



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Cavite  
City of Imus

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 70**  
*Series of 2022*

**AN ORDER PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION AND CONTROL OF THE USE OF  
FIRECRACKERS AND OTHER PYROTECHNIC DEVICES**

**WHEREAS**, it is part of the Filipino tradition to use firecrackers and other pyrotechnic devices to celebrate events of personal, religious, cultural and national importance;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act (RA) No. 7183 enumerates the list of common types of firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices that may be manufactured, sold, distributed and used, and provides for the regulation and control of their manufacture, sale, distribution and use consistent with, and in furtherance of, public safety, order and national security;

**WHEREAS**, RA 7183 authorizes local chief executives to promulgate the necessary rules and regulations on firecrackers and other pyrotechnic devices within their territorial jurisdiction in conformity with the national standards, rules and regulations;

**WHEREAS**, President Rodrigo Duterte issued Executive Order No. 28, Series of 2017, directing the executive departments, bureaus and offices, as well as local government units, to implement the provisions of RA 7183;

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) likewise issued Memorandum Circular No. 2017-105 dated 22 August 2017 enjoining LGUs to take necessary actions on the regulation and control of the use of firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALEX L. ADVINCULA**, Mayor, City of Imus, Cavite, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:



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**Section 1. Community Fireworks Display.** To minimize the risk of injuries and casualties, the use of firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices shall henceforth be confined to community fireworks displays. A display of fireworks qualifies as a community fireworks display if it complies with all of the following conditions:

- a. It is conducted on the occasion or as part of a celebration, competition, or similar event held in a venue other than a place of residence;
- b. It is conducted under the supervision of a trained person duly licensed by the PNP; and
- c. The necessary permit is obtained from the BPLO specifying the date and time of the fireworks display and the specific area in which the display will be conducted, in conformity with national standards, rules and regulations.

**Section 2. Prohibited Firecrackers and Pyrotechnic Devices.** All prohibited firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices, as determined by the Philippine National Police (PNP), shall not be manufactured, sold, distributed or used even as part of a community fireworks display.

**Section 3. Permits.** The BPLO shall be responsible in issuing the necessary permit for the conduct of a community fireworks display and the specific area in which the display will be conducted, in conformity with national standards, rules and regulations. Further, the BPLO shall, with the assistance of the Imus City PNP, conduct inspection, confiscation, and destruction of prohibited firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices in accordance in accordance with law.

**Section 4. Reports.** The City Health Office shall submit to the DILG and PNP a consolidated report or statistics on the victims of firecrackers and other pyrotechnic devices. The CHO shall also conduct information campaign on the danger of using fireworks or firecrackers.

**Section 5. Dissemination.** The ABC Office shall take necessary action to effect the widest dissemination of the Executive Order including the list of prohibited firecrackers and pyrotechnic devices, as determined by the PNP, to the barangays for information and guidance of the public.



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**Section 6. Effectivity.** This Order shall take effect immediately.

All orders, rules, regulations and issuances or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with this order, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

**DONE** and **SIGNED** this 5th day of December 2022, City of Imus.

  
**ALEX L. ADVINCULA**  
City Mayor