

FILE



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Benguet
Municipality of Itogon

Office of the Municipal Mayor

Tel. Phone No. (074) 423-9818/ Fax No. (074) 442-3526

Email Address: vic.palangdan@gmail.com

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 14-14A
Series of 2014

AMENDING ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 11-13(N): COMPOSITION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN (MCPC) OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ITOGON, BENGUET, PROVINCE

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7610 (Special Protection of Children Against Child Abuse, Exploitation and Discrimination Act) provides for stronger deterrence and special protection against child abuse, exploitation and discrimination, and its corresponding penalties;

WHEREAS, Article 359 and 360 of the Civil Code of the Philippines, provides that "the government shall establish Councils for the Protection of Children.";

WHEREAS, DILG MC No. 2002-121 reiterated the organization/ reorganization of LCPC's pursuant to Republic Act Nos. 4881 and 8980 and PD 603 as amended;

WHEREFORE, I, ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law as Municipal Mayor of Itogon, Benguet, do hereby reorganize the Municipal Council for the Protection of Children in order to plan and spearhead programs for children at the municipal level.

SECTION 1: COMPOSITION: the following shall be the composition of the Municipal Council for the Protection of Children:

- CHAIRMAN - **ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN**
Municipal Mayor
- CO- CHAIRMAN - **HON. ADRIANO R. CARANTES, JR.**
Municipal Vice Mayor
- VICE- CHAIRMAN - **HON. ANNIE A. GALIEGA**
SB Committee Chair on Social Services
- CO VICE- CHAIRMAN - **HON. FLORDELIZA G. DEPAYSO**
SB Committee Member on Social Services

A. Survival Committee:

- Team Leader: Dr. Oliver P. Guadaña, MHO
- Members: Ms. Nora M. Sanil, LCR
Ms. Victoria Todyog, MNAO
Mr. Prudencio Pedro, MA
Ms. Maria Jimenez, BHW Federation President
Ms. Normelita Almerol, BNS Federation President

The survival committee shall deal with the provision in relation to parental and government duties and responsibilities, adequate living standard and access to basic health services and social security.

B. Development Committee:

Team Leader: Mr. Melchor C.Tican, District Supervisor (District I)
Co- Team Leader: Ms. Rosita T. Dayag, District Supervisor (District II)
Members: Ms. Cynthia A. Tauli, Child Development Worker's Fed. Pres
Mr. James Agapen Jr., PTCA Federation President
Mr. Donald V. Soriano, Bethesda Ministries
Ms. Estrelita C. Apidos, Itogon Women's Federation President
Child Representative

The Committee shall deal with the access of a child to educational opportunities, access to relevant information, play leisure, cultural activities and the rights to freedom of thought, conscience and religion.

C. Protection Committee:

Team Leader: PCI Faustino C. Bandao, COP
Members: PO2 Elizabeth Ianne L. Calpito, Womens & Children's Desk
SFO3 William L. Damoslog, Fire Marshall
PSI Divina Cosi Mencio, WCPU
Ms. Justine Juliano, MNCHN Coordinator, MHO
Ms. Elizabeth C. Cungao, Focal Person on CICL, OMSWD
Ms. Sharon W. Baroa, Focal Person on Child Abuse, OMSWD
HON. Andres C. Panayo, Liga Federation President
Ms. Beverly Simon, CFSPI Representative

The committee shall cover those which guard children against all forms of child abuse, exploitation and discrimination in major areas where a child is considered in extremely difficult circumstances.

D. Participation Committee:

Team Leader: Ms. Grace O. Pocsol, MSWDO
Members: Engr. Imelda F. Nuguid, MPDC
Ms. Marleen M. Guerzon, MLGOO
Ms. Veronica K. Comising, MBO
Ms. Angela C. Cariño, MTO
Mr. Vicente D. Puguon, OSCA Head
Child Representative
Mr. Walter Ladyong, CFSPI Representative

The committee shall initiate the participation of children in decisions that affects them.

SECTION 2: FUNCTIONS : The MCPC COUNCIL shall function as follows:

1. Formulate plans, programs and policies for children that are gender- fair, culturally relevant and responsive to the needs of diverse groups of children from 0 to below 18 years old of age;
2. Prepare Annual Work and Financial Plan for children and recommend appropriations to the Sanggunian;
3. Provide coordinate linkages with other agencies and institutions in the planning, monitoring and evaluation of plans for children;
4. Provide technical assistance and recommend financial support to the Barangay Council for the Protection of Children;

5. Establish and maintain data on children in the municipality;
6. Foster education of every child;
7. Advocate for the establishment and maintenance of playgrounds, day care centers and other facilities necessary for child and youth development;
8. Recommend local legislations promoting child survival, protection, participation and development, especially on the quality of television shows, media prints and coverage, which are detrimental to children, and with appropriate funding support;
9. Assist children in need of special protection and refer cases filed against child abusers to proper agencies and institutions;
10. Conduct capability building programs to enhance knowledge and skills in handling children's program;
11. Document barangay best practices for children;
12. Monitor and evaluate the implementation of the programs and submit quarterly status report to PCPC; and
13. Perform such other functions as provided for in the ECCD and other child related laws.

SECTION 3: SECRETARIAT:

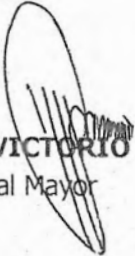
The Secretariat support shall be lodged with the Municipal Social Welfare & Development Office who shall be responsible for the documentation of proceedings of meetings and preparation of reports and other necessary documents as needed by the committee.

SECTION 4: MEETINGS:

The Council shall meet once in every quarter and as need arises.

This Administrative Order takes effect immediately.

DONE this 14th day of *Aug.* 2014 at Itogon, Benguet Province.


ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN
Municipal Mayor

Copy furnished:

- All concerned
- Office of the Provincial Governor
- DILG
- file