by higher authorities.

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ⁱ Provide for the care of abandoned minors, juvenile delinquents, drug dependents, abused children and other needy and disadvantaged persons, particularly children and youth below eighteen (18) years of age and, subject to availability of funds, establish and provide for the operation of centers and facilities for said needy and disadvantaged persons;

ⁱⁱ "THE CHILD AND YOUTH WELFARE CODE"

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The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed **ORDINANCE NO. 2024-05** of the **MUNICIPALITY OF DAGAMI, LEYTE**, entitled: **An Ordinance Enacting the Children's Welfare Code of the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte.**

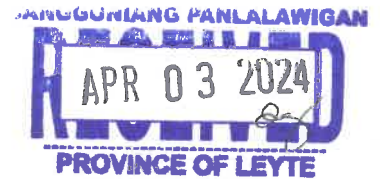

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Thru: The Secretary to the
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Madam:

Respectfully Submitted Herewith Seventeen (17) Sets of Ordinance
No. 2024-05 **"AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE CHILDREN'S
WELFARE CODE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DAGAMI, LEYTE."**

FOR RIVIEW AND APPROVAL

Please acknowledge receipt hereof.

Thank you and more power.

Very truly yours,

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EXCEPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 10th REGULAR SESSION OF SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DAGAMI, LEYTE HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL ON 11 MARCH 2024 AT 10:00 IN THE MORNING.

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AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE CHILDREN'S WELFARE CODE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DAGAMI, LEYTE.

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WHEREAS the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte recognizes the fundamental importance of safeguarding the welfare and rights of children within its jurisdiction;

WHEREAS the local government must establish comprehensive legislation dedicated to addressing the diverse needs and concerns of children, ensuring their holistic development and protection;

WHEREAS the enactment of a Children's Child Welfare Code is essential to promote the well-being, dignity, and best interests of every child residing in the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte;

WHEREAS there exists a pressing need to consolidate existing laws and regulations about child welfare into a coherent and accessible legal framework, thereby enhancing clarity, efficiency, and effectiveness in addressing issues affecting children;

WHEREAS the local government must provide adequate support and services to families, caregivers, and communities to foster an environment conducive to the growth, safety, and happiness of children;

WHEREAS the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte endeavors to align its policies and programs with national and international standards concerning child protection, development, and participation;

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WHEREAS, this ordinance aims to uphold the principles of non-discrimination, equality, and inclusivity, ensuring that every child, regardless of background or circumstance, receives equitable treatment and opportunities for growth and fulfillment.

WHEREAS the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte recognizes the importance of collaboration among government agencies, civil society organizations, and other stakeholders in implementing effective measures to promote and safeguard the rights and welfare of children;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Municipal Council of Dagami, Leyte, in session assembled, that the Children's Child Welfare Code of the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte, as herein provided, be enacted into law, to secure the rights, well-being, and future of our children.

**ARTICLE I.
GENERAL PROVISIONS**

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE – This Ordinance shall be known as "The Children's Welfare Code of Dagami 2024."

SECTION 2. COVERAGE AND SCOPE OF APPLICATION – This code shall be applicable within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte.

SECTION 3. DECLARATION OF POLICY – The Municipality of Dagami hereby affirms its commitment to safeguarding the rights of children, ensuring their survival and well-being. This includes providing adequate care, nutrition, and equitable access to quality education, while also offering special protection against neglect, abuse, exploitation, and

discrimination. Furthermore, the municipality acknowledges the crucial role of youth in nation-building and encourages their active participation in public and civic matters. As a staunch advocate for children's rights, the Municipality of Dagami pledges to promote and uphold these rights, fostering an environment conducive to the holistic development of children.

SECTION 4. BASIC GUIDING PRINCIPLES – The enforcement of this code shall adhere to the following guiding principles:

1. The Local Government Unit of Dagami recognizes children's rights and acknowledges that their exercise is pivotal for their development into exemplary citizens of the country.
2. The paramount consideration in all actions concerning children, whether undertaken by public or private social welfare institutions, courts of law, administrative authorities, or legislative bodies, shall be the best interest of the children. This aligns with the principle of First Call for Children outlined in the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child.
3. The state shall intervene on behalf of the child when parents, legal guardians, teachers, or individuals responsible for the child's care fail to protect them against abuse, exploitation, and discrimination, or when these acts are committed by said caregivers.
4. The state should strive to improve infant and child survival rates and enhance various aspects of children's development, including physical, social, emotional, cognitive, psychological, spiritual, and linguistic.
5. Every child is entitled to:
 - a. Birth, name, and nationality.


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- b. A loving and caring family.
- c. Residence in a peaceful and wholesome community environment.
- d. Adequate nutrition and a healthy lifestyle.
- e. Access to quality education and developmental opportunities.
- f. Opportunities for recreation and leisure activities.
- g. Protection from abuse, exploitation, neglect, violence, and danger.
- h. Support and assistance from the government.
- i. The ability to express their views.

6. Every possible effort must be made to promote children's welfare and enhance their prospects for a fulfilling and joyous life.

SECTION 5. DEFINITION OF TERMS – As used in this Code, the following terms shall mean:

- a. **Anti-Social Related Activities** - are those acts against property, chastity and person which include but not limited to the following:
 - 1. Petty crimes such as snatching, shoplifting, misrepresentation.
 - 2. Using and pushing prohibited drugs, selling illegal or lewd reading materials.
 - 3. Pimping for young or old prostitutes, doing or participating in obscene show.
- b. **Bahay-Pag-asa** - refers to a 24 hour child-caring institution established, funded and managed by local government units (LGUs) and licensed and /or accredited non-government organizations (NGOs) providing short-term residential care for children in conflict with the law who are above fifteen (15) but below eighteen (18) years of age who are awaiting court disposition of their cases or transfer to other agencies or jurisdiction;
- c. **Best Interest of the Child** - refers to the totality of the circumstances and conditions which are most congenial to the survival, protection, and feelings of security of the child and most encouraging to the child's physical, psychological, and emotional development.
- d. **Children** - refers to a person below eighteen (18) years of age and those over but are unable to fully take care of themselves or protect themselves from abuse, neglect, cruelty exploitation and / or discrimination because of physical or mental disability or condition.
- e. **Child abuse** - refers to the maltreatment of the child, whether habitual or not, which includes any of the following:
 - 1. Psychological and physical abuse, neglect, cruelty, sexual abuse, and emotional maltreatment.
 - 2. Any act by deeds or words that debases, degrades demeans the intrinsic worth and dignity as a human being.
 - 3. Unreasonable deprivation of his / her basic needs for survival, such as food and shelter.
 - 4. Failure to immediately give medical treatment to an injured child resulting in serious impairment of his or her growth and development or in his /her permanent incapacity or death.
- f. **Children's Assembly** - refers to a company gathered to advance their welfare.
- g. **Child at Risk** - refers to a child who is vulnerable to and at the risk of committing criminal offences, such as but not limited to the following:
 - 1. Being abused by any person through sexual, physical, psychological, mental, economic or any other means.
 - 2. Exploited sexually or economically.



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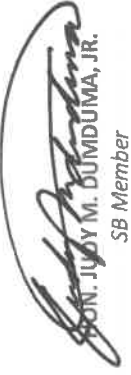

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3. Abandoned or neglected.
4. Coming from a dysfunctional or broken family or without a parent or legal guardian.
5. Out of school.
6. Street Child.
7. Member of a gang.
8. Living in a community with a high level of criminality or drug abuse.
9. Living in situations of armed conflict.

h. **Child Exploitation** - refers to the use of children for someone else's advantage, gratification or profit often resulting in unjust, cruel, and harmful treatment of the child, which are detrimental to the child's physical and mental health, education, moral, social, and emotional development. These include situations of manipulation, misuse, abuse, victimization, oppression, or ill-treatment.

i. **Child-Friendly Space** - refers to safe spaces for children to play and learn. This will also help to prevent and respond to incidents that threaten children's safety, such as natural disaster, conflict, or violence. These efforts provide safe spaces for children by rehabilitating / refurbishing learning spaces during emergency.

j. **Children in Conflict with the law (CICL)** - refers to children who are alleged as, accused of, or adjudged as having committed to the following:

1. Being in the community where there is armed conflict or being affected by armed conflict related activities.
2. Working under conditions hazardous to life, safety, and morals, which unduly interfere with their normal development.
3. Living or fending for themselves in the streets of urban or rural areas without the care of parents or a guardian or an adult supervision needed for their welfare.
4. Being a member of an indigenous cultural community and/or living under condition of extreme poverty or in an area which is underdeveloped and/or lack or has inadequate access to services needed for a good quality of life.
5. Being a victim of a man-made or natural disaster / calamity; and
6. Circumstances analogous to those above stated which endanger life, safety, or normal development of children.

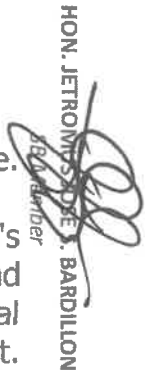
k. **Comprehensive program against child exploitation and discrimination** - refers to the coordinated program of services and facilities to protect children against:

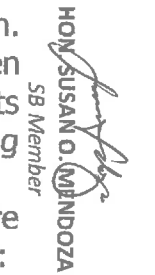
1. Child prostitution and other sexual.
2. Child trafficking.
3. Observe publications and incident shows.
4. Other acts of abuse.
5. Circumstances which threaten or endanger the survival and normal development of children.

l. **Child Development Center** - is a facility where early childhood care services for 3-4 years old children are provided by an accredited child development worker.

m. **Child-Friendly Municipality** - the municipality is child-friendly when it can assure that all children possess the rights to survival, development, protection, and participation and that their needs are realized.

n. **Child protection Unit** - refers to one - stop shop building or unit for victims of violence against children and provides immediate assistance for medical, medico - legal, and psychosocial services.

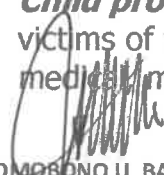

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o. **Corporal Punishment** - refers to punishment or penalty for an offense or imagined offense, and /or acts carried out to discipline, train or control a child, inflicted by an adult or by another child. It includes physical and humiliating or degrading punishment such as, but not limited to:

1. Blows to any part of a child's body, such as beating, kicking, hitting, slapping, lashing, with or without the use of an instrument such as a cane, shoes, broom, stick, whip, or belt.
2. Pinching, pulling ears or hair, shaking, twisting joints, cutting, and shaving hair perpetrated as a form of punishment for an offense committed by the child, carrying or dragging a child or throwing a child.
3. Forcing a child, using power, authority, or threats, to perform physically painful or damaging acts, such as holding a weight for an extended period, kneeling on stones, salt or pebbles, squatting, standing, or sitting in a contorted position.
4. Deliberate neglect of a child's mental, emotional, physical, social, and spiritual needs where this is intended as punishment.
5. Use of extreme substances, such as burning or freezing materials, water, smoke, pepper, alcohol, excrement, or urine.
6. Confinement, including being shut in a confined space or material, tied up or forced to remain in one place for an extended period.
7. Any other physical act perpetrated on a child's body, for the purpose of punishment of discipline, intended to cause some degree of pain or discomfort, however, light, humiliating and degrading punishment includes such acts but not limited to:
 - 7.1 Any threat of physical punishment
 - 7.2 Being exploited including sexually or economically.
 - 7.3 Being abandoned or neglected and after diligent search and inquiry, the parent or guardian cannot be found.
 - 7.4 Coming from a dysfunctional or broken family or without a parent or guardian.
 - 7.5 Being out of school youth.
 - 7.6 Being a street child.
 - 7.7 Being a member of a gang.

p. **Intervention** - refers to a series of activities which are designed to address issues that caused the child to commit an offense:

1. **Local Council for the Protection Children** - is a council organized at the Barangay/Municipality/Provincial level to serve as an umbrella organization for all children's concerns focused at ensuring the survival, development, protection and participation of children and youth.
2. **Participation Rights** - includes the child's right to be heard, freedom to express oneself in matters affecting his/her life as part of preparation for becoming a responsible adult; freedom of association; right to privacy; and right to age-appropriate and culturally sensitive information, all in accordance with the child's evolving capacity.
3. **Positive Discipline** - refers to an approach to parenting that teaches children and guides their behavior, while respecting their rights to healthy development, protection from violence and participation in their learning.

4. **Pre-school services** - includes the following such as but not limited to programs, activities, initiatives, facilities, and similar undertaking

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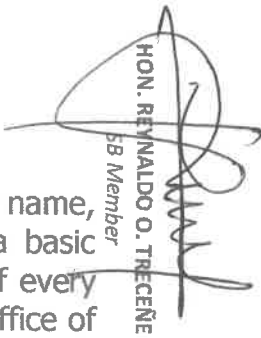

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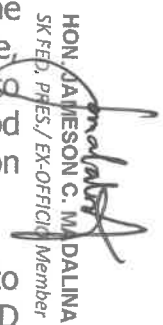
- to address needs of 3-4 years old children.
5. **Protection Rights** - cover those which guard children against all forms of child abuse, exploitation, and discrimination, in areas where a child is considered in extremely difficult circumstances.
 6. **Rescue Team** - is an inter-agency team established by the LGU under the auspices of the LCPC/BCPC for cases involving children.
 7. **Special Education** - refers to education of persons who are gifted or talented and those who have physical, mental, social, or sensory impairment and cultural differences to require modification of the school curricula, programs and special services and physical facilities to develop them to their maximum capacity.
 8. **Survival Rights** - deals with the provision in relation to parental and governmental duties and liabilities, adequate living standard, access to basic health and health services and social security.
 9. **Youth** - refers to a person regardless of sex, race, or religion, 15-24 years old, either out of school or in school.
 10. **Youth Rehabilitation Center** - is a 24-hour residential care facility managed by the Department of Social Welfare and Development, LGUs, licensed and /or accredited NGOs monitored by the DSWD, which provides care, treatment, and rehabilitation services for children in conflict with the law.


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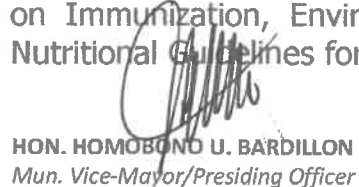

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**ARTICLE III
SURVIVAL AND DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS**

SECTION 6. REGISTRATION OF CHILD AT BIRTH – A child has the right to a name, nationality, and all the rights inherent to a citizen. Since civil registration is a basic framework for establishing the fundamental right to determine the civil status of every citizen, the parents shall cause the early birth registration of the child with the Office of the Local Civil Registration of the municipality where the child is born. To promote an effective and efficient timely registration of births and other vital events, the municipality in coordination with the National Statistics Office, Province of Leyte, and barangays shall implement the Barangay Civil Registration System (BCRS) under Republic Act No. 3753 or the Civil Registry Law.

SECTION 7. MOTHER AND CHILDCARE - The Municipality of Dagami through the Rural Health Unit shall provide technical assistance, updates, and augmentation support in line with the implementation of programs and services anchored to the survival and development rights of the child as follows.

1. **Maternal Neonatal Child Health Care and Nutrition Program** - The Municipality of Dagami, Leyte shall strengthen the implementation of promotive, preventive, and curative health care services from conception until delivery to ensure the health of the mother and the child throughout the early childhood years. This shall include the provision of technical assistance and augmentation support to the following programs:
 1. **Child Health and Nutrition Program** - The program shall provide services to ensure children's full growth and development within the first 1000 days or F1KD (0 to 2 years old). These include the following activities to wit: Expanded Program on Immunization, Environmental Sanitation, Infant and Youth Child Feeding, Nutritional Guidelines for Filipinos, Children's Growth Monitoring and Deworming.


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- 1.1 First 100 days of life program
- 1.2 Support timely and age-appropriate, complementary feeding with continued Breastfeeding from 7 months to 2 years old.
- 1.3 Formation of Breastfeeding Community Support Groups for both parents and wet nursing
- 1.4 Establishment of Women and Child-Friendly Spaces in all Health and Non-Health facilities
- 1.5 Oral Health
- 1.6 Targeted Supplementary Feeding Program

SECTION 8. OUT-OF-SCHOOL YOUTH PROGRAM - The Municipality through the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office in coordination with the Development of Education (DepEd), Technical Skills Development Authority (TESDA), Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), and the Province of Leyte shall implement programs such as alternative literacy youth to help them re-integrate to the regular school program and acquire technical skills that would help them become self-reliant, economically productive, and socially responsible citizens.

1. The SK in coordination with the DepEd Alternative Learning System (ALS) Coordinator shall survey Out-of-School Youth in every barangay.
2. The DepEd ALS Coordinator in coordination with the SK and Chairperson of the Committee on Education shall organize and implement the ALS Program in every barangay (e.g. Basic Literacy, Accreditation, and Equivalency Program in every Technical Skills Training), and conduct activities for Out-of-School Youth such as Summer Youth Encampment, Leadership and Basic Business Management Skill Training and Sports Development.
3. Alternative Learning System Program shall be funded on a counterpart basis by DepEd and the Municipality at all levels.
4. The TESDA, DOLE, and other concerned agencies to conduct public awareness on scholarships and job opportunities for in-school and out-school youth in the Municipality through the Barangay.

SECTION 9. TRAINING PROGRAM FOR THE TEACHERS, HEALTH WORKERS, AND OTHER EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT (ECCD) PROVIDERS FOR THE SPECIAL PROGRAM ON CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS - Training Program for teachers and health workers for the Special Program on Children with Special Needs shall be part of the priority program of the Municipality.

1. DepEd shall allocate funds for the training of Special Education teachers.
2. The Municipality and other institutions shall allocate funds for the training of Health Workers and Child Development Service Coordinators.
3. Provide capability-building activities, training, and orientation to municipal child development service coordinators who will serve as persons in their respective municipalities.
4. Provide technical assistance on child development services implementation.
5. Sustain advocacy on the implementation of RDC Resolution No. 9 S 2007 requiring the LGU to provide child development workers with a minimum honorarium of P 2,000.00 per month.
6. Issue Municipal Executive Order on the proper hiring and replacement of barangay child development workers ensuring their security of tenure and recognizing those with commendable accreditation ratings.
7. The Municipality shall not mobilize child development workers during disaster/relief operations to continue child development activities.

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- The Municipality shall allocate funds for the structuring of child development centers, supplies, learning facilities, and materials.

SECTION 10. ESTABLISHMENT OF DATA BANK FOR CHILDREN - The Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office, Rural Health Unit, Municipal Planning Development Office, and Department of Education, shall establish data banking for children for disaggregation by age, classification, in-school, Especially in Difficult Circumstances (CEDC), Child Labor, Street Children, Children in Armed Conflicts, and IPs.

- The Barangay Council for the Protection of Children shall survey their respective barangay. Barangay consolidated report shall be submitted to MSWDO in coordination with the Municipal Planning and Development Office and submitted to PSWDO.
- The LGU through the MSWDO in coordination with the Municipal Planning and Development Office shall formulate and provide templates to the Barangays.

SECTION 11. ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND EPRODUCTIVE HEALTH PROGRAM - The RHU, MSWDO, and other concerned departments, shall formulate an adolescent-friendly sexual and reproductive health program involving access to information and services related to the prevention of early pregnancies, sexually transmitted diseases, and infections, HIV/AIDS, and with services for teenage mothers, pregnant girls as well as promotion of sexual health and rights in compliance to the provisions of RA 10354 also known as the Reproductive Health Law.

SECTION 12. ACCESS OF CHILDREN TO SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE (WASH) FACILITIES - The LGU shall ensure that the schools and barangays maintain the WASH facilities in their respective localities to include safe water sources, safe drinking water, handwashing, and toilet facilities. It shall further ensure that the Rural Health Unit conducts regular monitoring of communities and schools. Barangay Councils must conduct a regular inspection also and submit status reports as the need arises.

SECTION 13. THE DEPED SHALL IMPLEMENT SUPPORTING PROGRAMS (Alternative Learning System, ABOT ALAM, GUIDANCE PROGRAM) – To improve children's access to quality formal, non-formal, and alternative basic education for the differently able person, LGBT children, young children, Muslim children, IP children, children in conflict with the law, children in prostitution, working children, out-of-school children, street children, children in poor communities, internally displaced children, children in disaster-prone and conflict-affected areas, and undocumented children among others.

SECTION 14. The Local Council for the Protection of Children Technical Working Group shall promote and ensure safe, hazard-free, and violence-free schools, child development centers, and other learning institutions and facilities.

ARTICLE III. PROGRAMS AND INTERVENTIONS

SECTION 15. PROHIBITION AGAINST WORST FORMS OF CHILD LABOR: No child below fifteen (15) years of age be employed or allowed to work, except when he/she works directly under the sole responsibility of the child's parents or guardians, and his/her employment or work does not in any way interfere with the schooling or is non-hazardous.

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A hazardous work is one where the employee or worker is exposed to any risk that constitutes an imminent danger to his life, safety, health, and morals.

The phrase "worst forms of child labor "shall refer to any of the following as stated in RA 9231:

1. All forms of slavery, as defined under RA 9208 or the 'Anti-trafficking in Persons Act of 2003", or practices like slavery such as the sale and trafficking of children as defined in RA 7610, debt bondage and serfdom and forced or compulsory labor, including recruitment of children in armed conflict or
2. The use, procuring, offering, or exposing of a child for prostitution, to produce pornography or for pornographic performances, or
3. The use, procuring, or offering of a child for illegal or illicit activities, including the production and trafficking of dangerous drugs and substances prohibited under existing laws; or
4. Work which, by its nature or the circumstances in which it is carried out, is hazardous or likely to be harmful to the safety or morals of children, such that it.
 - 4.1 Debases degrade or demean the intrinsic worth and dignity of a child as a human being; or
 - 4.2 Exposes the child to physical emotional or sexual abuse, or is found to be highly stressful psychologically or may prejudice morals; or
 - 4.3 Is performed underground, underwater, or at dangerous heights; or
 - 4.4 Involves the use of dangerous machinery, equipment, and tools such as power-driven or explosive power-actuated tools; or
 - 4.5 Exposes the child to physical danger such as, but not limited to the dangerous feats of balancing, physical strength of condition, or which requires the manual transport of heavy loads; or
 - 4.6 is performed in an unhealthy environment exposing the child to hazardous working conditions, elements, substances, co-agents, or processes involving ionizing, radiation, fire-flammable substances, noxious components, and the like, or to extreme temperatures, noise levels, or vibrations; or
 - 4.7 Is performed under particularly difficult conditions; or
 - 4.8 Exposes the child to biological agents such as bacteria, fungi, viruses, protozoans, nematodes, and others.

EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN

1. For employment of children as domestic helpers ages 17 years and younger the employers shall first secure before engaging such child a work permit from DOLE that shall ensure observance of the welfare of the child. Provisions under RA 10361 or the Batas Kasambahay of 2013 shall then apply.
2. No person shall employ the child to act as a model in all forms of commercials and an advertisement promoting alcoholic beverages, intoxicating drinks, tobacco, and its by-products.

Children found working in violation of the above provisions shall be rescued and provided with the appropriate interventions. The Local Government Unit in coordination with the Regional and Provincial Agencies shall initiate appropriate training for members of the Dagami PNP and Barangay Tanods/Barangay Peacekeeping Action Teams (BPATs).

SECTION 16. COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN IN CONFLICT WITH THE LAW:

The LGU shall ensure a comprehensive program for children in conflict with the law under RA 9344 or the Juvenile Justice Welfare Act of 2006 as amended by RA10630 through the following:

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- A. Intervention and Diversion Programs - The programs shall include the provision of basic needs, food and clothing, health services, security, and transportation. (refer to DSWD Guidance and provisions in R.A 9344)
- B. Other programs for CICL

SECTION 17. ESTABLISHMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN PROTECTION DESK (WCPD) – Dagami PNP must have an established Women and Children Protection Desk managed by policewomen to receive complaints, and problems and assist victims of abuse. The Dagami PNP of Leyte shall assist in strengthening and monitoring the sustainability of the Woman and Children Protection Desk in all areas within the jurisdiction of Dagami, Leyte

SECTION 18. REPORTING AND COVERAGE OF CASES INVOLVING CHILDREN - Media practitioners must maintain the highest ethical and professional standards in reporting and covering cases of children and should observe that in all publicity concerns. Media practitioners shall always adhere to the guidance on responsible reporting and coverage of cases involving children.

SECTION 19. PROGRAM ON CHILD ABUSE EXPLOITATION AND DISCRIMINATION - There shall be a comprehensive program to be formulated by the LCPC in coordination with the private sector of NGOs concerned to protect children against the worst form of child labor, child trafficking, obscene publication, indecent shows, and other acts of abuse and circumstances which endanger child survival and normal development.

SECTION 20. PROHIBITION OF CORPORAL PUNISHMENT - The use of corporal punishment which includes emotional, degrading, and humiliating punishment on children shall be prohibited in homes, early childhood development facilities and child development centers and facilities, community centers, sports teams and centers, government units and in other places where there are children.

Parents, nannies, house helpers, caregivers, foster parents, guardians, relatives who have custody of the child, or other persons legally responsible for the child, including those exercising special or substitute parental authority, school teachers, personnel, and officers of both public and private academic and vocational institutions, employers and supervisors or churches, or any other person under whose care the child has been entrusted to and who inflict corporal punishment on the child shall be liable by existing penal laws.

Offenders shall be referred to the MSWDOs for assessment of appropriate intervention programs such as seminars or counseling sessions on children's rights and positive and non-violent discipline of children, anger management, and referrals to other rehabilitative services.

SECTION 21. PROMOTION OF POSITIVE DISCIPLINE - The LGU shall develop a comprehensive program to promote positive discipline in lieu of corporal punishment of children. A continuing information dissemination campaign and capacity building shall be conducted in schools, communities, and municipalities relative to its techniques and benefits among parents, teachers, and other caregivers.

This code encourages DepEd and other schools to establish a child protection committee to handle cases and issues related to child welfare. Schools must add in their policies special consideration to working children, differently able children, LGBT, children from


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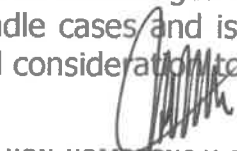

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indigenous communities, Muslims, and other religions.

SECTION 22. REGULATION ON CHILDREN'S EXPOSURE TO COMMERCIAL ELECTRONIC PORNOGRAPHY AND VIOLENCE - All internet cafes shall keep their facilities transparent and/or open to view to deter customers especially children from accessing pornographic sites and violent online games. Operators who maintain enclosed and/or non-transparent cubicles or rooms shall be subjected to possible cancellation of business permits in addition to the penalty provided in Section 21 hereof.

The LGU Public Employment Service Office (PESO) in coordination with DOLE and other relevant agencies shall create a monitoring mechanism on the number, nature of employment, and status of employed children. Reports of which shall be submitted to the Local Chief Executive so that appropriate interventions can be made when necessary.

SECTION 23. RIGHTS OF CHILDREN RESCUED FOR REASONS RELATED TO ARMED CONFLICT - Any child involved in armed conflict who is rescued shall be regarded as a victim and shall be accorded the following rights:

1. Treated with respect and in a child-sensitive manner.
2. Immediate tracing of and reunification with the victim's family if separated.
3. Immediate access to culturally sensitive and appropriate health services, psychosocial services, and rehabilitation and reintegration programs, including alternative parental care if needed. Separate temporary shelters from adults except where families are accommodated together.
4. Interventions for children of Muslim and Indigenous People shall be provided in recognition of the traditional structures institutions and communities.
5. Access to education programs that are appropriate to his or her needs.
6. Immediate free legal assistance and physical security upon rescue.
7. Immediate notice of such rescue should be given to the parents or guardians of the child.
8. Turn over the child to MSWDO or any responsible member of the community e.g. religious group, CSO, LCPC.

SECTION 24. MONITORING AND REPORTING OF CHILDREN IN SITUATIONS OF ARMED CONFLICT, DISASTERS, AND CALAMITIES - The Chairperson or any designated official of the barangay affected by armed conflict, disaster, and calamities shall submit the names, sex, and birthdays of the children as well as children separated from their families and residing in said Barangay to the Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (MDRRMC), which shall then forward the data to the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) within a reasonable time from the occurrence of the armed conflict, disasters and calamities.

SECTION 25. COMPREHENSIVE EMERGENCY PROGRAM - As stipulated in the Republic Act 10821 also known as the Children's Emergency Relief and Protection Act of 2016, the Province/ City/ Municipal/ Barangay must ensure the protection of children's particular needs before, during, and after emergencies. The program should be gender and child-sensitive and have the following:

1. **Establishment of Evacuation Center** - The LGU with the guidance of the Provincial Government shall establish and identify safe locations as evacuation centers for children and families under RA 10121 and RA 10821 which says that schools can only be used as a last resort and if utilized, there are only specific areas that can be occupied and the school can only be used for a maximum of 150 days.


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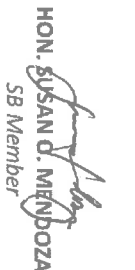

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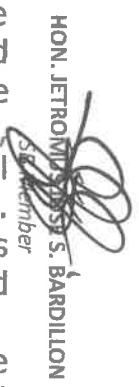

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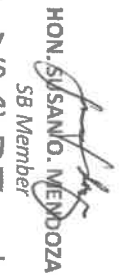

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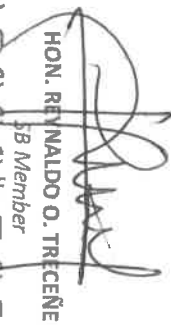

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2. **Establishment of Transitional Shelters for Orphaned, Separated, and Unaccompanied Children** - The LGU with the guidance of the Provincial Government shall establish options for transitional shelters, prioritizing vulnerable and marginalized groups including orphaned, separated, and unaccompanied children and pregnant and lactating mothers. New transitional shelters shall be designed with the following considerations: gender-specific emergency latrines, bathing cubicles, and hand facilities specifically designed for children. It shall provide child-friendly spaces where children can take part in child activities. Provide personal care and ensure the right to privacy. Existing transitional shelters shall be modified to the extent possible to comply with the above-mentioned considerations.
3. **Assurance for Immediate Delivery of Basic Necessities and Services** - The Program shall facilitate and ensure the immediate delivery of necessities and services specifically required by the affected children in different stages of development such as access to basic health services, food, water, nutrition, medicines, clothing, sanitary and hygienic kits, and other emergency need such as blankets mosquito nets, cooking ware, fuel, and flashlights. The Program shall give priority to the specific health and nutrition needs of pregnant women, lactating mothers, newborn babies, children under five years old, and children with special needs protection.
4. **Strong measures to Ensure the Safety and Security of Affected Children** - The LCPC shall come up with measures and protocols to monitor and ensure the safety and the security of the affected children including but not limited to children with disability and special needs and protection in time of calamities and ensure protection of children against all form of violence, abuse, and exploitation. The LGU shall prioritize the establishment and functionality of the Barangay Violence Against Women and Children (VAWC) desk. The VAWC desk Shall serve as one of the key reporting and referral mechanisms for cases of violence, abuse, and exploitation of children in the barangay during all phases of emergency response and recovery. Children shall be given priority during evacuation because of a disaster or other emergency. Existing CSOs in the community shall be tapped to look after the safety and well-being of children during evacuation operations. Measures shall be taken to ensure that children evacuate are accompanied by persons responsible for their safety and well-being.
5. **Delivery of Health and Nutrition Services** - Under the program of MSWDO, the different departments/units, and barangays, shall provide the health and nutrition needs of children in the areas declared under the state of calamity, including psychosocial interventions for children in different stages of development.
6. **Plan of Action for Prompt Resumption of Educational Services for Children** - The Department of Education (DepEd) in coordination with the MSWDO, DILG shall ensure the prompt resumption of services for all children, including early childhood care and development for children aged below five (5).
7. **Establishment of Child-Friendly Spaces** - The LGU shall set up Child-Friendly Spaces in every barangay declared under the state of calamity, as needed, based on the guidelines to be promulgated by LCPC. In addition, the local government shall coordinate with legal agencies and development partners to effectively respond to the needs of the children in the area. Child-friendly spaces shall be made available throughout a crisis, from emergencies to recovery.


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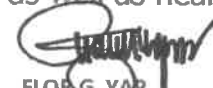

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In case the concerned barangay cannot immediately respond due to the huge impact of the disaster, the MSWDO, together with the concerned government agencies and in coordination with development partners as well as nearby LGUs,


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shall provide the necessary childcare services and social protection.

Promotion of Children's Rights - The Program shall include activities and processes that will promote and uphold the rights of children by:

1. Providing child-centered raising for all responders.
2. Ensuring that children are provided with adequate access to age-appropriate information on their roles and responsibilities and those of government agencies before, during, and after disasters and other emergencies.
3. Providing an effective mechanism for training and meaningful participation of children in community disaster risk reduction programs.
4. Consulting with the affected children on their needs and priorities for post-disaster relief and recovery.
5. Services for orphaned, unaccompanied, or separated Children - The LCPC shall develop a minimum set of standards and guidelines for the Family Tracing Reunification System of unaccompanied and separated children. Orphaned Children and unaccompanied or separated children whose families or relatives cannot be found or assessed to be incapable of providing proper care and protection shall be placed in a licensed or accredited residential care facility or with a foster family by Article 140 of the Child and Youth Welfare Code, or a community-based center. A registered social worker shall provide the needed case management and intervention.
6. System of Restoring Civil Registry Documents - "To ensure that vital information about the personal circumstances of a child is adequately protected and available at all times, the Local Civil Registrar shall develop a system for the restoration and reconstruction of civil registry documents that have been destroyed or declared lost or missing during a disaster or calamity. The Local Civil Registrar shall submit a report on the number of restored or reconstructed documents to appropriate government agencies for effective monitoring and reporting and to ensure the continued access of the affected children to social services and facilitate the reunification of separated children with their families. It shall likewise develop a system for the registration of children born during a national or local state of calamity.
8. **Training of Emergency Responders on Child Protection** - The MDRRMC shall promote and conduct a child-responsive training program for all responders in the calamity area such as community and barangay leaders, community members, school personnel, and other rescuers. The training program shall include the following:
 1. Proper procedures and measures to assess the situation, safeguard and protect the affected children during and after emergencies and disasters; and
 2. Appropriate training on psycho-social interventions for children in different stages of development who are victims of calamities.
 3. Each member agency shall include mainstream child protection in the emergency response training to service providers.
9. **Data gathering, Monitoring, and Reporting** - The LCPC shall come up with a report taken from agencies mandated under RA 10821 to monitor and report on the implementation of services under the Program and submit the same to the Local Chief Executive annually. The report shall include a specific Section on pregnant women and children under five years of age as a strategy for ensuring to address the post-disaster nutrition needs of children and pregnant women.

In the aftermath of a national or local state of calamity, the collection and reporting of data for the Disaster Risk Reduction Management Information System

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at all levels, as provided for in Republic Act No. 10121 shall be disaggregated by age, gender, ethnicity, and special needs. Such collected data shall be utilized to understand and respond better to the needs of children affected by disasters and calamities.

Within five (5) days from the declaration of a national state of calamity or as soon as practicable, the MSWDO and the Barangay Affairs Unit shall jointly submit written documentation and report on their surveillance and monitoring activities to the Sangguniang Bayan.

10. **Appropriations to the Comprehensive Emergency Program** – The implementation of the programs under RA 10821 shall be charged against the 5% Calamity Fund of the Local Government.

ARTICLE IV. PARTICIPATION RIGHTS

SECTION 26. MUNICIPAL FEDERATION OF SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN SHALL PROMOTE CHILDREN'S RIGHTS - The Sangguniang Kabataan shall be a potent partner in the promotion of children's rights, and therefore, it shall be equipped with the necessary leadership skills through training and capability-building to be facilitated by DILG in cooperation with the Province of Leyte.

SECTION 27. Participation rights of differently able, out-of-school youths, LGBTs, CICL, and IPs shall be given special attention by concerned agencies such as the DOH, DepEd, and DSWD in coordination with the Provincial Government, LCPCs, private sector, and other CSOs focusing on children's concerns through skills training and related activities at the early stage so they can be mainstreamed in the society. The LGU acknowledges that every child has the right to be heard in all matters affecting them and to have their views taken seriously.

SECTION 28. RIGHT TO ORGANIZE: Organization and Federation of Barangay Children's Association - The LGU shall encourage the organization and federation of children's association in the community and school and promote their participation in socio-cultural, economic activities, given that it does not hamper children's education and health. The LGU must recognize the children's association.

1. The Barangay Children's Association Federation shall submit a resolution to the Sanggunian Bayan for them to be recognized and accredited at the municipality.
2. The accredited children's groups can also apply for accreditation if they desire so that they can participate in the Provincial Development.
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4. Conduct activities that can enhance their self-esteem such as but not limited to summer camps, children's dialogue, sports fest, symposium, art literary, and musical activities in consultation and coordination with the LCPC.
5. LCPC should monitor the organization of children's groups along with their programs and activities.
6. LCPC in coordination with DepEd, DSWD, DOH, and other concerned agencies should provide financial and capability-building support for child leaders to train second liners.

SECTION 29. ORGANIZATION OF CHILDREN'S ASSOCIATION - The LGU shall encourage the organization of the children's association in the community and school and

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promote their participation in socio-cultural activities.

SECTION 30. RIGHT OF CHILDREN TO INFORMATION: Programs affecting and benefiting children should be as widely disseminated as possible to include schools and communities and other platforms where children have access to information. Awareness raising and information drive on the provisions of this code shall be intensified using mainstream and social media; and other awareness-raising activities in coordination with the LGUs, schools, NGOs, and people's organizations to usher in the integration of the plans, programs, and activities of all stakeholders in the Municipality of Dagami.

SECTION 31. RIGHT TO FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION AND OPINION - A yearly Parent and Youth Camp or other related programs shall be initiated by the LCPCs to encourage communication and thresh out problems and issues between /among adults and children. This should be reflected in the Annual Work and Financial Plan of the LCPC. This should include education of parents on children's right to expression and opinion.

ARTICLE V. PROHIBITIONS

SECTION 32. PROHIBITED ACTS - In addition to all acts defined and penalized under Republic Act no. 7610 (Special Protection of Children Against Abuse, Exploitation, and Discrimination Acts, as amended by Republic Act No. 7658 (An Act Prohibiting the Employment of Children below 15 years of age, amending Section 12 of R.A. 7610). Republic Violence against Women and their Children Act of 2004); and other pertinent laws, the following acts shall likewise be prohibited and punishable.

1. **Child Trafficking** - Any persons who shall travel with a child not his/her relative within the fourth civil degree without clearance from the Department of Social Welfare and Development Office or written permit or clearance from the child's parents or legal guardian shall be punished. There is a presumption of illegal trafficking when a person is found together with a child or minor not his/her relative without the said clearance or permit at the airport or port of exit to travel to another destination.
2. **Employment of Children** - Allowing a child to work as a porter (kargador), pedicab driver, motorized tricycle driver, peddler, farm laborer, laborer in construction work or in quarrying activities as a stone splitter and other similar activities which are hazardous and/or hamper the child's education and development.
3. **Discrimination of Illegitimate Children** - It shall be prohibited for schools to discriminate against illegitimate children including, but not limited to the following:
4. Refusal to accept enrolment of illegitimate children in school because of one's illegitimacy.
5. Requiring the marriage contract of parents in the enrollment of the child.
6. **Expulsion because of pregnancy** - No school shall impose the penalty of expulsion against a child who has complied with academic requirements because of pregnancy.
7. **Not allowing a child to graduate because of Pregnancy** - No school shall disallow a child to graduate because of pregnancy after having complied with all academic requirements. Refusal to issue a clearance because of pregnancy is likewise prohibited.
8. **Sexual Exploitation of Children** - Sexual exploitation of children by any person is prohibited. Persuading children to do public display of lascivious conduct shall be considered prima facie evidence of sexual exploitation.

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9. **Entry, Selling, Distribution, Patronage, and Showing of Pornographic and Violent Multi-Media Materials** - The Local Council for the Protection of Children, and Local Law Enforcers shall monitor and prevent the entry of pornographic and violent multi-media materials. It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, distribute, patronize, or show such materials.
10. **Computer shops/Internet Cafes** - All computer shops and /or Internet cafes are prohibited from allowing school children to use the facility during school days from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Children doing research work may be allowed provided they present written permission from their teachers or parents/guardians, and they shall be closely supervised by the owner/manager. Signage to this effect shall be conspicuously posted in the establishment. *offense. It is further prohibited to establish computer shops and internet cafes within 200 meters of any elementary and secondary school premises and/or depending on the municipal ordinance. This provision shall not in any way amend, modify, or repeal a different time, daily schedule, and penalty provision of a similar ordinance of a lower-level Local Government Unit (LGU) which shall continue to be in force and effect.*
11. **Selling and/or Giving liquor, Cigarettes, Rugby, and other Addictive substances to children:** it shall be unlawful for any person to sell or give liquor, cigarettes, rugby, or any addictive substance to a child.
12. Children shall be prohibited at cockpit premises and shall not be allowed to participate in any cockfight.
13. Peonage of Children. Offering a child or the services of the child as payment for a debt or in exchange for a favor, such as but not limited to:
- Working in agricultural
 - Working as house helpers
14. **Pushing / Enticing Children / Minors to Live-In Arrangement** - It shall be unlawful for any person to entice, encourage, and/or push children to live together with any person as husband and wife in exchange for money or any other consideration.
- Physical and other degrading forms of punishment. Subjecting a child to physical and degrading forms of punishment such as, but not limited to the following:
 - Directing a child to kneel on salt or another similar granular object.
 - Shaving the head of the child.
 - Harsh whipping of the child with a stick, belt, and other similar object.
 - Tying up the child, placing him/her inside a sack, locking him/her up in a cabinet or any closed structure, or otherwise detaining him/her.
 - Pulling the hair up the child.
 - Throwing objects such as, but not limited to erasers, chalk, and notebooks at the child.
 - Causing the child to stand under the heat of the sun.
 - Directing the child to stand in front of the class as a punishment for an act or omission.
 - Defamatory utterances directed to the child.
 - Disallowing enrolment of children on temporary status due to the absence of birth certificates.
 - Disallowing children from taking examinations because of non-submission of the project.
 - Posting of names of pupils and students anywhere in the classroom and or on the campus due to non-payment of any voluntary contribution and/or school fees.

Any person who commits any of the above-mentioned prohibited acts shall be penalized with a fine of not less than One Thousand Pesos (Php 1,000.00) and not more

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than Five Thousand Pesos (Php 5,000.00) or imprisonment of not less than six | (6) months and not more than one (1) year, or both such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court.

ARTICLE VI SPECIAL CONCERNS

SECTION 33. ORGANIZATION, FUNCTION, AND STRENGTHENING OF LOCAL COUNCILS FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN -The Municipal Council for the Protection of Children shall be organized through an ordinance or an executive, and the Barangay Council for the Protection of Children shall organize their respective Council for the Protection of Children. The composition of the Province Council for the Protection of Children shall be as follows:

Chairperson:

Co-Chair:

Member/s:

Functions of LCPCs:

1. Formulate plans, programs, and policies for children that are gender - fair culturally relevant, and responsive to the needs of diverse groups of children from 0 to below 18 years of age.
2. Prepare Annual Work and Financial Plan (AWFP) for children and recommend appropriations to the Sanggunian.
3. Provide coordinative linkages with other agencies and institutions in the planning, monitoring, and evaluation of plans for children.
4. Provide technical assistance and recommend financial support to the lower-level councils.
5. Establish and maintain database in responsibility.
6. Recommend local legislation promoting child survival, protection, participation, and development, especially on the quality of television shows and media prints and coverage, with appropriate funding support.
7. Conduct capability-building programs to enhance knowledge and skill in handling children's programs.
8. Monitoring and evaluating the implementation of programs and submitting reports to appropriate agencies.
9. Performing such other functions as provided for in the ECCD Law and other related law laws.

A Technical Working Group (TWG) is hereby created with technical personnel/representatives from the following officers:

Chairperson:

Member/s:

The Technical Working Group shall perform the following functions:

1. Provide technical and administrative support to the Provincial Council for the Protection of Children.
2. Monitor implementation of plans and programs geared toward addressing children's rights and development.
3. Perform other functions as may be directed.

SECTION 34. CHILDREN'S MONTH CELEBRATION - Under RA 10661 declaring November as National Children's Month, the LGU shall conduct child-focused activities to promote the rights and responsibilities of Filipino Children.

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SECTION 35. ORGANIZATION AND MONITORING ON THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN - The LGU shall ensure the organization of the LCPC under DILG MC 2008-126, the Inter-Agency monitoring task force shall monitor the functionality of the councils.

SECTION 36. MANDATORY CAPABILITY BUILDING FOR MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN - To ensure efficiency and effectiveness, all members of the Local Council for the Protection of Children (LCPC) from the municipality and barangay shall undergo formal protection and welfare training.

SECTION 37. CHILDREN ENGAGED IN ANTI-SOCIAL RELATED ACTIVITIES - Children found engaging in Anti-social Related Activities shall be rescued and provided with the appropriate interventions by the inter-agencies.

SECTION 38. CURFEW FOR MINORS

1.1 PROHIBITIONS:

- a. It shall be unlawful for any minor to loiter, ramble, saunter, stray or wander in the streets, plaza and other public places within the Municipality of Dagami between 10:00PM to 5:00AM, when he/she is not accompanied by a parent or a guardian.
- b. It shall be unlawful for a parent/guardian of a minor to knowingly or by insufficient control allow such minor to be outside of their residence between 10:00PM to 5:00AM.
- c. It shall be unlawful for any owner, manager, or operator of any videoke bar, internet café, billiard/pool, convenience store, disco area within the municipality of Dagami to knowingly or causing to allow minors to be in their place of business between 10:00PM to 5:00AM.

1.2 EXCEPTIONS:

- a. The child is involved in an emergency situation. This includes unforeseen circumstances, or the status or condition resulting therefrom, requiring
- b. immediate action to safeguard life, limb, or property. The term also includes, but is not limited to fires, calamities, disasters, automobile accidents, or other similar circumstances.
- c. The child is engaged in a school activity, and is returning home from such activity or class, without detour or stop, and accompanied by the guardian or parent.
- d. The child is attending an activity sponsored by a school, religious, or civic organization, or by a public organization or agency, or by a similar organization or entity, as long as the activity is supervised by adults and the child is going to or returning home from such activity, and accompanied by a guardian or parent.
- e. The child is accompanied by his parent or guardian
- f. On the occasion of legal holidays, special gatherings, birthdays, fiesta celebrations, and other special family gatherings, as long as they are within the premises of the venue, and must be accompanied by a guardian or parent upon going home.

1.3 PROCEDURE FOR TAKING THE CHILD INTO CUSTODY – Republic Act No. 9344 otherwise known as the Juvenile Justice and Welfare Act of 2006 as amended by Republic Act. No. 10630, prescribes proper procedures to be observed by the law enforcement officer in taking the child into custody, to wit:

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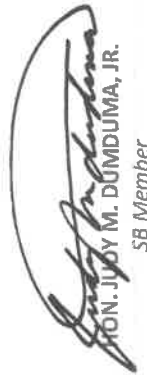
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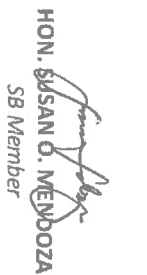

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- a. Explain to the child in simple language and in a dialect that he/she can understand why he/she is being placed under custody and other offense that he/she allegedly committed.
- b. Inform the child of the reason for such custody and advise the child of his/her constitutional rights in a language or dialect understood by him/her.
- c. Properly identify/herself and present proper identification to the child.
- d. Refrain from using vulgar or profane words and from sexually harassing or abusing, or making sexual advances on the child.
- e. Avoid displaying or using any firearm, weapon, handcuffs or other instruments of force or restraint, unless absolutely necessary and only after all other methods of control have been exhausted and have failed.
- f. Refrain from subjecting the child to greater restraint than is necessary for his/her apprehension.
- g. Avoid violence or unnecessary force.
- h. Determine the age of the child.
- i. Immediately but not later than eight (8) hours after apprehension, turn over custody of the child to the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Officer or other accredited NGOs, and notify the child's apprehension. The social welfare and development officer shall explain to the child and the child's parents/guardians the consequences of the child's act with a view towards counselling and rehabilitation, diversion from the criminal justice system, and reparation if appropriate.
- j. Take the child immediately to the proper medical and health officer for a thorough physical and mental examination. The examination results shall be kept confidential unless otherwise ordered by the courts. Whenever the medical treatment is required, steps shall be immediately undertaken to provide the same.
- k. Ensure that should detention of the child be necessary; the child shall be secured in the quarters separate from that of the opposite sex and adult offenders.
- l. Record the following in the initial investigation:
 - 1. Whether handcuffs or other instruments of restraint were used, and if so, the reason for such;
 - 2. That the parents or guardian of a child, the DSWD have been informed of the apprehension and the details thereof.
- m. Ensure that all statements signed by the child during investigation shall be witnessed by the child's parents or guardian, social worker, or legal counsel in attendance who shall affix his/her signature to the said statement.


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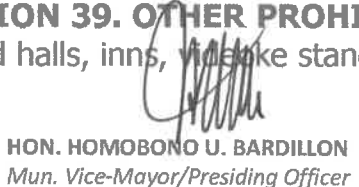

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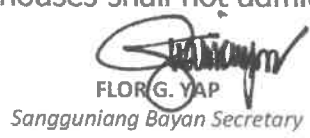
1.4 OBLIGATIONS AND LIABILITIES OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS – The parents or guardians who are in actual custody or living together with the child are under obligation to supervise the conduct and activities of the child and see to it that the latter is already in their home before and during the curfew hours of children.

1.5 IF PARENTS, GUARDIANS, OR NEAREST RELATIVES CANNOT BE LOCATED, OR REFUSES TO TAKE CUSTODY OF THE CHILD – If the parents, guardians, or nearest relatives cannot be located, or if they refuse to take custody, the child may be released to any of the following:

- a. Duly registered non-governmental or religious organization.
- b. Barangay official or a member of the Barangay Council for the Protection of Children.
- c. Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office

SECTION 39. OTHER PROHIBITION - The LGU shall ensure that the internet Cafes, billiard halls, inns, videoke stands, and other recreational houses shall not admit pupils,


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or students without a written permit from the head of the respective schools, except when proven by the pupil or student that at the time of their stay in the said establishments they have no scheduled classes. However, appropriate documentary proof shall be required.

School heads, teachers, and staff are encouraged to allow the pupils or students to use electronic libraries and other facilities in schools for their research work to deter them from going outside school premises.

ARTICLE VII SPECIAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 40. SPECIAL PROTECTION OF CHILDREN IN SITUATIONS OF ARMED CONFLICTS – As stipulated in Republic Act No. 11188, children in situations of armed conflict shall have the following rights:

- d. The right to life, survival, and development;
- e. The right of special respect and protection against any form of abuse, neglect, exploitation, and violation, especially in the context of armed conflict;
- f. The right to be treated as victims. They shall be treated under this Act and other applicable laws, consistent with the State obligations under international law, within the framework of restorative justice, social rehabilitation, and promotion of their protection;
- g. The right to be accorded with special respect and to be protected from any form of direct or indiscriminate attacks and acts of violence, especially protection from the grave child rights violations as enumerated in Section 9 of this Act;
- h. The right to be protected from recruitment into government forces or armed groups and from participation in armed conflict including the right to be protected from torture or any cruel, inhuman, or degrading practices that compel compliance or punish noncompliance with recruitment or participation in armed conflict;
- i. The right to be protected from maiming, torture, abduction, rape and killing, especially extrajudicial killing;
- j. The right to be immediately provided and have safe access to essential, adequate, and culturally appropriate food and nutrition; basic shelter and housing; culturally appropriate clothing; water, sanitation, and hygiene; basic health services including essential drugs, medicines, and vaccines, minimum initial service package for reproductive health, and health professional evaluation and appropriate intervention; education, including religious and moral education; early childhood care and development programs, psychosocial support and social services. All services provided for them must be child-specific and gender sensitive and responsive;
- k. The right to enjoy their freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief, opinion, and expression; to associate freely and participate equally in legitimate community affairs; to communicate in a language they understand even in situations of armed conflict and whether or not they have been internally displaced or are living in evacuation centers or settlements;
- l. The right to be treated humanely in all circumstances, without any adverse distinction founded on race, color, religion, or faith. Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and Expression (SOGIE), birth, wealth, or any other similar criteria;
- m. The right not to be interned or confined in camp;

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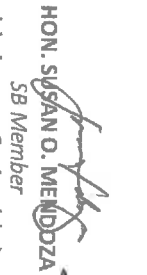

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- n. The right of the injured, the wounded and the sick, those with disabilities, those who are separated and unaccompanied, expectant and lactating mothers, to care, protection, and assistance required by their condition and treatment which takes into account their special needs such as their health needs, reproductive health care, appropriate counseling, prevention of infectious diseases and Mental Health Psychosocial Support Services;
- o. The right to be with their families, especially with their mothers, during evacuations and in evacuation centers;
- p. The right to be reunited with their families in case of separation due to armed conflict;
- q. The right to privacy and confidentiality in all proceedings;
- r. The right to nondiscrimination;
- s. The right to liberty of movement and freedom to choose their residence; in particular, internally displaced children and their families have the right to move freely in and out of evacuation centers or other settlements, subject to existing rules and regulations in those centers or settlements and to other government regulations and directives;
- t. The right especially of internally displaced children and their families to leave the country; seek safety in another part of the country; seek other service providers; seek asylum in another country; and be protected against forcible return to resettlement in any place where their life, safety, liberty or health would be at risk;
- u. The right to obtain necessary documents to enjoy their legal rights. The State shall have the duty to expedite services in the issuance of new documents or the replacement of documents lost in the course of displacement, without imposing unreasonable conditions and without discrimination against female child and male children, who shall have equal rights to obtain and to be issued the same in their names;
- v. The right of access to justice including free legal aid when filing cases against the perpetrators;
- w. The right to the protection of their family's properties and possessions in all circumstances; and
- x. The right to be consulted and to participate in all matters affecting them. Whenever feasible, views of children, as well as families and the communities to which these children return, should be sought in all stages of assessment, planning, implementation, and evaluation activities aimed at preventing the association of children with government forces and armed groups; as well as in the development and design of policies, programs, and services for the rescue, rehabilitation, and reintegration of children involved in armed conflict.


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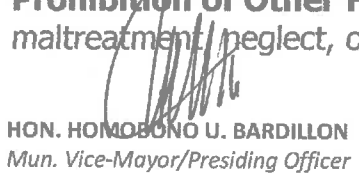

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SECTION 41. SPECIAL PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AGAINST ABUSE, EXPLOITATION, AND DISCRIMINATION – As stated in Republic Act No. 7610, the LGU in coordination with the Dagami PNP should implement the following:

1. **Prohibition of Child Prostitution and Sexual Abuse** - No person shall engage a child in prostitution or any unlawful sexual activity. Offenders shall be subject to appropriate legal sanctions, including fines and imprisonment, as prescribed by national and local laws.
2. **Prohibition of Child Trafficking** - It is unlawful to recruit, transport, transfer, harbor, or receive a child for exploitation purposes. Violators shall face penalties under national and local laws, including fines and imprisonment.
3. **Prohibition of Other Forms of Abuse** - Any form of physical abuse, emotional maltreatment, neglect, or abandonment of children is strictly prohibited.


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Caregivers and individuals responsible for children's welfare shall fulfill their duties as mandated by law.

4. **Prohibition of Child Labor and Exploitation** - Children shall not be employed in hazardous work conditions or any activity detrimental to their health, safety, or morals. Those found violating this provision shall be subject to penalties, including fines and imprisonment, as stipulated by national and local regulations.
5. **Protection of Children in Armed Conflict** - The LGU shall ensure the protection and assistance of children affected by armed conflict, prohibiting their recruitment into armed groups and use in hostilities.
6. **Establishment of the Special Court of Protection for Children** - The LGU shall establish a Special Court of Protection for Children to handle cases involving children, with jurisdiction, composition, and procedures per national and local laws.
7. **Access to Programs and Services** - Child victims of abuse, exploitation, and discrimination shall have access to programs and services for their protection, recovery, and reintegration, including the establishment of centers and facilities for their care and rehabilitation.

SECTION 42. STRENGTHENING THE EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM IN THE LGU – the LGU shall recognize the significance of early childhood care and child's development, and must commit to providing comprehensive early childhood care and development programs that are holistic, inclusive, and culturally relevant by implementing the following, as stated in R.A. 10410:

1. **Recognition of Early Years** - The age from zero (0) to eight (8) years is recognized as the first crucial stage of educational development in LGU Dagami.
2. **Rights of Children** - Children in are entitled to early childhood care and development services that ensure their health, nutrition, early learning, and protection from abuse and neglect.
3. **Role of the Local Government:** The local government of Dagami shall provide accessible, affordable, and quality early childhood care and development services to all children, with a focus on marginalized sectors.
4. **Establishment of ECCD System:** An integrated and comprehensive early childhood care and development system shall be established in the LGU, involving collaboration among government agencies, barangays, and stakeholders.
5. **Formulation of Local ECCD Framework:** A Local Early Childhood Care and Development System (LECCDS) framework shall be formulated to guide policy development, planning, and implementation of ECCD programs in the LGU.
6. **Creation of ECCD Committee:** The Municipal Early Childhood Care and Development Committee (MECCDC) shall be established to oversee the implementation of ECCD programs and ensure coordination among stakeholders.
7. **Funding:** Adequate funds shall be allocated from the annual budget of LGU Dagami to support ECCD programs, including training of ECCD service providers and provision of facilities and materials.

SECTION 43. PROVIDING THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN ABOARD MOTORCYCLES

- It is prohibited for any person to operate a motorcycle with a child on board unless the child is properly secured using a standard protective helmet and an appropriate child restraint system, as indicated in R.A. No. 10666.

SECTION 44. MANDATING THE PROVISION OF EMERGENCY RELIEF AND PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER DISASTERS AND OTHER EMERGENCY SITUATIONS - The LGU shall prioritize the protection and welfare of children

in all phases of disaster risk reduction and management, including

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preparedness, response, and recovery. Other necessary provisions mandated in R.A. No. 10821 should also be implemented.

The local government, together with relevant government agencies, LGUs, civil society organizations, and other stakeholders, shall collaborate to ensure the provision of timely and effective emergency relief and protection for children.

Capacity-building programs shall be organized to enhance the knowledge and skills of government personnel, responders, and communities in addressing the specific needs of children in emergencies.

SECTION 45. MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

– Establish a local mental health policy to enhance the delivery of integrated mental health services and promote the rights of individuals with mental health conditions in the Municipality of Dagami. As mentioned in R.A. No 11036, the LGUs are mandated by the following:

- A. **Integration of Mental Health Services** - The LGU shall integrate mental health services into the existing healthcare system, ensuring the availability and accessibility of mental health services at all levels of healthcare facilities within its jurisdiction.
- B. **Promotion of Mental Health Education** - Public awareness campaigns and education programs on mental health shall be conducted in schools, workplaces, communities, and other settings to reduce the stigma and discrimination associated with mental health conditions.
- C. **Protection of Rights** - Persons with mental health conditions in [Name of Municipality/City/Barangay] shall be entitled to the rights of dignity, autonomy, and non-discrimination in accessing mental health services and participating in treatment decisions.
- D. **Establishment of Mental Health Facilities** - The LGU shall endeavor to establish mental health facilities, including psychiatric, psychosocial, and neurologic services, to cater to the needs of individuals with mental health conditions within its jurisdiction.
- E. **Training of Mental Health Professionals** - Training programs shall be organized to enhance the competencies of healthcare professionals and other personnel involved in the delivery of mental health services in the Municipality and Barangays.
- F. **Research and Data Collection** - The LGU shall support research and data collection initiatives to generate evidence-based policies and programs for addressing mental health issues in the Municipality and the Barangays.

SECTION 46. INSTITUTIONALIZING A LOCAL FEEDING PROGRAM FOR UNDERNOURISHED CHILDREN IN PUBLIC DAY CARE, KINDERGARTEN, AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS TO COMBAT HUNGER AND UNDERNUTRITION

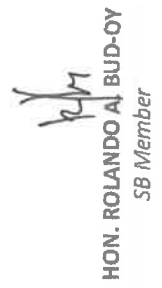
– The feeding program shall cover undernourished children enrolled in public daycare, kindergarten, and elementary schools within the jurisdiction of Dagami, prioritizing areas with high levels of hunger and undernutrition.

The Department of Education (DepEd) and the Municipal Social Welfare and Development (MSWD) shall jointly implement the feeding program, in coordination with other relevant government agencies. Nutritional standards for the feeding program shall be established based on the dietary needs of children, aiming to provide balanced and

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preparedness, response, and recovery. Other necessary provisions mandated in R.A. No. 10821 should also be implemented.

The local government, together with relevant government agencies, LGUs, civil society organizations, and other stakeholders, shall collaborate to ensure the provision of timely and effective emergency relief and protection for children.

Capacity-building programs shall be organized to enhance the knowledge and skills of government personnel, responders, and communities in addressing the specific needs of children in emergencies.

SECTION 45. MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

– Establish a local mental health policy to enhance the delivery of integrated mental health services and promote the rights of individuals with mental health conditions in the Municipality of Dagami. As mentioned in R.A. No 11036, the LGUs are mandated by the following:

- A. **Integration of Mental Health Services** - The LGU shall integrate mental health services into the existing healthcare system, ensuring the availability and accessibility of mental health services at all levels of healthcare facilities within its jurisdiction.
- B. **Promotion of Mental Health Education** - Public awareness campaigns and education programs on mental health shall be conducted in schools, workplaces, communities, and other settings to reduce the stigma and discrimination associated with mental health conditions.
- C. **Protection of Rights** - Persons with mental health conditions in [Name of Municipality/City/Barangay] shall be entitled to the rights of dignity, autonomy, and non-discrimination in accessing mental health services and participating in treatment decisions.
- D. **Establishment of Mental Health Facilities** - The LGU shall endeavor to establish mental health facilities, including psychiatric, psychosocial, and neurologic services, to cater to the needs of individuals with mental health conditions within its jurisdiction.
- E. **Training of Mental Health Professionals** - Training programs shall be organized to enhance the competencies of healthcare professionals and other personnel involved in the delivery of mental health services in the Municipality and Barangays.
- F. **Research and Data Collection** - The LGU shall support research and data collection initiatives to generate evidence-based policies and programs for addressing mental health issues in the Municipality and the Barangays.

SECTION 46. INSTITUTIONALIZING A LOCAL FEEDING PROGRAM FOR UNDERNOURISHED CHILDREN IN PUBLIC DAY CARE, KINDERGARTEN, AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS TO COMBAT HUNGER AND UNDERNUTRITION

– The feeding program shall cover undernourished children enrolled in public daycare, kindergarten, and elementary schools within the jurisdiction of Dagami, prioritizing areas with high levels of hunger and undernutrition.

The Department of Education (DepEd) and the Municipal Social Welfare and Development (MSWD) shall jointly implement the feeding program, in coordination with other relevant government agencies. Nutritional standards for the feeding program shall be established based on the dietary needs of children, aiming to provide balanced and

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For offenses punishable under Presidential Decree No. 603 (Child and Youth Welfare Code); and Republic Act No. 7610 (Special Protection of Children against Abuses, Exploitation and Discrimination Act as amended by Republic Act No. 9231); Republic Act No. 9231); Republic Act No. 7658 (An Act Prohibiting the Employment of Children below 15 years of Age, amending Section 12 of R.A. No. 7610); republic Act no. 9208 (Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act of 2003); Republic Act No. 9262 (Anti-Violence Against Women and their Children Act of 2004); the Revised Penal Code or any other law as well as this code, the offended party and/or any party so authorized may file a complaint under the national law, and the penalty in such national law shall be imposed.

SECTION 50. PENALTIES AND SANCTIONS - Violations of any provisions of this Code shall be penalized and sanctioned under the provision of existing applicable laws, rules, and regulations. Where specific penalties and/or sanctions are provided in this Code, the same shall be applied without prejudice to the imposition of other penalties that may be provided in other laws.

No penalty shall be imposed on children for said violations, and they shall instead be brought to their residence or to any barangay official at the barangay hall to be released to the custody of their parents/guardians or appropriate authorities.

Any parent or guardian found to be negligent in the performance of their duties to children shall be punished as follows:

1. For the offense: counseling or parent education.
2. For the second and subsequent offense: the filing by the LCPC of the appropriate charges on child abuse under Republic Act No. 7610 and Petition for Involuntary Commitment under Presidential Decree No. 603, or other criminal or civil cases under applicable laws.
3. Without prejudice or to the filing of appropriate charges under the provisions of Republic Act No. 7610, violation of any provision of this code shall be punished by imprisonment not exceeding six (6) months or a fine not exceeding Two Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (2,500.00) or both upon the discretion of the court.
4. All established enterprises which promote or facilitate child prostitution and other social abuse, child trafficking, obscene publications, indecent shows, and other acts of abuse shall be immediately inspected and verified, closed, and their authority or license to operate canceled without prejudice to the manager or owner being prosecuted under this Code.

**ARTICLE IX
FINAL PROVISIONS**

SECTION 51. PENALTY FOR THE REFUSAL OR NEGLECT OF ANY GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL OR EMPLOYEE TO IMPLEMENT THIS CODE - Any government official or employee, charged with duty to implement this Code, and who refuses or neglects his/her Duty, shall be punished with six (6) months suspension from the service without pay provided that due process on administrative discipline as established under the Civil Services Law and other pertinent laws shall be strictly observed before said penalty is imposed to such offender.

SECTION 52. APPROPRIATIONS FOR CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS - The LGU shall appropriate funds, as part of its annual budget, for the implementation of the children's program.

SECTION 53. SUPPLEMENTARY APPLICATION - The applicable provisions of Presidential Decree No. 603 (Child and Youth Welfare Code); Republic Act No. 7610 (Special

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Protection of Children Against Abuses, Exploitation, and Discrimination Act as amended by Republic Act no. 9231); Republic Act 7658 (An Act Prohibiting the Employment of Children below 15.


SECTION 54. REPEALING CLAUSE – All ordinances, rules, and regulations not consistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 55. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If for any reason any provisions or part of this ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions thereof which are not affected shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 56. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect upon the approval of the Sangguniang Bayan or the posting of copies in conspicuous places in the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte, and publication in a newspaper of local circulation.


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