

Republic of the Philippines CITY COUNCIL Quezon City 15th City Council 12nd Regular Session

PO2002-249

ORDINANCE NO. SP-1297, SH003

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL OPERATORS OF GASOLINE STATIONS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF QUEZON CITY TO PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN, DURING OPERATING HOURS, AIR AND WATER SERVICES AND CLEAN COMFORT ROOMS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE ESTABLISHMENTS FOR THE USE OF THE CUSTOMERS PATRONIZING THEIR BUSINESS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilor ALMA F. MONTILLA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Dante M. De Guzman, Bernadette Herrera-Dy, Wilma Amoranto-Sarino, Vincent P. Crisologo, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Rommel R. Abesamis, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Aiko Melendez, Ramon P. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Eric Z. Medina, Mary Ann L. Susano, Jorge L. Banal, Julian M.L. Coseteng, Franz S. Pumaren, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Diorella Maria Sotto-De Leon, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Antonio E. Inton, Jr., Janet M. Malaya, Ricardo R. Del Rosario, Restituto B. Malaggen, Xyrus L. Lanot and Junie Marie L. Castelo.

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the City government to promote the welfare and protect the interest of its constituents;

WHEREAS, it has been observed that many gasoline stations nowadays, have air and water services in their establishments that are no longer functional and leave it as such, to the detriment of the customers patronizing their business;

WHEREAS, cost cutting of expenses is acceptable only if it will not hamper the good service that the customers should benefit and enjoy.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. All operators of gasoline stations within the territorial jurisdiction of Quezon City are hereby required to provide and maintain, during operating hours, air and water services and clean comfort rooms in their respective establishments for the use of the customers patronizing their business.

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SECTION 2. All gasoline stations which are subject to the provision of this Ordinance shall be allowed to comply within a period of sixty (60) days upon the effectivity of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. The Business Permit and Licensing Office (BPLO) is hereby directed to require all operators of gasoline stations in Quezon City to provide and maintain, during operating hours, air and water services and clean comfort rooms in their respective establishments.

The BPLO is hereby, further, directed to recommend to the City Mayor, the cancellation, suspension or amendment of the business permit/license issued to such gasoline station operator who has violated the provisions of this Ordinance for three (3) occasions within a period of one (1) month.

SECTION 4. Any person found violating any of the provision hereof shall be penalized by a fine not exceeding Five Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00) or imprisonment not exceeding one (1) year, or both such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court.

If violation is committed by a juridical person, the penalties provided in the preceding paragraph hereof, shall be imposed on the general manager, administrator and other responsible officials.

SECTION 5. Any resolution, ordinance, local rules or regulations inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be considered repealed and/or modified accordingly.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall take effect upon completion of the required publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

ENACTED: August 5, 2003.

BERT M. BAUTISTA

Vice Mayor 🤫 Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

EUGENIO W. JURILLA

City Coundil Secretary

APPROVED: Rt. 2, 2003

FEĽICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.

City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance which was APPROVED on Second Reading on August 5, 2003, was finally PASSED on Third Reading by the City Council on August 26, 2003.

> EUGENIO 🛡. JURILLA City Connecil Secretary