

Republic of the Philippines
Quezon City
CITY COUNCIL

Ordinance No. NC - 77, S-89

ORDINANCE

REQUIRING OPERATORS OF ALL INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS DOING BUSINESS IN QUEZON CITY TO SUBMIT A YEARLY LISTING OF ALL MACHINERIES BEING USED IN THEIR OPERATIONS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilor Alberto M. Galarpe

Be it ordained by the City Council of Quezon City in session assembled:

SECTION 1. All industrial and commercial establishments applying for Mayor's Permit to operate in Quezon City, the operator or manager thereof shall submit an initial listing of machineries to be used in connection with the operation of the business.

SECTION 2. Before a Business Permit may be renewed for the ensuing year operators/managers of industrial and commercial establishments presently doing business in Quezon City under an approved Mayor's Permit shall submit a complete listing of all machineries being used in connection with their operations, to the Office of the City Mayor thru, the Chief, Business Permits and License Office.

SECTION 3. The list mentioned in Sections 1 and 2 hereof must contain under oath a brief description as to make and type, year-model, when and from whom acquired, purchase price, present location, serial number and such other data essential for information and/or recording purposes.

SECTION 4. Any additional acquisition or procurement of machinery whether on cash or installment basis, loss, destruction, obsolescence, retirement, sale or disposition that took place after submission of the list mentioned in the preceding section shall likewise be reported under oath to the office mentioned herein above not later than thirty (30) days therefrom.

SECTION 5. The purposes of this requirement are for the proper recording and assessment of taxes due from the machineries by the City Assessor and for the determination and elimination of hazards to life and property after appropriate inspection had been undertaken by the Industrial Safety Engineer under the Department of Engineering, by Electrical Inspectors under the Office of the City Electrician.

SECTION 6. Machinery - defined under this Ordinance shall embrace machines, equipment, mechanical contrivances, instruments, appliances and apparatus attached to the real estate. It shall include the physical facilities available for production, as well as the installations and appurtenant service facilities, together with all those not permanently attached to the real estate but are actually, directly and essentially used to meet the needs of the particular industry, business, or works, which by their very nature and purpose are designed for or essential to manufacturing, commercial, mining, industrial or agricultural purposes. Machines, equipment, mechanical contrivances, instruments, appliances and apparatus the acquisition cost of which do not exceed five thousand pesos (P5,000) are exempted from the listing as herein required; Provided, That industrial and commercial establishments employing machines, equipments and other mechanical contrivances which are not used in accordance with this section are also exempted from the said listing.

SECTION 7. Violation of this Ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not more than One Thousand Pesos (P1,000) or imprisonment of not more than thirty (30) days or both at the discretion of the Court. If the violator is a corporation or juridical person, the President, General Manager, Administrator or Office In Charge thereof shall be liable.

SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED January 19, 1989.

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APPROVED: January 31, 1989

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