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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 07, S.2020

**AN EXECUTIVE ORDER ON THE OBSERVANCE OF A BUSINESS HOLIDAY
EVERY FRIDAY OF THE WEEK IN THE MUNICIPALITY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 15, Article 2 of the 1987 Philippine Constitution and Section 16, the General Welfare Clause, of the Local Government Code, Local Government Units are charged with the promotion and safety within their jurisdictions. As such, they are to take lead in the prevention and control of coronavirus at the local level;

WHEREAS, DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2020-18 enjoins all local government units to effectively intensify information education campaign against Coronavirus and implement programs, projects and services that will promote the health and well-being of every Filipino.

WHEREAS, the whole Municipality is under the Enhanced Community Quarantine and a 24 hour curfew is in effect which technically should confine everybody inside homes.

WHEREAS, it is strongly believed that the implementation of a Business Holiday every Friday of the week would greatly reduce the presence of individuals outside residence which will equate to no contact with other residents, as we are all now possible carriers of the deadly virus; thus allowing or giving respite to the front liners manning the market and control points.

WHEREAS, with the one day Business Holiday, only those with medical needs or emergencies are allowed to go out to address their problems and must immediately go back to their homes after.

WHEREAS, the remaining six (6) days would still suffice to serve the needs of the public and would definitely ease the burden of market congestion thus, increasing safety and security among our people.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CELIA T. LAYUS, M.D., Municipal Mayor, by virtue of the powers vested in me by Law, do hereby enforce the observance of a Business Holiday in the Municipality of Claveria, Cagayan.

Section I. Observance of Business Holiday. There shall be a one day Business Holiday every Friday of the week in the Municipality to strengthen our measures on the implementation of the Enhanced Community Quarantine.

Section II. Scope. All stores (public market and private establishments in the whole Municipality to include sari-sari stores) except clinics providing emergency/medical services are directed to close every Friday until such time that the Enhanced Community Quarantine is lifted.



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Section III. Affected Sectors. The following groups/sectors are strictly enforced to observe closure and to stop their operations in the observance of the Business Holiday:

1. Market Vendors. All occupants of the public market including Drugstores.
2. Privately-owned groceries, bakeries, sari-sari stores, etc.
3. Lending Institutions, Cooperatives, Cellphone Loading Stations.
4. LGU Offices except health front liners and others (that may be needed) with a skeleton workforce only. (Since we expect that there will be no clients anyway as no one is allowed outside home except those with medical concerns/emergencies.
5. APOR. (If their activity is affected by the Business Holiday they must also stay at home. Those drivers of commodities can still travel to haul or deliver goods outside of the Municipality.)
6. Online Sellers
7. Ambulant Vendors

Section IV. Effectivity. This Executive Order takes effect immediately and shall remain in full force until the Enhanced Community Quarantine is lifted.

Done this 22nd day of April, 2020 at the Municipal Hall, Claveria, Cagayan


HON. CELIA T. LAYUS, M.D.
Municipal Mayor

