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17th City Council

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ORDINANCE NO. SP-1923, S-2009

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 2, AND 3 OF ORDINANCE NO. SP-1243, S-2003 WHICH IMPOSES A CEILING FEE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BARANGAY CLEARANCE WITHIN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilors CONCEPCION S. MALANGEN, JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., RAMON P. MEDALLA, VICTOR V. FERRER, JR., EDCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., EDEN "Candy" A. MEDINA and ALLAN BUTCH T. FRANCISCO.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Dorothy A. Delarmente, Joseph P. Juico, Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Aiko S. Melendez, Franz S. Pumaren, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jaime F. Borres and Bayani V. Hipol.

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the State to promote, develop and improve the general welfare of barangay residents, raise the economic and social status of barangay officials, grant every barangay, the basic facilities for decent, healthy and comfortable living therein and provide new measures that will insure its enjoyment of local autonomy to ensure the effective performance of its role as the primary planning and implementing unit of government programs, projects and activities, and as a forum in which the collective views of the people in the community may be crystallized and considered;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government provided the uniform maximum rates of fees for barangay clearance in pursuance of the fundamental principle of taxation prescribed in Section 130 (a) of the Local Government Code of 1991;

WHEREAS, in order to give more attention to the development of the barangay, as it is the base of this city's economy, it is therefore, necessary to increase the maximum rate of Barangay Clearance that may be imposed by the barangays.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of SP-1243, S-2003 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. All barangays within Quezon City are hereby authorized to collect fees for the issuance of Barangay Clearance/s for whatever legal purpose/s provided they do not exceed the maximum rates imposed in this ordinance."

SECTION 2. Section 2 of SP-1243, S-2003 is hereby amended to read as follows"

"Section 2. The maximum rates of fees for the issuance of a barangay clearance shall be as follows:

PURPOSE	MAXIMUM
For Employment	P 100.00
For practice of profession	200.00
For business with a capital of less than P100,000.00	500.00
For business with a capital of P100,000.00 but not more than P500,000.00	1,000.00
For business with a capital of P500,000.00 but not more than P1,000,000.00	1,500.00
For business with a capital of P1,000,000.00 or more	2,000.00

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For other purpose not stated above

No prescribed rate, the same shall be determined by the Barangay Council provided it shall not exceed the maximum rate of P2,000.00. Provided, further, that a barangay may choose not to collect any fee for the issuance of a barangay clearance.

Every collection of barangay clearance fee shall be officially receipted by the Barangay Treasurer."

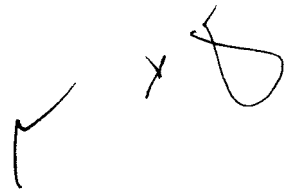
SECTION 3. Section 3 of SP-1243, S-2003 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 3. The rates of fees for the issuance of a barangay clearance shall be subjected for review every five (5) years from the date of the last review made by the City Council through the Special Review Committee (SRC)."

SECTION 4. Any barangay official who shall collect a fee for the issuance of a barangay clearance not in consonance with this ordinance shall be held administratively and criminally liable.

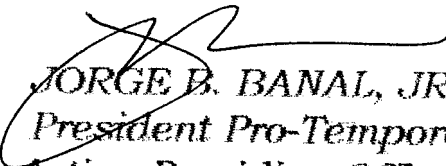
SECTION 5. Any person who is indigent or pauper as determined by existing law or concerned government agency shall be exempted from the payment of Barangay Clearance.

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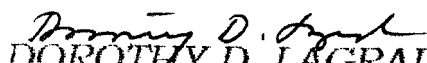


SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.


ENACTED: March 16, 2009.


JORGE B. BANAL, JR.
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

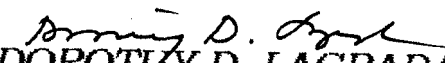

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary

APPROVED: April 27, 2009


FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on March 16, 2009 and was finally PASSED on Third/Final Reading on March 23, 2009.


DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary

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