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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **3084**, S-2022

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE VALIDITY OF 2021 BUSINESS PERMITS AND ANCILLARY CLEARANCES EXPIRING BEFORE JULY 20, 2022, TO JULY 20, 2022, AND THOSE EXPIRING AFTER JULY 20, 2022 BUT BEFORE OCTOBER 20, 2022, TO OCTOBER 20, 2022.

Introduced by Councilors VICTOR V. FERRER, JR., 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, Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Atty. Bong Liban, Eden Delilah "Candy" A. Medina, Ramon P. Medalla, 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, Ram V. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co Pilar, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. SP-3013, S-2021, entitled "An Ordinance Amending the Validity of Business Permit from December 31 of Every Year to One Year from Date of Issuance or Anniversary Date, Amending Further Ordinance No. SP-91, S-93, Otherwise Known as The Quezon City Revenue Code of 1993", provides that the validity of business permits shall be one year from the date of issue or anniversary date. Section 1 of the same Ordinance provides that for businesses with quarterly tax assessment, the last quarter ended must be paid prior to business permit renewal;

WHEREAS, the 21st City Council also passed Ordinance No. SP-3067, S-2021, entitled "An Ordinance Extending the Deadline for the Payment of Business Taxes, Fees and Charges for the First and Second Quarter of 2022, from January 20, 2022 and April 20, 2022, respectively, to July 20, 2022, and the Third Quarter Payment from July 20, 2022 to October 20, 2022, Without Surcharges or Interest";

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WHEREAS, considering that Ordinance No. SP-3067, S-2021 extends the deadline for the 1st and 2nd quarter payment of 2022 to July 20, 2022, and the deadline for the 3rd quarter to October 20, 2022, it is possible that a business permit or ancillary clearance may be deemed to have expired before the date of the extended deadline, but the business will be unable to renew the business permit unless it pays the last quarter ended. For example, a business with a permit expiring in the 2nd quarter of 2022 would be forced to pay the tax for the 1st quarter of 2022 (the quarter just ended) to renew its permit. Similarly, a business with a permit expiring on October 1, 2022 would be forced to pay the 3rd quarter tax (the quarter just ended) to renew its permit, even though the deadline for the 3rd quarter was extended to October 20, 2022. This would hinder the objective of the deadline extension;

WHEREAS, it is advisable to extend the validity of business permits and ancillary clearances to coincide with the tax extensions under Ordinance No. SP-3067, S-2021, to ensure that businesses can take full advantage of the same.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. EXTENSION. - The validity of 2021 Business Permits and ancillary clearances such as Sanitary Permit, Environmental Clearance, Tourism Accreditation Certificate, DPOS Clearance Security Clearance, Traffic Clearance, Liquor Permit, Market Clearance/Market Certificate and Veterinary Clearance expiring before July 20, 2022 is hereby extended to July 20, 2022. On the other hand, the validity of 2021 Business Permits and ancillary clearances expiring after July 20, 2022 but before October 20, 2022 are hereby extended to October 20, 2022.

SECTION 2. AMENDED PERMIT. - The extended validity date shall be deemed immediately effective without the need of amendment of the physical business permit certificate. However, upon request of the permit holder, the Business Permits and Licensing Department may also amend or re-issue the physical business permit certificate to reflect the extended validity date.

SECTION 3. REPEALING CLAUSE. - All Ordinances, Resolutions, Executive Orders, Memorandum Circulars and Administrative Orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with any provisions of this Ordinance are hereby modified accordingly.

SECTION 4. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. - If, for any reason, any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.



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SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. - This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: January 24, 2022.




GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:



Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Government Dept. Head III

APPROVED: JAN 25 2022



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on January 24, 2022 under Suspended Rules and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on the same date.



Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Government Dept. Head III