

Republic of the Philippines
Quezon City
CITY COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO. 9837, S-73

ORDINANCE

AMENDING SECTION 4 OF ORDINANCE NO. 9309, S-72
"REGULATING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF
SAUNA BATH, TURKISH OR SWEDISH STEAM BATH-MASSAGE
PARLORS, OR THE LIKE, WITHIN QUEZON CITY" SUCH
THAT THE PROHIBITIONS THEREOF SHALL NOT APPLY TO
ANY ESTABLISHMENTS WHICH IS ALREADY MAINTAINING AND
OPERATING SPECIAL PRIVATE MASSAGE COMPARTMENT ROOM
OR PRIVATE COMPARTMENT WITH BATH PRIOR TO AND AT
THE TIME OF THE EFFECTIVITY OF THIS ORDINANCE.

Introduced by Councilor E. G. Alinea, Jr.

WHEREAS, in order to erase any legal doubt
and, to do justice to establishments maintaining
facilities within moral standards but which might
be construed as not technically complying with
Ordinance No. 9309, NOW; THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the Council of Quezon City
in session assembled:

SECTION 1. Section 4 of Ordinance No. 9309,
S-72 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 4. The owner or operator of the
business establishments covered by this
Ordinance shall see to it that they are
operated strictly for the health improve-
ment of their customers. It shall be
their duty to maintain a high degree of
decency and orderliness in their establish-
ments. To this end, no massage parlor
licensed under this Ordinance shall be
allowed to operate before 6:00 A.M. and
after 12:00 midnight each day, and in the
case shall special private massage compart-
ment or V.I.P. room door with door and/or priv-
ate compartment with bath be hereafter
permitted; PROVIDED, that this prohibi-
tion shall not apply to any establishment
which is already maintaining and operating
special private massage compartment room
or private compartment with bath prior to
and at the time of the effectivity of this



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Ordinance, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that said compartments shall not have doors as entrance but only curtains as prescribed in this Ordinance. Violation of this particular provision shall be sufficient ground for the summary closure of the establishment and revocation of its permit. The partitions between cubicles should be made of light wooden materials with one foot clearance from the floor and at least six (6) feet from the clearance towards the ceiling and shall have no door but shall have an entrance with sliding translucent; PROVIDED, that this requirement shall not apply to any establishments already existing and operating at the time of the effectivity of this Ordinance; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that the existing facilities shall not have doors but curtains at their entrances."

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED April 24, 1973.

(SGD.) CARLOS L. ALBERT
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

(SGD.) FELIPE L. TING
City Secretary

APPROVED: Aug. 10, 1973

(SGD.) N. S. AMORANTO
City Mayor