



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Eastern Samar

Office of the Provincial Governor

2nd Flr., Capitol Bldg., Brgy. Alang-alang, Borongan City

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. BPE 10-027, SERIES OF 2022

AN ORDER DECLARING HALF-DAY WORK SUSPENSION IN GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN THE PROVINCE OF EASTERN SAMAR ON OCTOBER 28, 2022 DUE TO TROPICAL STORM PAENG

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of the Philippines mandates local government units to exercise powers necessary, appropriate or incidental for the promotion of general welfare, health and safety of their inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 66, series of 2012, prescribes the rules on the cancellation or suspension of classes and work in government offices due to typhoons, flooding, other weather disturbances and calamities, capacitates local chief executives as chairpersons of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council, to suspend or cancel classes in public and private schools and work in government offices in areas affected by typhoons and other disasters or calamities;

WHEREAS, Tropical Cyclone Bulletin No. 09 of the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) issued on October 28, 2022 places the entire province of Eastern Samar under Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal (TCWS) No. 2 due to Tropical Storm "Paeng";

WHEREAS, Heavy Rainfall Warning No. 11 of PAG-ASA issued on October 28, 2022 places the province of Eastern Samar under Red Rainfall Warning, which may result to serious flooding in low-lying areas and landslides in mountainous areas;

WHEREAS, the provincial government is mandated to promote the general welfare of its constituents at all times especially during disasters and calamities;

NOW THEREFORE, I, BEN P. EVARDONE, Governor of the Province of Eastern Samar, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the suspension of work in government offices in the province of Eastern Samar from **12:00 noon onwards on October 28, 2022** due to Tropical Storm "Paeng".

Government agencies involved in the delivery of basic and health services, preparedness or response to disaster and calamities, and/or the performance of other vital services will continue their operations.

Suspension of work for private companies and offices is left to the discretion of their respective heads.

SO ORDERED.

DONE this 28th day of October 2022 in Borongan City, Eastern Samar.



BEN P. EVARDONE
Governor