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ORDINANCE NO. SP-3408, S-2025

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 OF 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 Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JOSEPH P. JUICO and SHAIRA "Shay" L. LIBAN

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Nikki V. Crisologo, 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, Aiko S. Melendez, 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

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WHEREAS, 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, provided a social welfare monthly assistance program to mitigate the hardships of the most seriously disadvantaged members of the community;

WHEREAS, there is a continuing need to improve and update the current social welfare measures to guarantee that social justice is properly dispensed for the less fortunate during times of unforeseen and/or inevitable economic challenges and to allow the City to provide the necessary assistance to its citizens;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that "every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare."

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1 OF ORDINANCE NO. SP-3115, S-2022. – Section 1 of Quezon City Ordinance No. SP-3115, S-2022 is hereby amended, as follows:

> *"SECTION 1. SOCIAL WELFARE PROGRAM. – This Ordinance authorizes the City Government to provide monthly financial assistance of Five Hundred Pesos (Php500.00) to the target beneficiaries as defined below, for a maximum of 12 months. After the lapse of 12 months, the beneficiary may re-apply for inclusion in the program. Only one individual per household shall be the recipient of the assistance."*

All other provisions of Quezon City Ordinance No. SP-3115, S-2022 not specifically amended shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 2. REPEALING CLAUSE. – All Quezon City ordinances, resolutions, orders, or other issuances, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 3. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. – If any section or part of this Ordinance is held unconstitutional or invalid, the other sections or provisions which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. – This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after publication in at least one (1) newspaper of general circulation within the territorial jurisdiction of Quezon City, in accordance with Section 511 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

ENACTED: April 28, 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: MAY 09 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 April 28, 2025 under Suspended Rules and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on the same date.

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