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ORDINANCE NO. SP-2022 S-2010

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-1444, S-2004, "AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT CODE OF QUEZON CITY".

Introduced by Councilors JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY, FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR., BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, VICTOR V. FERRER, JR., JOSEPH P. JUICO, RICARDO T. BELMONTE, JR., WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO, RAMON P. MEDALLA, ALLAN BUTCH T. FRANCISCO, VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, EDEN "Candy" A. MEDINA, AIKO S. MELENDEZ, JORGE B. BANAL, JR., FRANZ S. PUMAREN, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY, DANTE M. DE GUZMAN, DIORELLA MARIA G. SOTTO, JAIME F. BORRES, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., JANET M. MALAYA, EDCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., VINCENT DG. BELMONTE, RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN, CONCEPCION S. MALAÑGEN and ALEXIS GRACE R. MATIAS.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. SP-1444, S-2004, otherwise known as the Traffic Management Code of Quezon City, provides for the Traffic Rules and Regulations on all roads in Quezon City as well as the Schedule of Fines/Penalties;

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WHEREAS, the Land Transportation Office (LTO) issued Department Order No. 2008-39 containing the revised schedule of LTO fines and penalties for traffic and administrative violations covering the violations enumerated in Appendix VI of the Traffic Management Code of Quezon City;

WHEREAS, there is a need to reduce the fines and penalties under Appendix VI of the Traffic Management Code of Quezon City to lessen the burden on drivers and operators;

WHEREAS, although the City Government can impose fines and penalties separate from those imposed by the Land Transportation Office, the increase in the penalties by virtue of the Department Order will greatly affect the drivers and operators of motor vehicle;

WHEREAS, there is a general principle that penalties should be commensurate to the violations committed and the purpose of imposing fines is to prevent repetition of similar defiance but not to extract fees that would affect the source of income earned by our drivers and operators;

WHEREAS, the City Council is an authorized body to amend ordinance previously approved and being implemented when the need arises.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Appendix VI, Schedule of Fines and Penalties, is amended as follows:

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SCHEDULE OF FINES and PENALTIES

CODE	TYPE OF OFFENSE/VIOLATION	FINES & PENALTIES
Article V	Any Violation of General Driving Rule	P350.00
	> Keeping as Far Right as Practicable	
	> Overtaking	
	> Use of Center Lanes of Three Lanes Thoroughfares	
	> Passing vehicles	
	> Giving way to Overtaking Vehicles	
	> Drivers not to Obstruct Traffic	
	> Driving in Lanes on Thoroughfares	
	> Driving through Roundabouts and Rotondas	
	> Keeping Right of Double Yellow Lanes	
	> Driving in Bicycles Lanes	
	> Driving in Reserved Lanes	
	> Driving Over a Yellow Box	
Section 6	Erection and Interference with Traffic Control Items	700.00
Section 9	Sirens, Dazzling Lights and Gadgets	350.00 + confiscation of gadgets
Section 10	Disobedience to Traffic Control Signals	350.00
Section 11	Disobedience to Signs	350.00
Section 11 (1)	Violation of No Left Turn, No Right Turn	350.00
Section 11 (2)	Violation of One Way Streets	1,400.00
Section 11 (3)	Violation of No Entry Sign	1,400.00
Section 11 (4)	Violation of No Overtaking/No Passing Sign	350.00
Section 11 (5) (a)	*Violation of No Overtaking on Bridge Sign*	*350.00*

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Section 11 (5) (b)	Violation of Bridge Load Limit	P350.00
Section 11 (6)	Violation of Keep Right, Keep Left Sign	350.00
Section 11 (7)	Violation of Stop Sign	350.00
Section 11 (8)	Violation of Give Way/Yield Sign	350.00
Section 11 (9)	Violation of No U-Turn Sign	350.00
Section 24	Not Giving Way at Intersections	350.00
Section 25	Not Giving Way During Turns	350.00
Section 26	Not Giving Way to or From Parked Vehicles	350.00
Section 27	Not Giving Way to Emergency Vehicles	350.00
Section 28	Not Giving Way to Vehicles while Leaving or Entering a Road	350.00
Section 29	Not Giving Way at Roundabout and Rotondas	350.00
Article VII	Violation of Speed Limits	700.00
Section 30	Violation of Speed/Drag Racing Contest	1, 400.00
Section 31	Unauthorized Drag Racing/Speed Contest	700.00
Section 33	Violation of Operating Rule on One-way Streets	1, 400.00

CODE	TYPE OF OFFENSE/VIOLATION	FINES & PENALTIES
Section 37	Use of Signaling Devices	105.00
Section 41	Parking and Waiting in Prohibited Areas	280.00
Section 43	Parking Near Grade or Curve	280.00
Section 44	Parking on Parade Routes and on Any Special Occasion	280.00
Section 45	Parking for Certain Prohibited Purposes	280.00
Section 46	Parking in Front of Residential or of Commercial Establishment	280.00
Section 47	Violation of Loading/Unloading Sign	525.00

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Section 55	Violation in Parking Areas	P280.00 + towing fee
Section 55 (i)	Non-payment of Parking Fees	280.00 + towing fee
Section 57	Reckless Driving	1,400.00 + seminar
Section 58	Driving Under the Influence of Liquor or Drugs	P1,750. + imprisonment or both upon discretion of court
Article XIII	Violation of Procedures Involving Traffic Accidents	1,400.00
Article XV	Violation or Non-Compliance with any Section or Article, regarding Lighting, Warning Signs, Equipment	210.00 + Community service
(Article XIV) Section 71	Operating Animal Drawn Carriages, Bicycle and Tricycles Without License	700.00
Section 72	Improper Riding of Bicycle or Tricycle	350.00
Section 73 (a)	Riding Bicycle and Tricycle Without Regular and Permanent Seal	280.00
Section 73 (b)	Overloading of Passengers of Bicycles and Tricycles	140.00
Section 73 (c)	No Holding to Handle Bar	140.00
Section 73 (d)	Driving Outside Bicycle Lane	140.00
Section 73 (f)	Driving Tricycle on National Road	350.00 + impounding
Section 74	Towing of Bicycles	280.00
Section 75	Riding Bicycle More Than Two Abreast	350.00
Section 87	Exceeding Gross Weight, Axle and Wheel Load (Overloading)	105.00
Section 88	Projecting Loads on passenger Vehicles	105.00

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Section 89	Loads not Properly Secured	P70.00
Section 90	Refusal to have Vehicles Weighed and/or to Remove Excess Load	350.00
CODE	**TYPE OF OFFENSE/VIOLATION**	**FINES & PENALTIES**
Section 91 (a)	Violation of Log Bridge Load Limit or Limitation on the Use of Bridge	350.00
Section 91 (b)	Violation of Speed Limit on Wooden Bridge	350.00
Section 92	No Permit to Move Equipment and/or Load of Excessive Weight, Width, or Height	1,750.00
Section 93	Violation of Limited Truck Ban	350.00
Section 94	Out of Route (PUB/PUJ)	1,750.00 + impounding
Section 96	Out of Service Area (Tricycle/Pedicab)	700.00
Section 97 (a)	Driving Without License	700.00
Section 97 (b)	Violation of License Restriction	700.00
Section 97 (c)	Failure to Carry/Show/Surrender Driver's License	700.00
Section 97 (d)	Unregistered Motor Vehicle	700.00
Section 97 (d)	Failure to Carry/Show/Registration	105.00
Section 97 (e)	Driving in Sandos/Slippers	105.00
Section 98	Students Driver Permit	700.00
Section 99	Use, Posting or Display of Fake Unauthorized ID's, Stickers, etc.	700.00
Section 100	Unauthorized Change of Color/Engine	700.00 + impounding for verification
Section 101	Road Unworthiness of Motor Vehicles	350.00+impounding

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Section 102 (a)	"Kabit System"	P1, 750.00+ recommend cancellation of franchise
Section 102 (b)	Unclean/ Unsanitary Vehicle and lack of Signs	210.00
Section 102 (d)	No Franchise/CPA/PA Carried	350.00
Section 102 (e)	Non-Compliance with VVRP	210.00
Section 102 (f)	No Fare Matrix Displayed	350.00
Section 102 (g)	No Designated Seats for Disabled Persons	350.00
Section 102 (h)	No ID's Displayed	350.00
Section 103 (a)	Lack of Accessories of Taxicabs	210.00
Section 103 (b)	Unauthorized Installation/Use of Jalousies, additional Air- con, Dim-colored Lights, etc.	350
Section 104	Discrimination of Passengers/Trip Cutting	700.00
Section 104 (a)	Improper Uniform	105.00
Section 104 (c)	Overcharging of Fares/Contracting Services	700.00
Section 104 (d)	Taxi Without Meter/Uncalibrated or Tampered Taximeter Seal	1,750.00 + revocation of DL (d), rev. of Fran (o)
CODE	**TYPE OF OFFENSE/VIOLATION**	**FINES & PENALTIES**
Section 105	Violating Pedestrian Crossing	140.00+community service
Section 107	Violating Restrictions on Pedestrian	140.00
Section 109	Obstructing Drivers View or Mechanism	140.00

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Section 110	Following Fire Trucks and other Emergency Vehicles	P350.00
Section 111	Putting Glass, Sharp Objects on Highway	350.00
Section 112	Tracking Mud Unto the Highway	350.00
Section 113	Driving through Funeral or other Processions	350.00
Section 114	Violating Restrictions on Animals and Livestock	350.00
Section 115	No Safety Helmet for Motorcyclist	245.00
Section 117	Improper Opening of Doors and Alighting from Vehicles	350.00
Section 118	Improper Use of Horns, Warning Instruments	105.00
Section 119	Non-use of Seatbelts	175.00
Section 120	Obstructing Roads by Motor Vehicles, Vendors Stalled Vehicles	350.00
Section 120 (e)	Obstructing Roads or Sidewalks by Residential or Commercial Establishment	350.00+seminar
Section 121	Street Digging or Road Closure Without Permit	1,750.00
Section 122	Restriction on Some Roads	1,750.00
Section 137	Use of Expired Commemorative, License Plates, etc.	1,750.00
Article XXIV	Violating Vehicular Reduction Scheme	210.00

In case of failure to appear or settle penalties within the prescribed period of Five (5) working days, a five percent (5%) per day surcharges will be added.

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SECTION 6. **SEPARABILITY CLAUSE** - *If, for any reason or reasons, any part or provision of this Code shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.*

SECTION 7. **REPEALING CLAUSE** - *All existing ordinances and resolutions, local executive orders, rules and regulations inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance is hereby repealed and/or modified accordingly.*

SECTION 8. **EFFECTIVITY** - *This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.*

ENACTED: May 31, 2010.

WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO
City Councilor
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary

APPROVED: _____

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on May 31, 2010 was reverted back for Second Reading on June 7, 2010 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on the same date.

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary

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