GUIDELINES ON THE PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION OF THE 2022 GPBs

Ministries and offices of the BARMM

Sec. 5, Art. XIII of RA 11054 also known as the Bangsamoro Organic Law (BOL) states that:

'xxx In the utilization of public funds, the Bangsamoro Government shall ensure that the needs of the Bangsamoro people, regardless of gender, are adequately addressed. For this purpose, <u>at least five</u> percent (5%) of the total budget appropriation of each ministry, office, and constituent local government unit of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region shall be set aside for gender-responsive programs, in accordance with a gender and development plan. xxx'

LEGAL BASIS

Sec. 9 of the Bangsamoro Autonomy Act No. 8 also known as the Bangsamoro Women Commission Act of 2020 provides that the Commission shall have the following functions:

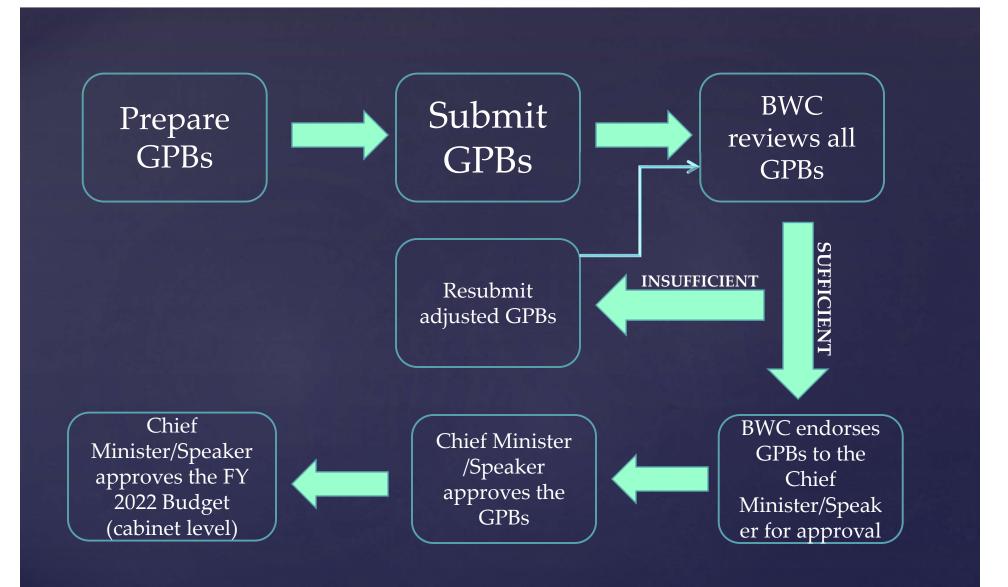
'1. Policy Formulation and Technical Assistance 1.1 <u>Issue guidelines for the formulation of gender</u> <u>development plans</u> of the Bangsamoro Government and of the Local Government Units within the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region; xxx'

LEGAL BASIS

'xxx 2. Ensure and Monitor Compliance

2.1 <u>Monitor, assess and ensure compliance</u> of Bangsamoro Government agencies with the issued guidelines and implementation of their GAD plans. For this purpose, the Commission may <u>require all</u> <u>ministries, agencies and offices of the</u> <u>Bangsamoro Government to submit their GAD plan</u> <u>and budget</u> as well as regular reports on the status of implementation and utilization thereof.

LEGAL BASIS



PROCESS OF SUBMISSION

BARMM NO LONGER REQUIRED TO SUBMIT GPBs TO THE PHILIPPINE COMMISSION ON WOMEN (PCW) FOR REVIEW

Great News!

Agencies may cost the time spent by GFPS members and of agency personnel doing GAD related work (e.g. auditors doing audit of GAD funds) and charge this to the GAD budget. Overtime work rendered in doing GAD related PAPs may be compensated through a compensatory time off (CTO), following government accounting and auditing rules and regulations;

Salaries of police women and men assigned to women's desks;

What can be charged to GAD Budget

& Agency programs to address women's practical and strategic needs (e.g. daycare center, breastfeeding rooms, crisis or counseling rooms for abused women);

Consultations conducted by agencies to gather inputs for and/or to disseminate the GAD plan and budget;

What can be charged to GAD Budget

Revenue of professional fees, honoraria and other services for gender experts or gender specialists engaged by agencies for GADrelated trainings and activities; and

№ IEC activities (development, printing and dissemination) that support the GAD PAPs and objectives of the agency.

What can be charged to GAD Budget

Receive that are not in the agency's BWC endorsed GAD plan;

Reversion of the services of women employees UNLESS they are working full time or part time on GAD PAPs;

Honoraria for agency GAD Focal Point System members or other employees working on their agency GAD-programs;

What cannot be charged to GAD Budget

Salaries of casual or emergency employees UNLESS they are hired to assist in GAD related PAPs;

& Provision for contingency funds or "other services" of PAPs;

What cannot be charged to GAD Budget

& Car-pooling, gas masks for traffic/ environment enforcers, among others;

& Purchase of supplies, materials, equipment and vehicles for the general use of the agency.

What cannot be charged to GAD Budget

 Physical, mental and health fitness including purchase of equipment and information dissemination materials;

& - Social, rest and recreation activities;

 Religious activities and implementation of cultural projects;

May NOT be charged to the GAD budget UNLESS they are justified as clearly addressing a specific gender issue and is in line with the ministry/agency mandates: COVID-19 Interventions Women, Peace and Security Commitments

For Integration in the 2022 GPB

2 ways of Implementing GAD

By Direct Implementation

Fully programming and utilizing the 5% GAD Budget

By Attribution

By attributing programs and projects to GAD using the HGDG

DATE	ACTIVITY
April 2022	Ministries and offices prepare and submit their FY 2021 GPB to BWC
May 15, 2022	Deadline of submission to BWC of FY 2021 GPBs of ministries and offices
May 16-June 15, 2022	BWC reviews submitted GPBs
June 30, 2022	BWC endorses GPBs to the Chief Minister/Speaker for approval

TIMELINE

- NON-SUBMISSION OF THE GPB WOULD MEAN NON APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY/AGENCY/OFFICE BUDGET FOR 2021
- 2. DELAY IN THE SUBMISSION OF THE GPB WOULD MEAN DELAY IN THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY/AGENCY/OFFICE BUDGET
- 3. NON-IMPLEMENTATION OF GAD WOULD MEAN FILING OF APPROPRIATE CHARGES BY THE BHRC AS GENDER OMBUD

IMPLICATIONS

Shukran!