



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Benguet
Municipality of Itogon
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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 09
Series of 2023

EXTENDING THE SUSPENSION OF CLASSES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ITOGON UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 8, SERIES OF 2023 UNTIL MAY 31, 2023 AND EXPANDING ITS COVERAGE FROM PRESCHOOL TO SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, BOTH PRIVATE AND PUBLIC.

WHEREAS, heavy rainfalls and strong winds caused by the enhanced southwest monsoon continue to affect the municipality which may trigger landslides in mountainous areas and flooding in areas near our major river systems;

WHEREAS, preemptive measures is necessary to ensure the safety of our residents most especially our school children, preventing them from being exposed to hazards that may be caused by this extreme weather condition;

WHEREAS, earlier this day, the Local Chief Executive issued Executive Order No. 8, series of 2023, suspending classes in the Municipality of Itogon from Preschool to Elementary levels in both private and public schools;

WHEREAS, the enhanced southwest monsoon which was felt throughout the day continue to accelerate, bringing heavy downpours and gusty winds making it more dangerous for people to travel outside their residences;

WHEREAS, for the safety and welfare of all students duly enrolled in their respective schools within the Municipality, it is deemed proper and appropriate to further suspend classes in the municipality and to include the junior and senior high school levels in the extent of such coverage

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the powers vested in me, I, **HON. BERNARD S. WACLIN**, in my capacity as Municipal Mayor of Itogon, Benguet Province, hereby **ORDER** as follows;

Section 1. Classes from Preschool to Elementary levels in the Municipality of Itogon, both private and public, are hereby **SUSPENDED** until May 31, 2023. Provided further, that classes in the Junior and Senior High School levels, both private and public are likewise **SUSPENDED** on the same day, May 31, 2023. Provided however, that school faculty and staff may be required to report subject to the discretion of their respective school heads based on prevailing conditions.

Section 2. All Orders and executive issuances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith or parts hereof are deemed repealed and/or modified accordingly.

Section 3. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE this 30th day of May, 2023 at Itogon, Benguet.

HON. BERNARD S. WACLIN
Municipal Mayor

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- All concerned schools
- MDRRMO
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