



Republic of the Philippines
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City of Imus

OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 078
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AN ORDER INSTITUTIONALIZING AND ESTABLISHING THE MIGRANT ADVISORY AND INFORMATION (MAIN) DESK IN THE CITY OF IMUS

WHEREAS, Section of or Republic Act No. 9208 otherwise known as the Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act of 2003 declared a policy that "the State shall value the dignity of every human person and guarantees the respect of individual rights;

WHEREAS, Further, "the State shall give the highest priority to the enactment of measures and development of programs that will promote human dignity, protect the people from any threat of violence and exploitation;

WHEREAS, Furthermore, Republic Act No. 9208 also recognizes the equal rights and inherent human dignity of women and men as enshrined in the United Nations Universal Declaration on Human Rights, UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, UN Convention on the Protection of Migrant Workers, and Their Families, UN Convention Against Transnational Organized Crime Including Its Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children and all other relevant and universally accepted human rights instruments and other international conventions;

WHEREAS, MC No. 2005-26, dated March 14, 2005, issued by the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) to all Local Chief Executives, DILG Regional, Provincial, City Directors and Field Offices on the strict implementation of RA 9208;

WHEREAS, DILG MC No. 2006-172 dated December 12, 2006, was issued to strengthen LGUs' efforts to combat trafficking in persons and issuance supplementing DILG MC 2005-26 and to mandate all LGUs to sustain the functionality of the Migrant Advisory and Information Network (MAIN) Desk;

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

SECTION 1. CREATION- The establishment and institutionalization of the Migrant Advisory and Information Network (MAIN) desk is hereby created;

SECTION 2. ORGANIZATION- The MAIN Desk is hereby stationed under the Office of the City Social Service and Welfare Development (CSWDO);



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SECTION 3. FUNCTIONS- To ensure an integrated and concerted effort, the MAIN Desk in addition to its defined functions of generating maintaining, and providing information related to human trafficking, in coordination with concerned local offices, and other national agencies, undertakes the following related activities:

- a. Preparation of Referral Mail Order Bride Cases;
- b. Documentation of cases of trafficking and illegal recruitment;
- c. Establishment and partnership with the Public Employment Services Office (PESO) in generating information on illegal recruiters with CSWDO on the provision of data on victims/affected families for livelihood assistance;
- d. Develop a system for accredited CSOs to establish centers and programs for intervention in various levels of the community;
- e. Render regular periodic reports on the establishments, issues, and concerns during quarterly meetings of the Local Committee on Anti-Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children (LCAT-VAWC);
- f. Development and dissemination of IEC materials on cases of trafficked persons/children;
- g. Conduct information dissemination among schools and barangays in the city.

SECTION 4. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE- If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected shall remain valid and subsist.

SECTION 5. REPEALING CLAUSE- All Orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provision of this Order are hereby repealed and modified accordingly.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVITY- This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE and **SIGNED** this 15th day of November 2024, City of Imus.

ALEX L. ADVINCULA
City Mayor 