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AN ORDINANCE MANDATING PROPRIETORS AND/OR SELECTED EMPLOYEES OF COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ENTITIES TO UNDERGO Α SAFETY AND DISASTER MITIGATION CERTIFICATION SEMINAR AND PROVIDE THE BUSINESS PERMITS AND LICENSES OFFICE WITH THE MEMBERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF ITS DISASTER ACTION TEAM PRIOR TO THE APPROVAL OF THE APPLICATION OR RENEWAL OF THEIR BUSINESS PERMITS AND LICENSES FOR THE YEAR 2005.

Introduced by Councilors EDCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, JOSEPH P. JUICO, JORGE B. BANAL, JR., FRANZ S. PUMAREN, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR. and BAYANI V. HIPOL.

WHEREAS, it is stated in the General Welfare Clause of the Local Government Code (RA 7160) that local government units shall strive to promote a safe and wholesome environment;

WHEREAS, it is also indicated in the above-mentioned clause that it is the responsibility of all local governments to maintain peace and order in their territorial jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, aside from the residential areas, lands or spaces allotted for commercial and industrial uses are also susceptible to accidents or disasters such as fires, earthquakes, and floods;

WHEREAS, the mitigation of such accidents and disasters can be done at the level of the establishments that are located in such areas;

WHEREAS, the owners and employees of commercial and industrial establishments can learn the skills needed for safety and disaster prevention by attending seminars conducted by agencies such as the Bureau of Fire Protection and the Philippine Red Cross;

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