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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **712** , S-98

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-57, S-93, BY ASSIGNING ADDITIONAL COROLLARY FUNCTIONS TO THE OFFICE OF SENIOR CITIZENS AFFAIRS.

Introduced by Councilors JORGE L. BANAL, GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II and EUFEMIO C. LAGUMBAY.
Sponsored by Councilors Emilio G. Tamayo and Marciano P. Medalla.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. SP-57, S-93, established the Office of Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA) primarily for the welfare of the estimated eighty thousand (80,000) senior citizens in Quezon City;

WHEREAS, Resolution No. SP-621, S-96, urges operators of business establishments in Quezon City to consider the employment of senior citizens on a part-time basis in whatever capacity that would maximize their potentials and continue their valuable contribution to national development;

WHEREAS, for the mutual benefit and protection of the senior citizens there is a need for them to organize;

WHEREAS, cohesiveness of the various groups or organizations of senior citizens organizations is an essential ingredient to the efficient delivery of services to them;

WHEREAS, the uncontrolled proliferation of senior citizens organizations is not conducive to the cohesiveness of the entire body;

WHEREAS, the expansion of its functions would make the Office of Senior Citizens Affairs a more responsive and effective vehicle for the care of the elderly members of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Section 3 of Ordinance No. SP-57, S-93, is hereby amended, as follows:

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"Section 3. Functions. - The OSCA shall be under the administrative jurisdiction of the Office of the City Mayor and shall perform the functions in accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act No. 7432, and the implementing rules and guidelines as may be promulgated, jointly or severally, by the Department of the Finance, the Department of Tourism, the Department of Health, the Department of Transportation and Communications, and the Department of the Interior and Local Government, more particularly, as follows:


- a) to plan, implement and monitor yearly work programs in pursuance of the objectives of R. A. No. 7432;
- b) to draw up a list of available and required services which can be provided by the senior citizens and to refer those who are available and able as proprietors/operators of business establishments in Quezon City wherein their qualifications may fit for possible employment;
- c) to maintain and regularly update on a quarterly basis the list of senior citizens and to issue temporary individual identification cards which shall be valid within the territorial limits of Quezon City pending the issuance of the nationally uniform individual identification cards which shall be valid in any part of the country for entitlement of the privileges enumerated under Section 4 of R.A. No. 7432;
- d) to serve as a general information and liaison center for the senior citizens;
- e) to act as the center for the registration and accreditation of senior citizens in every barangay.

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

ENACTED: April 21, 1998.

ATTESTED:


EUGENIO M. JURILLA
City Secretary


JORGE L. BANAL
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

APPROVED: _____


ISMAYEL A. MATHAY, JR.
City Mayor