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MEMORANDUM

TO : All Regional Directors; Assistant Regional Directors; District Heads; Service and Division Heads; and Other Personnel Concerned

SUBJECT : **“OPLAN: LIGTAS NA PAGMAMANEHO NA WALANG ALKOHOL AT IPINAGBABAWAL NA DROGA”**

DATE : **02 June 2021**

I. References:

1. Republic Act No. 9165 otherwise known as The Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002;
2. Republic Act No. 10586, Anti-Drunk and Drugged Driving Act of 2013;
3. Executive Order No. 66 Series of 2018 entitled, “Institutionalizing the Philippine Anti-Illegal Drugs Strategy (PADS)”;
4. Memorandum of Agreement between the Land Transportation Office (LTO) and Dangerous Drug Board (DDB) dated March 9, 2021.

II. Background

Nearly 1.3 million people are killed and as many as 50 million are injured or disabled each year due to road crashes. Low and middle-income developing countries account for 90% of road deaths, although these countries only have 50% of the world’s motorized vehicles.

In 2008, DOH reported road crashes as the 4th leading cause of death in the Philippines. The most potent cause is the person behind the wheel, the driver who is either drunk or under the influence of illegal/prohibited drugs.

On March 9, 2021, LTO and DDB entered into a Memorandum of Agreement to intensify the implementation of Philippine Anti-Illegal Drugs Strategy (PADS) with focus on Drivers/Conductors using illegal drugs or alcohol.

III. Objectives

Road safety and personal wellbeing for all road users is the main objective of this OPLAN. In view of the above cited references and in consonance with the National Action Plan for Road Safety, the LTO shall, in collaboration with concerned government and non-government agencies and organizations such as DOH, DDB, PDEA, PNP, MMDA, LGUs, LTRFB, Driver’s Association, and others, shall implement this OPLAN with the following specific objectives:

1. To conduct random drug tests to Public Utility Vehicle (PUV) drivers and conductors nationwide:

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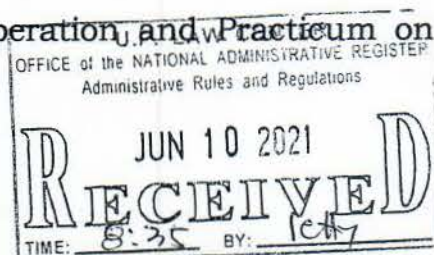
2. To enhance education and training to LTO, MMDA, PNP, LGUs and other traffic enforcement personnel; and
3. To intensify and sustain law enforcement operations in coordination with other law enforcement and concerned national agencies.

IV Operationalization

A. Education and Trainings

Traffic enforcement personnel shall undergo a crash training from the Law Enforcement Service following the topics or modules as follows:

1. Reports/Statistics on Previous Oplan Anti-Drunk and Drugged Driving;
2. Salient features of the Republic Act No. 10586 and its IRR;
3. How to conduct the Field Sobriety Tests (FSTs);
4. Conduct and procedures in the apprehension of the violators of R.A. No. 10586
 - a. Section 5 Punishable Act
 - b. Section 7 Mandatory Alcohol and Chemical Testing of Drivers Involved in Motor Vehicular Accidents
 - c. Section 15 Nationwide Random Terminal Inspection and Quick Random Drug Tests;
5. Best Practices in the Enforcement of ADDDA;
6. Issues, Concerns, Road Blocks and Key Learnings in the Implementation of RA No. 10586;
7. Lectures in the provisions of R.A. No. 10586 and its IRR on:
 - a. Determining Probable Cause
 - b. Procedure on the turn-over of suspected driver to PNP for drug testing
 - c. Evidence Gathering and Preservation
 - d. Complaint Writing and Report Preparation
8. Understanding Drug Recognition Protocols (DRPs) and Drug Recognition Evaluators (DREs);
9. Workshop on the Operation and Maintenance of the Alcohol Breath Analyzer;
10. Preparation of Temporary Operator's Permit (TOP), Daily Apprehension Report (DAR) and Turn-Over /Submission of Apprehension Cases;
11. Briefing of Field Assignment / Practicum;
12. Preparation / Deployment for Field Operation and Practicum on the Enforcement of R.A. No. 10586;



13. Critique, Assessment and Evaluation on Field Operation / Practicum.

B. Conduct of Random Drug Test in Terminals, for traffic violators, and during law enforcement operations and checkpoints

C. Intensified Law Enforcement Operations by Region, District and other concerned offices

V. Tasks and Responsibilities

1. LTO Central Office – Law Enforcement Service

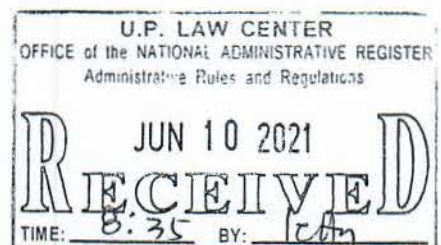
- a. Office of Primary Responsibility in the overall monitoring and supervision on the implementation of this memorandum;
- b. Undertake the necessary preparation and coordination with concerned offices and other law enforcement agencies;
- c. Organize and deploy LES Teams to supervise and ensure proper implementation of this OPLAN nationwide; and
- d. Perform other tasks as directed.

2. Financial Management Division

- a. Provide funds to tasked offices as needed;
- b. Perform other tasks as directed.

3. Regional Office/District Office

- a. Organize dedicated Anti-Drunk and Drugged Teams in their respective Region;
- b. Strictly implement the conduct of intensified and sustained enforcement of Traffic Code and other related laws;
- c. Closely coordinate and collaborate with the PNP and other Law Enforcement Agencies at the Regional Level for the efficient implementation of this **“OPLAN: LIGTAS NA PAGMAMANEHO NA WALANG ALKOHOL AT IPINAGBABAWAL NA DROGA”**
- d. Regional Offices to monitor and supervise LTO Districts in the implementation of this OPLAN;
- e. Ensure immediate apprehension and arrest of all apprehended drunk and drugged drivers;
- f. Ensure submission of Accomplishment Report to LES Director, copy furnished the investigator. The report shall be signed by the Apprehending Officer; and
- g. Perform other tasked as directed.



VI. Operational Guidelines

1. **Regional Offices to prepare Implementing Plan (IMPLAN) to this OPLAN and submit copy to LES NLT fifteen (15) days from approval.**
2. All applicable Standard Operating Procedures shall be strictly observed at all times;
3. Ensure that minimum health and safety protocols are being observed such as wearing of masks, face shields, observance of social distancing and checking of body temperature;
4. Elaborate security and safety measures must be implemented by all tasked offices to ensure safety of personnel;
5. Gender sensitivity and observance of human rights shall be observed in all undertakings;
6. A consolidated daily report on apprehensions and renewals of delinquent MV's should be sent attention LES through email at lawenforcementservice@gmail.com by 7:00 AM of each day, up to the termination of operations;
7. Keep websites and social media sites updated in all matters concerning this OPLAN. Tag @DOTr,PH in all tweets for proper monitoring;
8. Ensure hotlines/feedback mechanism are operational and properly manned;
9. LES Operation Center shall be responsible in creating a "CHAT" group to be composed of all participating elements;
10. All tasked units to submit Monthly Accomplishment Report every 3rd day of the month; and
11. Lateral and vertical coordination are encouraged.

For strict compliance.


EDGAR GALVANTE
Assistant Secretary

cc : Secretary, DOTr

