

Republic of the Philippines **QUEZON CITY COUNCIL** Quezon City 17th City Council

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ORDINANCE NO. SP. 1980 S-2009

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-1226, S-2003 ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF CLOSE CIRCUIT CAMERAS IN BANKS AND/OR THEIR BRANCHES LOCATED IN QUEZON CITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF."

Introduced by Councilor DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernadette Herrera-Dy, Jorge B. Banal Jr., Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jaime F. Borres, Antonio E. Inton, Jr., Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Edcel B. Lagman, Jr., Vincent DG. Belmonte, Restituto B. Malangen and Concepcion S. Malangen.

WHEREAS, there is a need to update by way of amendment the provisions of Ordinance No. SP-1226, S-2003 to make it more responsive to the needs of our citizenry;

WHEREAS, there have been reports of robberies being perpetrated by criminal elements against law-abiding citizens in banks, malls, gasoline stations, supermarkets and pawnshops;

WHEREAS, said lawless acts could be prevented by the presence of close circuit television cameras operating during business hours;

WHEREAS, robberies in banks, malls, gasoline stations, pawnshops, supermarkets occur despite the presence, maintenance and operation of close circuit television cameras, the tapes from the said cameras could be very valuable in solving the crime and securing the arrest of the perpetrators of the same;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. The title of this Ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:

"AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF CLOSE CIRCUIT TELEVISION CAMERAS (CCTV) IN BANKS, MAILS, GASOLINE STATIONS, PAWNSHOPS, SUPERMARKETS, MONEY CHANGERS AND 24-HOUR CONVENIENT STORES LOCATED IN QUEZON CITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF."

SECTION 2. Section 2 of Ordinance No. SP-1226, S-2003 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. All banks, Malls, Gasoline Stations, Pawnshops, Supermarkets, Money Changers and 24-Hour Convenient Stores located in Quezon City are hereby required to set-up, maintain and operate during business hours a close circuit television cameras (CCTV) at areas thereat where people normally wait and transact business with said establishments."

SECTION 3. Section 3. of Ordinance No. SP-1226, S-2003 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. Banks, Malls, Gasoline Stations, Pawnshops, Supermarkets, Money Changers and 24-Hour Convenient Stores operating in Quezon City are hereby required to keep the tapes taken from the operation of said close circuit television camera (CCTV) for a period of one month from the date of transaction for future references in case the robbery occurs inside the establishment or a client becomes the victim of a robbery after transacting business with the said business establishment."

SECTION 4. Section 4 of Ordinance No. SP-1226, S-2003 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. Banks, Malls, Gasoline Stations, Pawnshops, Supermarkets, Money Changers and 24-Hour Convenient Stores with the minimum floor area of seventy (70) square meters are hereby given three (3) months from the date of approval of this Ordinance to comply with the requirements contained herein."

SECTION 5. Sections 4 to 6 of Ordinance No. SP-1226, S-2003 are hereby renumbered to Sections 6 to 8.

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SECTION 6. Failure to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be a cause for the suspension, revocation and cancellation of the business permit to operate.

SECTION 7. Any provision of this Ordinance found to be unconstitutional or contrary to existing laws shall not affect and impair the other provisions hereof.

SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall take effect after fifteen (15) days following its publication in a newspapers of general circulation.

ENACTED: October 19, 2009

JORGE B. BANAL, JR.
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

DOROTHYD. LACRADA, DPA City Secretary

APPROVED: 27, 200

FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR. City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on September 28, 2009 and was finally PASSED on Third/Final Reading on October 26, 2009.

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA

City Secretary