



Republic of the Philippines  
**QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**  
Quezon City  
16<sup>th</sup> City Council

40<sup>th</sup> Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- 1609, S-2005  
(PO2005-138)

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING DISABLED PERSONS TWENTY PERCENT (20%) FARE DISCOUNT ON ALL TRICYCLE OPERATORS AND DRIVERS ASSOCIATION (TODA) TRANSPORT IN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilors RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN, ERIC Z. MEDINA, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., RAMON P. MEDALLA, ALLAN BUTCH T. FRANCISCO, JORGE B. BANAL, JR., VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, FRANZ S. PUMAREN and FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Rommel R. Abesamis, Joseph P. Juico, Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Edcel B. Lagman, Jr., Janet M. Malaya, Bayani V. Hipol and Xyrus L. Lanot.

WHEREAS, it is a declared policy of the State to give full support to the improvement of the total well-being of disabled persons and their integration into the mainstream of society;

WHEREAS, toward this end, the rehabilitation of disabled persons shall be the concern of the City government in order to foster their capacity to attain a more meaningful, productive and satisfying life;

WHEREAS, Section 27, Chapter 6 of Republic Act No. 7277, otherwise known as the "Magna Carta for Disabled Persons" mandates to develop a program of assistance for the marginalized disabled persons to gain access in the use of public transport facilities which may be in the form of subsidized transportation fare;

WHEREAS, the City government, to contribute positively to the intent of Republic Act No. 7277, sees fit the enactment of an ordinance that will respond to the mandate of developing a program to assist persons with disabilities;

*Orig.*

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WHEREAS, the City Council realized the necessity of enacting an ordinance that will bring some degree of hope and comfort to persons with disabilities.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Only persons with disabilities who are residents of Quezon City and duly registered with the Office of the Committee on Handicapped People are qualified to claim fare discount.

The Office of the Chairman of the Committee on Handicapped People will issue the disabled residents of Quezon City appropriate Identification Card.

SECTION 2. All Tricycle Operators and Drivers Association (TODA) transport are hereby mandated to grant persons with disabilities who are residents of Quezon City twenty percent (20%) fare discount.

However, if the disabled person is a senior citizen and at the same time student he/she is only entitled to one (1) discount card.

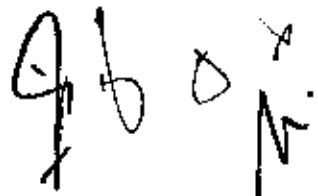
SECTION 3. For purposes of this ordinance, disabled persons are those suffering from restriction or different abilities as a result of mental, physical or sensory impairment to perform an activity in the manner or within the range considered normal for human being.

SECTION 4. Any violation of the preceding section shall be subject to fines of:

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| 1 <sup>st</sup> Offense | - Five Hundred Pesos (P500.00)     |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Offense | - One Thousand Pesos (P1,000.00)   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Offense | - Three Thousand Pesos (P3,000.00) |

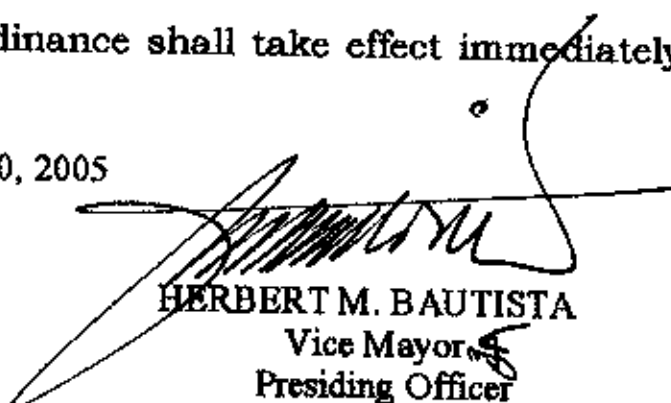
and/or administrative sanctions that may be imposed by the Department of Public Order and Safety.

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SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.


ENACTED: September 20, 2005

  
HERBERT M. BAUTISTA  
Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Secretary

APPROVED: DEC 08 2005

  
FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.  
City Mayor

**CERTIFICATION**

*This is to certify that this Ordinance which was APPROVED on Second Reading on September 20, 2005, was finally PASSED on Third/Final Reading by the City Council under Suspended Rules on the same date.*

  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Secretary

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