

Republic of the Philippines OUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 19th City Council

PO19CC-593

84th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP-2466 ___, S-2016

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING A FARE ROLLBACK IN ALL TRICYCLES FOR HIRE IN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilors RAQUEL S. MALANGEN and RAMON P. MEDALLA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Ricardo T. Belmonte, Jr., Dorothy A. Delarmente, Alexis R. Herrera, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Estrella C. Valmocina, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Godofredo T. Liban II and Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan.

WHEREAS, there is a steep decline in the present price of oil in the world market. This downward trend led to the reduction of domestic oil prices by local oil companies;

WHEREAS, this trend proves advantageous to the riding public as it may justify the act of reducing the fare charged by the persons engaged in the business of transport service-subject to the authority granted by them by franchising bodies of the Government, as the case may be.

WHEREAS, the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) released an Order of Provisional Reduction of Fare dated January 21, 2016 for public utility jeepneys as a result of a voluntary petition by jeepney transport groups due to several price cuts on pump prices;

WHEREAS, cognizant with the need of the riding public to ensure affordable access to the same, the Local Government of Quezon City, concomitant with the action by the LTFRB to reduce jeepney fare, likewise intends to impose a fare rollback in all tricycle for hire in Quezon City.

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NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. The Tricycle Fare in Quezon City is hereby reduced 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 – Eight Pesos (P8.00) for the first kilometer, plus One Peso (P1.00) for every kilometer thereafter;

Special Trips - Sixteen Pesos (P16.00) for the first kilometer plus One Peso (P1.00) for every kilometer thereafter;

B. Senior Citizens, Persons with Disabilities and Students' Fare-Twenty Percent (20%) discount, to wit:

Regular Trips – Six Pesos and Forty Centavos (P6.40) for the first kilometer, plus Eighty Centavos (P0.80) for every kilometer thereafter;

Special Trips –Twelve Pesos and Eighty Centavos (P12.80) for the first kilometer plus Eighty Centavos (P0.80) for every kilometer thereafter;

SECTION 2. All ordinances or provisions thereof, rules, regulations, executive order and other similar issuances not consistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

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

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SECTION 4. Any person found violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be penalized by a fine of Five Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00) or imprisonment of six (6) months, or both at the discretion of the Court.

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

ENACTED: February 1, 2016.

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

APPROVED: Q 4 FEB 2016

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA City Mayor

CERMIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council under Suspended Rules on Second Reading on February 1, 2016 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on the same date.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III

City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III