



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 14, SERIES OF 2021

**AN ORDER CREATING THE BARANGAY PEACE AND ORDER COUNCIL
(BPOC) EVALUATION TASK FORCE IN THE CITY OF SORSOGON**

WHEREAS, 1987 Philippine Constitution, particularly Article II, Section 5 thereof, declares that the *"maintenance of peace and order, the protection of life, liberty, and property, and the promotion of the general welfare are essential for the enjoyment by all the people of the blessings of democracy"*;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, states that *"local government units shall, within their territorial jurisdictions, promote health and safety, improve public morals, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants"*;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 366 dated September 5, 1996, was issued requiring all Barangays to organize the Barangay Peace and Order Committee (BPOC) to serve as the implementing arm of the City Peace and Order Council at the barangay level;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) issued Memorandum Circular No. 2008-001 re: Reorganization and Guidelines in Monitoring the functionality of Barangay peace and Order Council (BPOC) to ensure that BPOCs are organized and functional;

WHEREAS, DILG Advisory dated February 24, 2021 re: Resumption of the Barangay Peace and Order Committee Functionality Audit, provides additional guidelines in the conduct of BPOC audit and the roles of DILG Filed Offices in the conduct of audit;

NOW THEREFORE, by the powers vested in me by law, I, **MA. ESTER E. HAMOR**, Mayor of the City of Sorsogon, do hereby order the Creation of the Barangay Peace and Order Council (BPOC) Validation Task Force of Sorsogon City, as follows:

SECTION I. COMPOSITION. The Barangay Peace and Order Council (BPOC) Validation Task Force of Sorsogon City shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson : **MABEL E. MORANO**
Local Government Operations Officer VI
Department of the Interior and Local Government

Head Secretariat: **HON. MA. TERESA D. PERDIGON**
City Councilor/President,
Liga ng mga Barangay

Members : **PLT COL BENITO E DIPAD**
Chief, Sorsogon City Police

MR. GEORGE MIRAS
Citizens Crime Watch

SECTION 2. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS. The BPOC Evaluation Task Force shall have the following duties and functions:

1. Consolidate the barangay self-assessment form (BPOC Form 1);
2. Review and evaluate the data entries in BPOC Form 1, all MOVs and relevant documents for the assessment of BPOC Functionality;
3. Give corresponding points for each indicator;
4. Total all the points given for each indicator and indicate its level of functionality;
5. Conduct validation activities whenever necessary;
6. Create ETF Secretariat if necessary;
7. Submit BPOC Form 1 to the CLGOO concerned;

SECTION III. EFFECTIVITY. This order shall take effect immediately.

DONE this 26TH day of March, 2021 at Sorsogon City, Philippines.


MA. ESTER E. HAMOR
City Mayor