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AN ORDINANCE EXEMPTING FROM THE PAYMENT OF CONTRACTOR'S TAX OTHERWISE DUE ON THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF ESTABLISHMENTS AS FISCAL INCENTIVE TO "VISIT PHILIPPINES 2003 (VP 2003)" WHICH AIMS TO INCREASE TOURIST ARRIVALS IN THE COUNTRY FOR THE BENEFIT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS.

Introduced by Councilors DIORELLA MARIA SOTTO-DE LEON, VICTOR V. FERRER, JR., ERIC Z. MEDINA, ALLAN BUTCH T. FRANCISCO, RICARDO R. DEL ROSARIO, RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN and JORGE L. BANAL.

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WHEREAS, the Department of Tourism, in a meeting held on April 23, 2002, presented one of its project - VISIT PHILIPPINES 2003 (VP 2003) which aims to increase tourist arrivals in the country for the benefit of the local government;

WHEREAS, in order to increase tourist arrivals in the country, local government units must encourage the improvement and/or upgrading of its accommodation and tourist facilities, i.e., hotels, restaurants and rest areas located within gasoline stations;

WHEREAS, the following criteria were proposed for the improvement of:

A) Hotels

1. Guest room floor area should be from 18 to 35 square meters
2. All guest rooms shall be air-conditioned

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