



Republic of the Philippines
QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City
21st City Council

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41st Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- **2967**, S-2020

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-2912, SERIES OF 2020, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO ALL FRONTLINERS WHO TESTED POSITIVE TO CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19), AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR."

Introduced by Councilors FRANZ S. PUMAREN, DONATO "Donny" C. MATIAS and ERIC Z. MEDINA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Lena Marie P. Juico, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Nicole Ella V. Crisologo, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Atty. Bong Liban, Eden Delilah "Candy" A. Medina, Mikey F. Belmonte, Estrella C. Valmocina, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Matias John T. Defensor, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jorge L. Banal, Sr., Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo, Marra C. Suntay, Irene R. Belmonte, Resty B. Malañgen, Ivy L. Lagman, Hero M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Patrick Michael Vargas, Shaira L. Liban, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto-Antonio, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, the City Council enacted Ordinance No. SP-2912, Series of 2020, entitled "An Ordinance Granting Financial Assistance To All Frontliners Who Tested Positive To Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), And Appropriating Funds Therefor";

WHEREAS, the Ordinance has an effective period of three (3) months from the City's Declaration of the State of Calamity on March 13, 2020;

WHEREAS, the City has made great strides in fighting the pandemic, reducing the City's per capita COVID-19 cases to a rank of No. 15 out of 17 Metro Manila LGUs. Nonetheless, since the pandemic continue to persist, there is a need to extend the effective period of the Ordinance;

WHEREAS, there is also a need to refine the definition of Quezon City Frontliners who may be eligible for the financial assistance.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 (c) of Ordinance No. SP-2912, S-2020, defining "Essential Services and Essential Business", shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Section 2 (d) of the same Ordinance shall be renumbered as Section 2 (c), and shall be amended to read as follows:

"c) FRONTLINER - refers to a permanent or contractual employee or official of the Quezon City Government or a Quezon City Barangay, and who by the nature of his or her work renders services outside the person's regular office premises. This includes, but is not limited to, City or Barangay health care workers, the Punong Barangay and Barangay Public Safety Officers (BPSO), City or Barangay officials or employees that conduct out of office field work, monitoring or inspections, among others."

SECTION 3. Section 3 of Ordinance No. SP-2912, S-2020, shall be amended to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. COVERAGE AND DURATION - The financial assistance shall cover all qualified Quezon City Government or Quezon City Barangay employees and officials confirmed positive with the COVID-19 disease during the period of calamity due to COVID-19 as declared by the City Council."

SECTION 4. REPEALING CLAUSE. - All Ordinances, Resolutions, Executive Orders, Memorandum Circulars and Administrative Orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 5. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. - If any provision of this Ordinance is declared void or unconstitutional, the remaining portions shall not be affected and shall remain in full force and effect.

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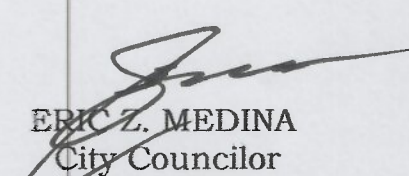
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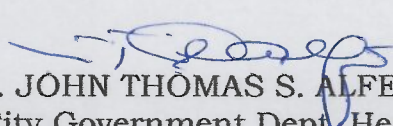
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SECTION 6. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. - This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.


ENACTED: September 21, 2020.


ERIC Z. MEDINA
City Councilor
Acting Presiding Officer

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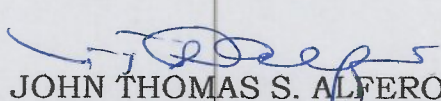

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City Government Dept. Head III

APPROVED: OCT 07 2020


MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on September 21, 2020 under Suspended Rules and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on the same date.


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