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0730-21	10732	GUIDELINES FOR THE CONDUCT OF: (1) IN-PERSON CAMPAIGN, (2) RALLIES, (3) CAUCUSES, MEETINGS, AND CONVENTIONS, (4) MOTORCADES AND CARAVANS, AND (5) MITING DE AVANCE UNDER THE NEW NORMAL IN CONNECTION WITH THE 09 MAY 2022 NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS	November 24, 2021

For your information/guidance and appropriate action. Thank you.


ATTY. CONSUELO B. DIOLA
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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
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GUIDELINES FOR THE
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PROMULGATED : 24 November 2021

RESOLUTION NO. 10732

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2020, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, under Proclamation No. 922, declared a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines due to COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, the Commission on Elections (Commission), joins the nation in its efforts and supports the main objective of the Government, to stop the spread of COVID-19. Further, it adheres to the principle that government services should not be denied to the general public, by institutionalizing preventive health measures, adopting the new normal to protect its personnel and the public clientele;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the powers vested in it by the Constitution, the Omnibus Election Code, and Republic Act No. 9006 or the Fair Elections Act, and other related laws, the Commission **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to promulgate the following

GUIDELINES institutionalizing the new normal in the conduct of (1) in-person campaign, (2) rallies, (3) caucuses, meetings, and conventions, (4) motorcades and caravans, and (5) *miting de avance*, to be strictly observed together with the minimum public health standards prescribed by the Department of Health (DOH).

RULE I
DEFINITION OF TERMS

SECTION 1. Definition of Terms. - As used in these Guidelines:

a. **Candidate** refers to any person aspiring for or seeking an elective public office, who has filed a certificate of candidacy. For this purpose, any person who files his or her certificate of candidacy shall only be considered as a candidate at the start of the campaign period for which he or she filed his or her certificate of candidacy.

For the purposes of this Guidelines, the nominees of a Party-List group seeking a seat in the House of Representatives through the Party-List System of Representation, shall be considered as candidates;

b. **Campaign Period.** Unless otherwise fixed in special cases by the Commission on Elections, the period of campaign shall be as follows:

(1) For candidates for President, Vice-President, Senator and party-list groups participating in the party-list system of representation - 08 February 2022 to 07 May 2022;

(2) For Members of House of Representatives, and elective provincial, city, and municipal officials - 25 March 2022 to 07 May 2022.

The campaign period shall not include 14 April 2022 (Maundy Thursday) and 15 April 2022 (Good Friday), the day before, and the day of the election.

c. **Category Level System** refers to area classifications for dealing with COVID-19, covering entire cities and/or municipalities,

provinces, and regions aimed to manage and minimize the risk of the disease during election campaigns through pertinent DOH and IATF-MEID Resolutions, issuances, and guidelines, as may be classified by the respective COMELEC Campaign Committees.

- d. **COMELEC Campaign Committee (CCC)** refers to the Committee created by the Commission to implement this Guidelines. The CCC shall exercise supervision over the Regional COMELEC Campaign Committee (RCCC), the Provincial COMELEC Campaign Committee (PCCC), and City or Municipal COMELEC Campaign Committee (C/MCCC).
- e. **Commission** refers to the Commission on Elections (COMELEC).
- f. **Caucuses, Meetings, and Conventions** refer to a meeting of people held *indoors* for the purpose of soliciting votes and/or undertaking any campaign or propaganda for or against a candidate.
- g. **COVID-19** refers to Coronavirus Disease 2019 which is caused by the virus known as the severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2).
- h. **Election Campaign Activity** refers to an act designed to promote the election or defeat of a particular candidate or candidates to a public office which shall include:
 - (1) Holding political caucuses, conventions, meetings, rallies, motorcades, or other similar assemblies or gatherings, or in-person campaigns for the purpose of soliciting votes and/or undertaking any campaign or propaganda for or against a candidate;
 - (2) Making speeches, announcements or commentaries, or holding interviews for or against the election of any candidate for public office; or
 - (3) Distributing campaign materials designed to support or oppose the election of any candidate.

- i. **Enclosed Outdoor** refers to any open space or location that, while not within a fully enclosed and secure structure is still surrounded by a perimeter fence or similar minimal barrier, has a controllable point of ingress and egress, a definable maximum capacity and proper natural ventilation.
- j. **Guidelines** refers to the Guidelines for the conduct of: (1) In-Person Campaign, (2) Rallies, (3) Caucuses, Meetings, and Conventions, (4) Motorcades and Caravans, and (5) *Miting De Avance* Under the New Normal in Connection with the 09 May 2022 National and Local Elections.
- k. **IATF-MEID** refers to the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases created by virtue of Executive Order No. 168, series of 2014.
- l. **Indoor** includes function halls, stadiums, coliseum, and other similarly enclosed premises, with a definable capacity.
- m. **In-Person Campaign** refers to a form of campaigning wherein a candidate and his/her supporters personally visit the voters through house-to-house and other sorties in public places, distribute leaflets, give away sample ballots, campaign materials, and other goods or items allowed under Republic Act No. 9006, otherwise known as the Fair Election Act.
- n. **Minimum Public Health Standards (MPHS)** refers to guidelines set by the Department of Health and such other issuances subsequent thereto, as well as sector-relevant guidelines issued by national government agencies as authorized by the IATF-MEID. Specifically, to:
 - 1. Ensure adequate air circulation and ventilation;
 - 2. Maintain physical distancing of one (1) meter or more; and
 - 3. Proper usage of face masks and other personal protective equipment as may be necessary.
- o. **Miting de Avance** refers to a public rally conducted by any candidate, political party, party under the party-list system, or coalition, on the last day of the campaign period.

- b.1. The Regional Director of the DOH;
- b.2. The Regional Director of the PNP;
- b.3. Either the Division or Brigade Commander with the highest rank designated by the AFP; and
- b.4. The Regional Director of the DILG.

The RCCC shall be assisted by a Secretariat composed of a representative from the Commission, as may be designated by the RCCC Chairperson.

SECTION 8. Composition of the PCCC. - The PCCC shall be composed of the following:

- a. Provincial Election Supervisor (PES), as the Chairperson;
- b. With members consisting of:
 - b.1. The highest-ranking provincial official of the DOH;
 - b.2. Provincial Director of the PNP;
 - b.3. Either the Battalion Commander of the AFP or the highest-ranking officer in the area as may be designated by the AFP; and
 - b.4. Provincial Director of the DILG.

The PCCC shall be assisted by a Secretariat composed of a representative from the Commission, as may be designated by the PCCC Chairperson.

SECTION 9. Composition of the M/CCCC. - The M/CCCC shall be composed of the following:

- a. Election Officer (EO), as the Chairperson;
- b. With members consisting of:
 - b.1. City/Municipal Health Officer;
 - b.2. PNP Chief of Police;
 - b.3. Highest-ranking officer in the area as may be designated by the AFP; and
 - b.4. DILG City Director or highest-ranking officer in the area as may be designated by the DILG.

- p. **Motorcades and Caravans** refer to an organized procession of vehicles travelling together that move along a sidewalk, public or private street, highway, or expressway, conducted exclusively for election campaign purposes.
- q. **New Normal** refers to the emerging behaviors, situations, and minimum public health standards that will be institutionalized in common or routine practices and remain even after the pandemic while the disease is not totally eradicated through means such as widespread immunization.
- r. **Outdoor** refers to any open space or location that is not within a fully enclosed and secure structure.
- s. **Rally** refers to a mass or concerted action held in a public place, indoors or outdoors, for the purpose of soliciting votes and/or undertaking any campaign or propaganda for or against a candidate.

RULE II GENERAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 2. Scope of these Guidelines. – These Guidelines shall cover Election Campaign Activities that involve physical or personal interaction, such as (1) In-Person Campaign, (2) Rallies, (3) Caucuses, Meetings, and Conventions, (4) Motorcades and Caravans, and (5) *Miting De Avance*.

SECTION 3. Candidates as Authorized Persons Outside of Residence (APOR). – All candidates and their campaign support staff of voting age, who are going out of their residence to participate in election campaigns, as defined herein shall be recognized as Authorized Persons Outside of Residence (APOR) during the campaign period, regardless of the alert level system and vaccination status.

SECTION 4. Requirements of Participants. - Subject to the prevailing IATF-MEID guidelines, all persons participating in election campaigns in whatever capacity are mandated to wear full-coverage face shields together with face masks (ear loop masks, indigenous, reusable, or do-it-yourself masks, or other facial protective

equipment) and observe the minimum public health standards at all times during the period of the political activity.

SECTION 5. Persons Not Allowed. – Subject to the prevailing IATF-MEID guidelines, any person below eighteen (18) years old, those who are over sixty-five (65) years of age, and those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and heavily pregnant women are not allowed to join, participate, or take part in any political caucuses, conferences, meetings, rallies, motorcades or other similar assemblies for the purpose of soliciting votes and/or undertaking any campaign or propaganda for or against a candidate.

RULE III

THE NATIONAL COMELEC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE (NCCC), REGIONAL COMELEC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE (RCCC), PROVINCIAL COMELEC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE (PCCC) AND MUNICIPAL/CITY COMELEC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE (M/CCCC)

SECTION 6. Composition of the NCCC. – The NCCC shall be composed of the following:

- a. The Commissioner-in-Charge, as the Chairperson;
- b. With members consisting of:
 - b.1. The Secretary of the Department of Health (DOH);
 - b.2. The Chief of the Philippine National Police (PNP);
 - b.3. The Chief of the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP); and
 - b.4. The Secretary of the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG).

The NCCC shall be assisted by a Secretariat composed of a representative from the Commission, as may be designated by the NCCC Chairperson.

SECTION 7. Composition of the RCCC. – The RCCC shall be composed of the following:

- a. Regional Election Director (RED), as the Chairperson;
- b. With members consisting of:

The M/CCCC shall be assisted by a Secretariat composed of a representative from the Commission, as may be designated by the M/CCCC Chairperson.

SECTION 10. Duties and Functions. – Each of the NCCC, RCCC, PCCC, or M/CCCC shall have the following duties and functions:

- a. Classify Category Levels in their respective areas of jurisdiction;
- b. Accept, approve/disapprove applications for the conduct of election campaigns under this Guidelines;
- c. Monitor the conduct of aforesaid election campaigns;
- d. Prepare reports as regards the conduct of aforesaid election campaigns;
- e. Implement the provisions of this Guidelines; and
- f. Perform other functions as may be determined by the Commission.

RULE IV

CATEGORIES FOR AREAS UNDER DIFFERENT ALERT LEVEL CLASSIFICATIONS

SECTION 11. Category Levels. – The following categories shall be observed in areas under the different alert level classifications:

CATEGORY LEVEL	DESCRIPTION
<i>Category 1</i>	<i>New Normal or equivalent to Alert Level 1 of the IATF-MEID's Alert Level System</i>
<i>Category 2</i>	<i>Refers to Alert Level 2 as defined under the IATF-MEID's Alert Level System</i>
<i>Category 3</i>	<i>Refers Alert Level 3 as defined under IATF-MEID's Alert Level System</i>
<i>Category 4</i>	<i>Refers to Alert Level 4 as defined under IATF-MEID's Alert Level System</i>

Category 5	Refers to Alert Level 5 as defined under IATF-MEID's Alert Level System
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SECTION 12. Allowable Election Campaign Activities under Category Level – the following thresholds shall be observed for each election campaign activities:

A. For In-person Campaign:

CATEGORY LEVEL	RESTRICTIONS
1	No limit
2	A candidate or campaign leader may be accompanied by a maximum of five (5) campaign support staff.
3	A candidate or campaign leader may be accompanied by a maximum of three (3) campaign support staff.
4	Not allowed
5	Not allowed

B. For Caucuses, Meetings, Convention, Rallies and Miting de Avance:

CATEGORY LEVEL	RESTRICTIONS
1	Allowed up to 70% of the operational capacity of the venue, whether indoor or outdoor
2	Allowed up to 50% of the operational capacity of the venue, whether indoor or outdoor
3	Allowed up to 50% of the operational capacity of the venue for enclosed outdoor only
4	Allowed up to 30% of the operational capacity of the venue for enclosed outdoor only
5	Not allowed

SECTION 13. Observance of Minimum Public Health Standards (MPHS) – During all election campaign activities, candidates and participants shall, at all times, observe MPHS.

SECTION 14. In-Person Campaign – The following activities are strictly prohibited during in-person campaigns in all category levels:

- a. Entering any private dwelling during house-to-house campaigning, even with the express permission of the homeowner;
- b. Crowding, or allowing there to be, crowds that violate MPHS around the candidate and his or her companions;
- c. Handshakes, hugs, kisses, going arm-in-arm, or any action that involves physical contact among the candidate, their companions, and the public;
- d. Taking selfies, photographs and other similar activities that require close proximity between the candidate and their companions, and the public; and
- e. Distribution of food and drink, and all other goods or items.

SECTION 15. Conventions, Caucuses, Meetings, Miting de Avance and Rallies. – The following activities are strictly prohibited during conventions, *Miting de Avance* and Rallies, in all Category Levels:

- a. Handshakes, hugs, going arm-in-arm, or any action that involves physical contact among the candidate, their companions, and the public;
- b. Taking selfies, photographs and other similar activities that require close proximity between the candidate and their companions, and the public; and
- c. Distribution of food and drink, and all other goods or items.

SECTION 16. Motorcades and Caravans -

a. The following passenger capacity for each type of vehicle shall be observed:

TYPE OF VEHICLE	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4	Category 5
Trucks, Buses, Mini-Trucks, and Jeepneys	Allowed up to 70% of the capacity of the vehicle	Allowed up to 50% of the capacity of the vehicle	Allowed up to 50% of the capacity of the vehicle	Allowed up to 30% of the capacity of the vehicle	Not allowed
Service-Utility Vehicles (SUVs), Sedans and owner-type jeepneys.	Full capacity	Full capacity	Allowed up to two (2) passengers per row and one (1) passenger on the driver's row	Allowed up to two (2) passengers per row and one (1) passenger on the driver's row	Not allowed
Tricycles	Full capacity	Full capacity	One (1) passenger in the side-car, and one (1) backride passenger	One (1) passenger in the side-car, but no backride passenger	Not allowed
Motorcycles	One (1) backride passenger	One (1) backride passenger	No backride passengers	No backride passengers	Not allowed

b. Only candidates, campaign leaders, and supporters belonging to the same household are allowed to be in the same vehicle.

c. The following activities are strictly prohibited during Motorcades, in all Category Levels:

- c.1. Stopovers, layovers, and other similar stoppages for the conduct of other election campaign activities;
- c.2. Handshakes, hugs, kisses, going arm-in-arm, or any action that involves physical contact among the candidate, their companions, and the public;

- c.3. Taking selfies, photographs and other similar activities that require close proximity between the candidate and their companions, and the public; and
- c.4. Distribution of food and drink, and all other goods or items.

Rule V

PROCEDURE TO CLASSIFY CATEGORY LEVELS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE AREAS OF JURISDICTION

SECTION 17. Authority of the NCCC to set Category Levels – The NCCC shall have the authority to classify the Category Level of each region, province, city and municipality. These Category Levels shall be reviewed by the NCCC every fourteen (14) days, or as it may deem necessary.

SECTION 18. Authority to reclassify of M/C CCC – The M/C CCC may, at their own initiative, by unanimous vote, raise the Category Level of its area of jurisdiction if the circumstances so warrant, taking into consideration the number of cases and the rate of transmission of COVID-19 in the city or municipality.

The authority of the M/C CCC to reclassify is strictly limited to raising Category Levels, as it may deem necessary. In no case may it reclassify the Category Level to one lower than that imposed by the NCCC.

SECTION 19. Remedies – Any candidate, or any accredited political party, party-list or coalition may request for the reconsideration of a reclassification made by the M/C CCC.

Such written request shall be filed with the PCCC having authority over the city or municipality. The PCCC shall decide on said request within forty-eight (48) hours from receipt thereof.

In case of an unfavorable decision, or where the forty-eight (48) hour period has lapsed with no decision, the candidate may elevate the matter to the RCCC having authority over the province. This shall be in the form of a letter-request addressed to the RCCC, who shall decide on the matter within seventy-two (72) hours. The decision of the RCCC shall be final and unappealable.

RULE VI
PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE CONDUCT OF
ELECTION CAMPAIGNS

SECTION 20. Approval of the CCC. – No election campaign activity under this Guidelines shall be conducted without first obtaining the prior approval from the corresponding CCC.

SECTION 21. Where and when to file. – Applications for the conduct of election campaign activities shall be filed at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the intended schedule, before the following committees:

- a. Regional COMELEC Campaign Committee (RCCC) at the Office of the Regional Election Director – for Presidential, Vice-Presidential, Senatorial, and Party-List Candidates;
- b. Provincial COMELEC Campaign Committee (PCCC) at the Office of the Provincial Election Supervisor – for Gubernatorial, Vice-Gubernatorial, District Representative, and *Sangguniang Panlalawigan* Candidates; and
- c. Municipal/City COMELEC Campaign Committee (M/CCCC) at the concerned Office of the Election Officer – for Mayoralty, Vice-Mayoralty, and *Sangguniang Bayan/Panlungsod* Candidates.

The CCC concerned shall, upon due evaluation, either approve or deny the application within forty-eight (48) hours from receipt thereof. Inaction of the concerned CCC shall be deemed an approval of the application.

SECTION 22. Who may apply? – The following may apply for the conduct of election campaign activities:

- a. The candidate or his/her duly authorized representative; and
- b. The duly authorized representative of accredited political party, party-list, or coalition.

A duly authorized representative must present the Special Power of Attorney executed by their respective principal on his/her behalf at the moment of filing.

SECTION 23. Requirements.

All applicants must submit a duly accomplished application form (herein attached as Annex "A") to the appropriate CCC in accordance to Sec. 21 of this Guidelines, with a copy to be furnished to every city or municipality where the applicant intends to hold its election campaign activity.

The following must be indicated in the application form:

ELECTION CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY	REQUIRED ATTACHMENT	SPECIFIC INFORMATION REQUIRED
In-Person	Proof of identity of the companions	(A) Date, time, and place of the event; and (B) Names of the companions.
Motorcades and Caravans	Permit duly issued by the Local Government Unit concerned, or, in instances covered by Section 6(b) ¹ of B.P. Blg. 880, the proof of filing of application for a permit.	(A) Date and time of the event; and (B) The starting point, intended route, and end-point of the motorcade.
Caucuses, Meetings, Conventions, Indoor Rallies, and other Election Campaign Activities held indoors.	Proof of reservation and Department of Tourism (DOT) accreditation of the venue where the same will be held.	(A) Date and time of the event; and (B) Maximum capacity of the venue.
Rallies and <i>Miting De Avance</i> held outdoors or in an enclosed outdoor space	Permit duly issued by the Local Government Unit concerned.	(A) Date, time, and place of the event; and

¹ The mayor or any official acting in his behalf shall act on the application within two (2) working days from the date the application was filed, failing which, the permit shall be deemed granted. Should for any reason the mayor or any official acting in his behalf refuse to accept the application for a permit, said application shall be posted by the applicant on the premises of the office of the mayor and shall be deemed to have been filed.

		(B) The measures taken to enclose an outdoor space, when necessary.
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SECTION 24. Remedies. – In case of denial of its application, any candidate, or any accredited political party, party-list or coalition may appeal the decision subject to the following rules:

- a. Decisions by the M/CCCC shall be appealable to the PCCC having authority over the same;
- b. Decisions by the PCCC shall be appealable to the RCCC having authority over the same; and
- c. Decisions by the RCCC shall be appealable to the NCCC.

All appeals shall be filed in the form of a letter-appeal, which shall be decided by the concerned CCC within a non-extendible period of twenty-four (24) hours from receipt thereof. The decision of the concerned CCC shall be final and unappealable.

**RULE VII
MONITORING AND REPORTORIAL REQUIREMENTS**

SECTION 25. Monitoring and Implementation. – In order to properly monitor and implement the provisions of these Guidelines, the Commission hereby designates the following authority:

- a. **Barangay Officials, Tanods, and Members of the Barangay Health Emergency Response Team (BHERT)** – To impose strict observance with Minimum Public Health Standards during the conduct of election campaign activities; and
- b. **The Philippine National Police and the Armed Forces of the Philippines, as the case may be** – To maintain order and security during the conduct of election campaign activities, and to coordinate with the Barangay Officials, Tanods, and BHERT in the discharge of their functions, as necessary.

SECTION 26. Reportorial Requirements – in order to ensure strict and prompt compliance with this Guidelines, the following reportorial requirements must be observed:

- a. Within seventy-two (72) hours after every activity, the candidate or his/her duly authorized representative shall submit to the CCC concerned an Affidavit of Compliance (attached herein as Annex "B");
- b. After every election campaign activity, the Barangay Officials and Tanods assigned to monitor the event must prepare a report in the prescribed form (attached herein as Annex "C"). This report must be filed with M/CCCC holding jurisdiction over the area within seventy-two (72) hours after the event;
- c. The M/CCCC, shall compile these reports and summarize them indicating their recommendations and observations, and submit the same in a weekly report to the PCCC for the duration of the campaign period. This report shall include any reclassifications made to the Category Levels, indicating the reasons for such a reclassification therein;
- d. The PCCC shall compile the reports of the M/CCCCs within their jurisdiction, and submit the summary thereof to the RCCC a monthly report; and
- e. The RCCC shall compile and summarize the reports of the PCCC, and submit the same to the NCCC every month for the duration of the campaign period.

RULE VIII SANCTIONS

SECTION 27. *Penalty for Election Offenses.* – Any person committing an act constituting a violation of Sections 87, 88 and 89 of the Batas Pambansa Blg. 881 or the Omnibus Election Code (OEC), as amended shall be prosecuted under Section 262 of the OEC. If proven guilty, he/she shall be punished with imprisonment of not less than one (1) year but not more than six (6) years and shall not be subject to probation. In addition, the guilty party shall be sentenced to suffer disqualification to hold public office and deprivation of the right of suffrage. If he/she is a foreigner, he/she shall be sentenced to deportation which shall be enforced after the prison term has been served. Any political party found guilty shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten thousand pesos, which

shall be imposed upon such party after criminal action has been instituted in which their corresponding officials have been found guilty.

SECTION 28. *Violations of the MPHS.* – The DOH or its local counterparts, as member of the CCC, shall closely monitor the compliance of all concerned with the MPHS, and shall, with knowledge of the CCC, take action in order to prosecute violators thereof under Section 9 (d) of Republic Act No. 11332 or the Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act, and Section 1 (f), Rule XI of its 2020 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations, and under relevant laws and rules.

RULE IX MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

SECTION 29. *Changes in Procedure and Protocols.* – The Commission may modify the Guidelines set forth herein as the circumstances may warrant depending on the rules to be issued by the National Government or the IATF-MEID.

SECTION 30. *Additional Powers and Functions* – The Commission may delegate such other duties and functions to the concerned CCCs, as it may deem necessary for the proper enforcement and administration of laws and regulations relative to the conduct of the 2022 National and Local Elections.

SECTION 31. *Compliance with the Data Privacy Act of 2012.* – The Commission shall ensure that all its procedures are compliant with the Data Privacy Act of 2012 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations.

SECTION 32. *Separability Clause.* – Should any provision of these Guidelines or any part hereof be declared invalid, the other provisions, insofar as they are separable from the invalid ones, shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 33. *Effectivity and Dissemination.* – This Guidelines shall take effect seven (7) days after its publication in two (2) daily newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines.

The Education and Information Department of the Commission is directed to cause the publication of this Guidelines in two (2) daily newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines, and to furnish with copies thereof the Department of Health, the Department of Interior and Local Government, the Philippine National Police, the Armed Forces of the Philippines, the Commission's Regional Election Directors, Provincial Election Supervisors and Election Officers.

SO ORDERED.

SHERIFF M. ABAS
Chairman

MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON
Commissioner

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Commissioner

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Commissioner

CERTIFICATION

APPROVED by the Commission En Banc during the regular online meeting on **November 24, 2021**, pursuant to COMELEC RESOLUTION NO. 10671, promulgated June 9, 2020, entitled: "Supplemental Resolution to COMELEC Resolution 9936 Promulgated March 25, 2015, Rule on the Enactment and Promulgation of Executive or Administrative Resolutions providing for other format of meetings to include online meetings applicable in times of COVID-19 pandemic and the imposition of Community Quarantines and similar emergency situations".


ATTY. CONSUELO B. DIOLA
Acting Comelec Secretary

Date, Time, and Location	Month: _____ Day: _____	_____ AM/PM Location: _____
Name of the Candidate/Authorized Representative (please attach SPA)	_____ Signature	
ELECTION CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY (Pls. check the desired activity)	REQUIRED ATTACHMENT (Please attach on a separate sheet)	SPECIFIC INFORMATION REQUIRED
<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person Campaign	<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of identity of the companions	Date: _____ Time: _____ Names of the companions: 1. _____; 2. _____; 3. _____; 4. _____; 5. _____; 6. _____; 7. _____; 8. _____; 9. _____; 10. _____; 11. _____; 12. _____; 13. _____; 14. _____; 15. _____; (Please attach the names of additional campaign support staff on a separate sheet, as needed.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Motorcade <input type="checkbox"/> Caravan	<input type="checkbox"/> Permit duly issued by the Local Government Unit concerned	Date: _____ Time: _____ Starting Point: _____ Intended Route/s: _____ _____ _____ End Point: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Caucus <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting <input type="checkbox"/> Convention <input type="checkbox"/> Indoor Rally <input type="checkbox"/> Other Election Campaign Activities held indoors (Please specify: _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of reservation and Department of Tourism (DOT) accreditation of the venue where the activity will be held.	Date: _____ Time: _____ Venue: _____ Maximum Capacity: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Rally <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Miting De Avance</i> held outdoors or in an enclosed outdoor space	<input type="checkbox"/> Permit duly issued by the Local Government Unit concerned.	Date: _____ Time: _____ Venue: _____ Maximum Capacity/ measures taken to enclose an outdoor space, when necessary: _____ _____ _____

Republic of the Philippines)
_____) S.s.

AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE

I, _____, of legal age, Filipino, and a resident of _____, after being duly sworn to, under oath and in accordance with law, do hereby depose and state that:

1. I applied for the conduct of _____(activity) as part of my/_____’s (name of candidate) election campaign activity; and
2. I attest to the full compliance with all the requirements and procedure for such applications, pursuant to the provisions of the *Guidelines for the Conduct of: (1) In-Person Campaign, (2) Rallies, (3) Caucuses, Meetings, and Conventions, (4) Motorcades and Caravans, and (5) Miting De Avance Under the New Normal in Connection with the 09 May 2022 National and Local Elections.*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my signature this _____ day of _____ 20____, at _____.

Affiant

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this _____ day of _____, 20__ at _____, affiant having exhibited to me his/her _____ with nos. _____.

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MONITORING REPORT

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Candidate/s involved	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. _____; 2. _____; 3. _____; 4. _____; 5. _____; <p>(Please attach a separate sheet for additional names of candidates, as needed.)</p>
Activity	
Venue/Location	
Time Started	
Time Finished	

Report/Observations	
Prepared by	
Position/Designation	
Barangay	
City	
Signature	