



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO 2017- 12

ESTABLISHING A DESIGNATED FIRECRACKER ZONE (AREA FOR DISPLAY OF FIRECRACKERS) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MARILAO, PROVINCE OF BULACAN

WHEREAS, Section 444 (B) 2 (iii) of the Local Government Code states that, "For the efficient, effective and economical governance the purpose of which is the General Welfare of the municipality and its inhabitants pursuant to Section 16 of this Code, the Municipal Mayor shall: Issues such executive orders as are necessary for the proper enforcement and execution of laws and ordinances;

WHEREAS, R.A. 7183 provided that the local government unit is mandated to observe the manufacturing, sale, distribution, and use of firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices including the strict compliance to safety precautions, rules and regulation of manufacturer, distributor, seller and user;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan of Marilao approved Municipal Ordinance No. 828 on August 07, 2017, also known as an "Ordinance Prohibiting the Manufacturing, Warehousing, Selling, Distribution, Possession and Use of Firecrackers, Pyrotechnic Devices and Other Similar Explosives and Establishing a Firecracker Designated Zone in the Municipality of Marilao, Province of Bulacan, and Providing Penalty for the Violation thereof, and for other related purposes";

WHEREAS, there is a need to establish a designated firecracker zone (area for selling prescribed firecrackers) to ensure the continuous implementation of the law;

NOW THEREFORE, I, JUANITO H. SANTIAGO, Municipal Mayor, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the law, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. NAME. This Order shall be known as "ESTABLISHING A DESIGNATED FIRECRACKER ZONE (AREA FOR DISPLAY OF FIRECRACKERS) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MARILAO, PROVINCE OF BULACAN".

SECTION 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS.

DESIGNATED FIRECRACKER ZONE (AREA OF DISPLAY) - areas exclusively designated by the Municipal Mayor and Bureau of Fire Protection for the display of firecracker and pyrotechnics.

SECTION 3. DESIGNATED FIRECRACKER ZONE. The designated area/zone for display/selling prescribed firecrackers and other pyrotechnic devices shall only be permitted **along Mc Arthur Highway in Brgy. Ibayo (in front of BFP Station), along Mario F. Santiago Road in Brgy. Saog**, or such other places as may be determined or permitted by the Business Permit and Licensing Office in coordination with the Marilao PNP and Bureau of Fire Protection.

SECTION 4. GUIDELINES IN DESIGNATED FIRECRACKER ZONE. The following shall be observed in the sale and purchase of legal firecrackers:

1. Sales, retailing and any transaction shall be done only in the designated areas.
2. Testing of firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices shall be strictly prohibited.
3. Smoking within fifteen (15) meters from place where firecrackers are being sold/stock shall not be allowed.
4. Exposed flames are prohibited.
5. All products shall be wrapped and kept in plastic container.





6. There shall be a distance between sellers (approximately 2 meters).
7. No firearms shall be allowed within the designated area and anything that could trigger fire should be kept away from this zone.
8. Sales shall be done from **December 30-31, 2017** only.
9. All confiscated firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices shall be destroyed under the supervision of the Local Chief Executive and Marilao PNP.

SECTION 5. SALES OUTSIDE THE DESIGNATED AREA. Sales and retails outside the prescribed area shall be prohibited. All firecrackers and pyrotechnics shall be confiscated and penalized under Section 7 of the Municipal Ordinance No. 828, Series of 2017.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other orders, rules, regulations and issuances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 20th day of December, 2017 at the Municipality of Marilao, Province of Bulacan.


JUANITO H. SANTIAGO
Municipal Mayor 