

Republic of the Philippines  
Quezon City  
CITY COUNCIL

ORDINANCE Numbered 19

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING AN AMUSEMENT TAX OF THIRTY (P0.30) CEN-  
TAVOS FOR EVERY PERSON ENTERING A COCKPIT IN QUEZON CITY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Quezon City that:

SECTION 1. An amusement tax of thirty (P0.30) centavos is hereby imposed for every person entering any cockpit in Quezon City, except police officers and government officials who are in the course of the performance of their official duties.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of every proprietor, operator, leasee or promoter of such cockpit to provide himself with tickets for admission which shall be serially numbered indicating therein the name of the cockpit and the fee charged for admission. Before such tickets are sold, the same shall be presented to the office of the City Treasurer for registration. Tickets once issued and presented to the gate or entrance shall be cut by the gate-keeper into halves, the first half to be returned to the customer and the other half to be retained by the management for accounting purposes and fixing the value of each ticket issued in their face value.

It shall also be the duty of the said proprietor, leasee, promoter or operator to deliver to the office of the City Treasurer the total fees corresponding to each ticket sold by him weekly not later than Tuesday, immediately following the previous week, accompanied by the abstract of sales of tickets showing the number of tickets sold.

SEC. 3. Any violation of the provision of this Ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not more than two hundred (P200.00) pesos or by imprisonment not exceeding two months, or both such fine or imprisonment in the discretion of the Court. If the violation is committed by the club, firm or corporation, the manager, the managing director or person charged with the management of the business of such club, firm or corporation, shall be criminally responsible therefor.

SEC. 4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

Unanimously passed, April 2, 1947.

*P. A. Bernardo*  
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City Mayor

ATTESTED:

*Jose Padilla*  
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*(Amended by Ord. No. 21 dated 4/7/47)*

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