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Quezon City 20th City Council

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ORDINANCE NO. SP- 2757 , S-2018

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING A FARE INCREASE FOR ALL TRICYCLES FOR HIRE IN QUEZON CITY FROM EIGHT PESOS (PHP8.00) TO NINE PESOS (PHP9.00) PER PERSON FOR REGULAR TRIPS AND FOR SPECIAL TRIPS, FROM SIXTEEN PESOS (P16.00) TO EIGHTEEN PESOS (PHP18.00), AND AN ADDITIONAL ONE PESO (P1.00) FOR EVERY KILOMETER THEREAFTER.

Introduced by Councilor OLIVIERE T. BELMONTE.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D.
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Roxas.

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2011, the Quezon City Council passed Ordinance No. SP-2066, S-2011 setting the fare for all Tricycle for hire in Quezon City at Eight Pesos and Fifty Centavos (Php8.50) per person in regular trips and Seventeen Pesos (Php17.00) for special trips and additional One Peso (Php1.00) for every Kilometer (hereafter. This tricycle fare was reiterated by Ordinance No. SP-2337, S-2014 otherwise known as the Quezon City Tricycle Management Code of 2014;





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WHEREAS, on February 01, 2016, a tricycle fare rollback was implemented pursuant to City Ordinance No. SP-2466, S-2016 entitled, "An Ordinance imposing a fare rollback in all tricycles for hire in Quezon City" setting the tricycle fare at Eight Pesos (Php8.00) per person for regular trip and Sixteen Pesos (Php16.00) for special trip;

WHEREAS, seven (7) years had passed and despite the increase in fuel commodities since 2011 particularly in December 2016 when the average price for gasoline was listed at Forty Six Pesos and Thirty Centavos (Php46.30) based on the DOE Oil Monitor, and the swelling demand for its services, fare in tricycles for hire have not been increased;

WHEREAS, however, under Republic Act No. 10963 or the Tax Reform for Acceleration and Inclusion (TRAIN) Law, which became effective last January 1, 2018, gasoline was subjected to higher excise tax of Seven Pesos (Php7.00) per liter from previous Four Pesos and Thirty Five Centavos (Php4.35);

WHEREAS, as of July 6, 2018, per Department of Energy, the following are the prevailing retail prices of diesel and gasoline in Metro Manila, to wit:

Products	Price Range	Common Price
	P/liter	
Diesel	4 3.35-46.15	44.50
Gasoline (RON91)	47,45-57.57	53.70

WHEREAS, the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) on July 6, 2018, released the order for the recently approved P9-minimum fare for jeepneys;



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WHEREAS, the Quezon City government finds it imperative to increase the fare of tricycles for hire to allow the more than twenty four thousand seven hundred (24,700) members of the Quezon City Tricycle Operators and Drivers Association adapt to the ever changing tide of the very unpredictable rise and fall of the price of gasoline.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Tricycle Fare in Quezon City is hereby increased in accordance with the following schedule:

A. General Riding Public (those who are not considered as senior citizens, persons with disabilities, and students)

Regular Trips — Nine Pesos (Php9.00) for the first kilometer plus one peso (Php1.00) for every kilometer thereafter.

Special Trips - Eighteen Pesos (Php18.00) for the first kilometer plus one peso (Php1.00) for every kilometer thereafter.

Senior Citizens, Persons with disabilities and Students Fare (with twenty percent (20%) discount)

Regular Trips – Seven Pesos and Twenty Centavos (Php7.20) for the first kilometer plus Fifty Centavos (Php.50) for every kilometer thereafter,

Special Trips – Fourteen Pesos and Forty Centavos (Php14.40) for the first kilometer plus Fifty Centavos (Php.50) for every kilometer thereafter.

SECTION 2. All Ordinances, Resolutions, Executive Orders, Memorandum Circulars and Administrative Orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

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SECTION 3. The above fare rates are subject to modifications upon recommendation by the Committee on Transportation of the Quezon City Council.

SECTION 4. Any person found violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be penalized by a fine of Five Thousand Pesos (Php5,000.00) or imprisonment of six (6) months or both at the discretion of the court.

SECTION 7. Effectivity — This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: September 24, 2018.

PRECIOUS HIPOLITO CASTELO Acting City Vice Mayor Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III

APPROVED: ____19_007_2018__

HEBBERT M. BAUTISTA City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on September 24, 2018 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on October 8, 2018.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS II