



EXCERPTS FROM THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE REGION XII TASK FORCE ON COVID-19 VIRTUAL MEETING HELD ON APRIL 3, 2020 9:00 A.M.

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RESOLUTION NO. 08-2020

Series of 2020

RESOLUTION ADOPTING RIATG-EID 12 RESOLUTION NO. 3 SERIES OF 2020 SEEKING IMMEDIATE FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT FROM THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT THRU DOH FOR THE FULL OPERATIONALIZATION OF THE COTABATO REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, COTABATO CITY AS AN ACCREDITED TESTING FACILITY FOR COVID-19 AND FURTHER RECOMMENDS THE INCLUSION OF DR. JORGE P. ROYECA CITY HOSPITAL, GENERAL SANTOS CITY

WHEREAS, Section 15, Article II of the Philippine Constitution provides that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of every Filipino people;

WHEREAS, Presidential Proclamation No. 922 dated March 8, 2020 issued by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, declared a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines to address the threat due to the COVID-19 outbreak requires multi-stakeholder's pro-active actions;

WHEREAS, as of April 2, 2020, there are only 6 hospitals /molecular laboratories that were certified and authorized by DOH to conduct Diagnostic Tests, these are the Research Institute for Tropical Medicine (**RITM**); Baguio General Hospital Medical Center (**BGHMC**); San Lazaro Hospital (**SLH**); Vicente Sotto Memorial Medical Center (**VSSMC**); Western Visayas Medical Center (**WVMC**); and Southern Philippines Medical Center (**SPMC**) which is located in Davao City, Region 11. In Region 12, Dr. Jorge P. Royeca City Hospital is still in Stage 1 of its Accreditation Stage while the Cotabato Regional and Medical Center is yet to undergo several stages to be fully accredited as one;

WHEREAS, to facilitate the immediate and fast identification of COVID cases in the region, the RTF on CoVID-19 finds it necessary that a Regional Testing Laboratory for COVID-19 be operationalized in the soonest possible time.

WHEREFORE, upon motion of RD Josephine Cabrido-Leysa, CESO III, and duly seconded by the Body;

RESOLVE AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Region XII Task Force on COVID-19 adopts the RIATG-EID 12 Resolution No. 03 s. 2020 **SEEKING THE IMMEDIATE FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT FROM THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT THRU DOH FOR THE FULL OPERATIONALIZATION OF THE COTABATO REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, COTABATO CITY AS AN ACCREDITED TESTING FACILITY FOR COVID-19 AND FURTHER RECOMMENDS THE INCLUSION OF DR. JORGE P. ROYECA CITY HOSPITAL, GENERAL SANTOS CITY;**

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Office of the President, His Excellency President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, thru SAP and Senator Christopher "Bong" Go, for his immediate consideration and approval, Hon. Francisco T. Duque, III, DOH Secretary, Hon. Eduardo M.


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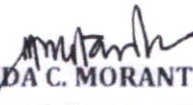
Año, DILG Secretary, Regional Inter-Agency Task Group on Emerging Infectious Disease (RIATG-EID)-12 members, and the National Inter-Agency Task Force- COVID-19 for their information, and favorable support.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED: April 3, 2020 in Region 12.

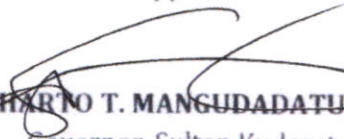
WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

Attested by:


JOSEPHINE CABRIDO-LEYSA, CESO III.
Regional Director, DILG XII &
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Approved


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