

## Executive Order No. 028 Series 2022

## AN ORDER PROVIDING BREASTFEEDING BREAK AMONG LACTATING EMPLOYEES IN THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF CABARROGUIS

**WHEREAS,** RA 10028 or the Expanded Breastfeeding Promotion Act of 2009 declares that the State shall protect working women by providing safe and healthful working conditions, taking into account their maternal functions, and such facilities and opportunities that will enhance their welfare and enable them to realize their full potential in the service of the nation;

**WHEREAS,** breastfeeding has distinct advantages which benefit the infant and the mother;

**WHEREAS,** Section 12 of RA 10028 states that lactating employees shall be granted break intervals in addition to the regular time-off for meals to breastfeed or express milk.

**WHEREAS,** these intervals shall be counted as compensable hours worked and shall not be less than a total of forty (40) minutes for every eight (8)-hour working period.

**NOW THEREFORE, I, AVELINO N. AGUSTIN, JR.,** Municipal Mayor of Cabarroguis, Quirino, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the provision of breastfeeding break among lactating employees in the Municipal Government of Cabarroguis.

This Executive Order takes effect immediately.

Done this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2022 at Cabarroguis, Quirino.

AVELINO N. ÁGUSTIN

Municipal Mayor