EXECUTIVE ORDER NO 56 Series of 2020

AN ORDER REGULATING THE OPERATIONS OF MEMORIAL PARKS, CEMETERIES AND COLUMBARIUMS IN THE CITY OF MALOLOS AND PROVIDING FOR THE OPERATIONS OF OPLAN KALULUWA DURING THE UNDAS SEASON.

WHEREAS, on 17 September 2020, the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases issued its Resolution No. 72, which provides rules that shall govern all activities relating to the observance of the Undas season in all private and public cemeteries, and memorial parks, including columbariums and the like effective until 15 November 2020;

WHEREAS, Section IX of Executive Order 47 Series of 2020 of the Undersigned provides, that beginning 29 October 2020 until 4 November 2020, all memorial parks, cemeteries, and columbariums within the City of Malolos, shall be closed to visitors;

WHEREAS, the General Welfare Clause of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides, that within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure the promotion of health and safety of their inhabitants;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 455, (2) (iii) of the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor as the Chief Executive of the city government has the power to issue such executive orders for the faithful and appropriate enforcement and execution of laws and ordinances;

NOW THEREFORE, I, ENGR. GILBERT T. GATCHALIAN, City Mayor of the City of Malolos, Bulacan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, towards promotion of the General Welfare within the City, do hereby order:

SECTION I. REITERATION OF NO VISITOR POLICY FOR CEMETERIES, MEMORIAL PARKS AND COLUMBARIUMS. Cemeteries, memorial parks and columbariums shall be closed to visitors from 29 October 2020 until 4 November 2020. Provided, that burying of the dead shall still be allowed.



SECTION II. OPLAN KALULUWA. In order to ensure peace and order, and the observance of No Visitor Policy, during the Undas Season, the Philippine National Police Force (PNP) in the City together with its accredited Force Multipliers shall be stationed in all cemeteries, memorial parks, and columbariums. The City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Personnel shall actively collaborate with the PNP and shall be present in all major Oplan Kaluluwa Stations. The Bureau of Fire Protection Personnel (BFP) shall be stationed in a strategic place in order to effectively heed the call of emergency should any untoward incident happen.

SECTION III. HOTLINE. Malolenyos are reminded of the following Hotline Numbers in case of an emergency:

- 1. For emergencies requiring health emergencies: 0927 786 2296 or 0931 003 5764
- 2. For emergencies requiring rescue operations: (044) 760 5160 or 0927 786 2292
- 3. For emergencies requiring police response: 0933 610 4327 or 0917 158 9877
- 4. For emergencies requiring **firefighters response** are: (044) 791-6129 or 0995 186 0370

SECTION IV. INCORPORATION CLAUSE. All laws, rules and regulations and issuances issued under the authority of the National Government and of the Provincial Government are hereby incorporated and shall form integral parts of this Order.

SECTION V. EFFECTIVITY. This order shall be effective immediately upon signing thereof.

Done this 28th day of October, 2020 here at the City of Malolos, Bulacan.

NGR. GILBERT T. GATCHALIAN