

## Republika ng Pilipinas Lungsod Quezon SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD (City Council)

Ordinance Ne. NC-253, S-92

## ORDINANCE

PROHIBITING THE FATHER, MOTHER, NATURAL OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A CHILD, WARD OR ANY PERSON TO ALLOW OR TOLERATE, KNOWINGLY OR UNKNOWINGLY, SAID CHILD, WARD OR ANY PERSON UNDER HIS/HER CUSTODY OR GUARDIANSHIP TO ASK, SOLICIT OR OTHERWISE BEG FOR ALMS, DONATIONS, CONTRIBUTIONS OR ANY ACT OF MENDICANCY FROM ANYBODY IN PUBLIC STREET, PARK, PLAYGROUND OR ANY PUBLIC PLACE WHATSOEVER, AND PROVIDING PENALTY IN CASE OF VIOLATION THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilor Reynalde A. Calalay. Co-Introduced by Vice Mayor Vicente C. Sotte, III.

Sponsered by Councilors George Cansece, Wilma Amoranto-Sarine, Alberto M. Galarpe, Teodere N. Rames, Emilio G. Tamaye, Alicia A. Herrera, Melencio M. Castelo, Dante V. Liban, Jerge L. Banal, Jose J. Paculde, Elizabeth O. Gaba, Eduardo F. David, Lacag A. Paras, Cielito "Mahal" Del Munde, Ricarde R. Del Rosario, Herminie "Butch" C. Bautista, Guillermo G. Altuna, Reberto A. Miguel and Herbert M. Bautista.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any father, mother, natural or legal guardian of a child, ward or any person to allow or tolerate, knowingly or unknowingly, said child or any person under his/her custody or guardianship to ask, solicit or otherwise beg for alms, donations, contributions or any act of mendicancy from anybody in public street, park, playground or any public place whatsoever.

SECTION 2. The father, mother, natural or legal guardian of any child, ward or any person under guardianship or legal custody, who violates this ordinance shall be imposed a fine of Five Hundred Pesos (\$\mathbb{P}500.00) or imprisonment of thirty (30) days or both at the discretion of the court.