



Republic of the Philippines
QUEZON CITY COUNCIL
Quezon City
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ORDINANCE NO. SP-3377, S-2025

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PARAGRAPH 3, SECTION 3 AND SECTION 4(c)(i) OF QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-3115, S-2022, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING SOCIAL WELFARE ASSISTANCE FOR INDIGENT SENIOR CITIZENS, SOLO PARENTS, AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES"

Introduced by Councilor DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisolago, Charm M. Ferrer, Fernando Miguel "Mikey" F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Ram V. Medalla, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, RN, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Jose Maria M. Rodriguez and Jhon Angelli "Sami" C. Neri

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Council enacted Ordinance No. SP-3115, S-2022 in order to help mitigate the hardships of the most seriously disadvantaged members of the community;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7432, entitled "An Act to Maximize the Contribution of Senior Citizens to Nation Building, Grant Benefits and Special Privileges and for Other Purposes," defined a "senior citizen" as any resident of the Philippines at least sixty (60) years old;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9257, otherwise known as the Expanded Senior Citizens Act of 2023, defined "senior citizen" or "elderly" as any resident citizen of the Philippines at least sixty (60) years old;

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WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9994, otherwise known as the Expanded Senior Citizens Act of 2010, defined “senior citizen” or “elderly” as any resident citizen of the Philippines at least sixty (60) years old;

WHEREAS, there is a discrepancy on the definition of “senior citizen” as provided for in the aforementioned national laws when compared with the definition found in the Quezon City Ordinance No. SP-3115, S-2022;

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend the definition of “senior citizen” found in the said Ordinance in order to align with the definition provided under our national laws.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Paragraph 3, Section 3 of Quezon City Ordinance No. SP-3115, S-2022 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“SECTION 3. The capitalized terms in this Ordinance shall have the following meaning:

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A ‘Senior Citizen’ is a person sixty (60) years and above.

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SECTION 2. Section 4(c)(i) of Quezon City Ordinance No. SP-3115, S-2022 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“SECTION 4. DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS. – A person applying as a Target Beneficiary must present the following supporting documents:

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(i) Senior Citizen – valid senior citizen ID or QC ID, or birth certificate showing the age of 60 years and above.

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SECTION 3. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. – This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: February 10, 2025.



GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(City Council Secretary)


APPROVED: FEB 26 2025



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 10, 2025 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading under Suspended Rules on the same date.


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
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