

# Republic of the Philippines Province of Cavite City of Imus

### OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR

#### **EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 028**

Series of 2024

# AN EXECUTIVE ORDER DECLARING SUSPENSION OF FACE-TO-FACE CLASSES AT ALL LEVELS IN BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF IMUS FROM MAY 2, 2024 (THURSDAY) TO MAY 4, 2024 (SATURDAY) DUE TO HIGH HEAT INDEX

**WHEREAS**, it is a declared policy of the State to uphold the people's constitutional rights to life, health, safety, and property and to promote the general welfare of its people at all times, especially during disasters and calamities;

**WHEREAS**, Section 3 of Presidential Executive Order No. 66, Series of 2012, provides that localized cancellation or suspension of all classes in all levels in both public and private schools may be implemented by Local Chief Executives, due to typhoons, flooding, and other weather disturbances and calamities;

WHEREAS, upon the 30 April 2024 recommendation of the City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office (CDRRMO) of Imus City to the City Mayor, and in consideration of the high heat conditions in the City of Imus, it is imperative to implement a localized cancellation or suspension of in-person classes at all levels as a precautionary measure to mitigate the potential risks associated with extremely high temperature, which considerably affect the conduct of classroom learning and put the students' health and well-being at risk;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall, among others, ensure and promote health and safety and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Section 455 (b) (2) (iii) of the Code provides that the City Mayor shall issue such executive orders for the faithful and appropriate enforcement and execution of laws and ordinances;



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NOW, therefore, I, HON. ALEX L. ADVINCULA, City Mayor of the City of Imus, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

**SECTION 1. Suspension Of Face-To-Face Classes-** In-Person classes at all levels, in both public and private schools in the City of Imus, are hereby suspended from **May 2, 2024 (Thursday) to May 4, 2024 (Saturday)**, unless otherwise extended or lifted earlier.

**SECTION 2. Adoption of Alternative Learning Systems-** School Heads/Administrators are enjoined to implement appropriate measures to ensure that learning competencies and objectives are still met, such as modular distance learning, performance tasks, projects, or make-up classes.

**SECTION 3. Dissemination-** The City Information Office (CIO) is hereby directed to cause immediate and widest dissemination of this Executive Order to the public and all concerned.

**SECTION 4. Repealing Clause-** All orders, memoranda, rules and regulations, or any part(s) thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Order are hereby revoked or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 5. Separability Clause-** If any provision or part hereof is held invalid or unconstitutional, the remainder of this Executive Order not otherwise affected shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 6. Effectivity-** This Executive Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in full effect unless otherwise revoked or amended.

**DONE** and **SIGNED** this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024, City of Imus.

ALEX L. ADVINCULA
City Mayor