



Republic of the Philippines
CITY COUNCIL
Quezon City
15th City Council

57th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP-1686, S-2006
(PO2006-80)

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL DOG OWNERS IN QUEZON CITY TO HAVE THEIR DOGS VACCINATED WITH ANTI-RABIES VACCINE, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION HEREOF.

Introduced by Councilors VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN, BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY and ANTONIO E. INTON, JR.

WHEREAS, in keeping with the duty and responsibility of local government units to promote the health of the people, the City government of Quezon City is undertaking an anti-rabies campaign to prevent the spread of rabies and protect the people from said dreaded disease;

WHEREAS, the City government has purchase anti-rabies vaccines for free distribution to the people as a component of anti-rabies campaign;

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary to further provide for a complementary ordinance to the anti-rabies campaign of the City government, by making it mandatory for all dog owners in Quezon City to have their dogs vaccinated with anti-rabies vaccine, and to provide for penal sanction for violation of said mandatory requirement.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1 – All owners of dogs who are residing within the territorial jurisdiction of Quezon City are hereby required to have their dogs vaccinated with anti-rabies vaccine, which shall be periodically renewed upon the expiration of the effective period of said vaccination.

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SECTION 2 – These dog owners shall secure a Certificate of Anti-Rabies Vaccination which shall be issued by the Quezon City Health Department, attesting to the vaccination with anti-rabies of their dogs and showing compliance with the provision of this ordinance.

SECTION 3 – Violation of this Ordinance shall be punished by imprisonment of ten (10) days or fine of One Thousand Pesos (P1,000.00), or both such imprisonment and fine at the discretion of the Court.

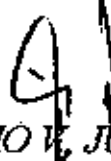
SECTION 4 – The Quezon City Department of Health shall prepare and issue the necessary rules and regulations for the implementation of this ordinance.

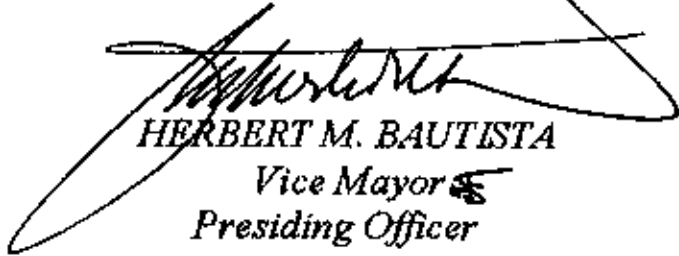
SECTION 5 – This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation in Quezon City.

SECTION 6 – The provisions of any ordinances, local Executive Orders or issuances which are inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, superceded or amended accordingly.


ENACTED: May 22, 2006

ATTESTED:


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Secretary



HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

APPROVED: June 7, 2006



FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance which was APPROVED on Second Reading on May 22, 2006, was finally PASSED on Third/Final Reading by the City Council on May 29, 2006.


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Secretary