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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **8 4 5** , S-99

AN ORDINANCE SUSPENDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ORDINANCE NO. SP-651, S-98, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE ORDINANCE" ENACTED ON MARCH 3, 1998, FOR A PERIOD OF SIX (6) MONTHS FROM JANUARY, 2000 TO JUNE, 2000.

Introduced by Councilors ERIC Z. MEDINA and EUFEMIO C. LAGUMBAY.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Wilma Amoranto-Sarino, Vincent P. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Rommel R. Abesamis, Ma. Fresca M. Biglang-awa, Godofredo T. Liban II, Jorge L. Banal, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Julian M.L. Coseteng, Michael F. Planas, Nanette Castelo Daza, Marcel C. Rillo, Ramon G. Mathay, Alma F. Montilla, Bayani V. Hipol and Marvin C. Rillo.

WHEREAS, Section 2 of the Ordinance No. SP-651, S-98 states:

"Section 2. Public Liability Insurance Requirements - Pursuant to the above policy, all persons, whether natural or juridical, required under the law to secure business permit and/or building permit in doing business or undertaking construction, repair, and maintenance work in Quezon City are hereby required to secure public liability insurance as an expedient means of indemnifying victims of accidents and/or disasters, either natural or man-made, occurring in business establishments and in buildings and/or structures under construction, renovation, repair or where similar activities are undertaken.";

WHEREAS, the required insurance liability before issuance of a business and building permit is in effect an indirect additional burden imposed by the City government to the taxpayers engage in business which is unjust, excessive, oppressive, and confiscatory and, worst, in restraint of trade;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. SP-651, S-98, otherwise known as the "Public Liability Insurance Ordinance" is hereby suspended for a period of six (6) months from January, 2000 to June, 2000.