















Republic of the Philippines
Regional Inter-Agency Task Force on Emerging Infectious Diseases XII –
Regional Task Force COVID -19

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-027-E

August 26, 2020

RESOLUTION FAVORABLY ENDORSING THE REQUEST OF LGU POLOMOLOK, SOUTH COTABATO TO THE NATIONAL IATF FOR THE SUSPENSION OF REPATRIATES AND LSIS FOR A PERIOD OF 15 DAYS UPON ITS APPROVAL

- WHEREAS, Per OMNIBUS GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMUNITY QUARANTINE IN THE PHILIPPINES with Amendments as of July 16, 2020, the IATF approved the Implementation of the Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine (MECQ) including the zoning concept, corresponding qualification, and its phased response or intervention;
- WHEREAS, DOH XII Regional Director Aristides Conception Tan, MD confirmed that there exists a "local transmission" in the Municipality of Polomolok during the regular joint meeting of RIATF-EID XII and RTF XII on August 26, 2020, with the recorded clusters of cases as of date;
- WHEREAS, The Joint Task Force, in its Omnibus Resolution No. 2020-026 concurred the declaration of a localized lockdown in the Barangays of Cannery, Poblacion, Magsaysay, Silway 8, Purok 1 & 4 of Barangay Koronadal Proper, and Purok Cassava of Barangay Maligo, including the Howard Hubbard Memorial Hospital, the only referral hospital in Polomolok, South Cotabato;
- WHEREAS, based on the Facility Monitoring Dashboard of the municipality as of August 30, 2020, their TTMF's occupancy rate is at 76.88% and is considered to be in a danger zone, or nearing moderate risk per DOH Standards on Bed Occupancy;
- WHEREAS, following the confirmation of DOH XII on the "local transmission" in the Municipality of Polomolok, with 22 active cases recorded and several other pending test results of asymptomatic closed contacts of the cluster of cases, other closed contacts are to be traced and will be subjected for isolation, and with the arrivals of ROFs and LSIs, available beds for isolation will be eventually fully occupied;
- WHEREAS, during the Joint RIATF-EID XII and RTF COVID-19 Meeting, Municipal Mayor Honey L. Lumayag-Matti humbly manifested that they be allowed to temporarily suspend the entry of repatriates and locally stranded individuals to the Municipality of Polomolok, South Cotabato;
- NOW, THEREFORE, on the motion of DBM XII RD Akmad J. Usman and was unanimously seconded by the members; BE IT RESOLVED, as it hereby resolved favorably endorsing the request of LGU Polomolok, South Cotabato to the national IATF for the suspension of repatriates and LSIs for a period of 15 days upon its approval;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the National IATF-EID and NTF COVID-19 for their consideration. The same copy to be furnished to the members of the RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19, other national government agencies and all LCEs of Region XII for their information and or appropriate action.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

Attested by:

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