



**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 58**

Series of 2024

**AN EXECUTIVE ORDER DESIGNATING THE ORIENTAL MINDORO MULTI-SECTORAL COMPLEX AS THE TEMPORARY PROVINCIAL EVACUATION CENTER IN TIMES OF DISASTERS, CALAMITIES, EMERGENCIES, OR AS NEEDED BY CIRCUMSTANCES**

**WHEREAS**, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, also known as the *Local Government Code of 1991*, states that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare.

**WHEREAS**, Section 2 (a) of Republic Act No. 10121, otherwise known as the "*Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act of 2010*," provides that, it shall be the policy of the state, among others, *to uphold the people's constitutional rights to life and property by addressing the root causes of vulnerabilities to disasters, strengthening the country's institutional capacity for disaster risk reduction management and building the resilience of local communities to disasters including climate change impacts.*

**WHEREAS**, Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 122, Series of 2018 emphasizes the importance of evacuation centers in times of disasters, calamities, and emergency situations and sets forth guidelines and requirements for the establishment of resilient evacuation centers.

**WHEREAS**, the Oriental Mindoro Multi-Sectoral Building is suitably located in Brgy. Sta Isabel, Calapan City and equipped to serve as an evacuation center which may provide shelter to affected populations during disasters, calamities, and emergency situations.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, HUMERLITO A. DOLOR**, by the virtue of the powers vested in me as Provincial Governor of Oriental Mindoro by Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the *Local Government Code of 1991*, and other pertinent laws and issuances do hereby promulgate this Executive Order, as follows:

**SECTION 1. Temporary Provincial Evacuation Center.** The Oriental Mindoro Multi-Sectoral Complex (OMMSC) located in Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City is hereby designated as the Temporary Provincial Evacuation Center. Pending the establishment of a Provincial Evacuation Center, the OMMSC shall be utilized as an evacuation center where affected population and residents may seek shelter and immediate assistance during disasters, calamities, and emergency situations.

**SECTION 2. Management and Oversight.** The Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office (PSWDO), in coordination with the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (PDRRMO), shall oversee the management and operation of the Temporary Provincial Evacuation Center.

Both the PSWDO and PDRRMO shall ensure that the OMMSC is adequately prepared and equipped to accommodate evacuees and provide essential support services. DILG MC No. 122, Series of 2018 states that, *in the event that dedicated evacuation centers are already in place, local government units (LGUs) shall allocate and mobilize, from their local disaster risk reduction and management fund, monetary resources for upgrading of designated evacuation centers.* To implement such directive, the PSWDO and PDRRMO shall coordinate with the Office of the Governor and Provincial Engineer's Office for the necessary arrangements required for the transformation of the OMMSC into an evacuation center.

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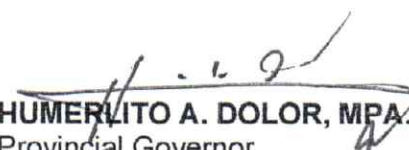
**SECTION 3. Funding.** The funds necessary for the implementation of this Executive Order shall be charged against the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund.

**SECTION 4. Repealing Clause.** All Executive Orders, guidelines and/or regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby amended and/or repealed accordingly.

**SECTION 5. Separability Clause.** If any provision of this Executive Order is declared illegal, invalid, or unconstitutional, the parts not affected shall remain valid and in full force and effect.

**SECTION 6. Effectivity Clause.** This Executive Order shall take effect immediately. Let copies of this Executive Order be disseminated to all concerned for their information and guidance.

**DONE IN THE CITY OF CALAPAN, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO,** this 26<sup>th</sup> day of November in the Year of our Lord Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.

  
**HUMERLITO A. DOLOR, MPA. Ph.D**  
Provincial Governor