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Lungsod Quezon  
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD  
(City Council)

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94th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- 517, S-97

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING SPECIAL PERMIT TO ALLOW BINGO BONANZA CORPORATION TO ESTABLISH BINGO HALLS IN NEW FARMERS PLAZA AND SM CITY, NORTH EDSA, BOTH IN QUEZON CITY, FOR PURPOSES OF HOLDING BINGO GAMES SUBJECT TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE PHILIPPINE AMUSEMENT AND GAMING CORPORATION (PAGCOR).

Introduced by Councilors FRANZ S. PUMAREN, MOISES S. SAMSON, GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II and ALBERTO M. GALARPE.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Ma. Fresca M. Biglang-awa, Marciano P. Medalla, Connie S. Angeles, Jorge L. Banal, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Joseph Peter S. Sison, Bayani V. Hipol and Ramon G. Mathay.

WHEREAS, Bingo Bonanza Corporation is a domestic corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Republic of the Philippines with principal office at 3rd Floor Building B, SM Megamall, Mandaluyong City;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Amusement and Gaming Corporation (PAGCOR) has granted Bingo Bonanza Corporation an authority to operate bingo halls where bingo games may be played;

WHEREAS, Bingo Bonanza Corporation seeks to operate bingo halls in Quezon City, and requests the City Council of Quezon City, to grant, the necessary franchise and permit to said corporation to do the same;

WHEREAS, under Republic Act No. 7160, the City Council has the authority to grant franchises, enact ordinances authorizing the issuance of permits or licenses and levying taxes, fees and other charges;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby granted a special permit to allow Bingo Bonanza Corporation to establish bingo halls at the New Farmers Plaza and SM City, North EDSA, both in Quezon City and conduct therein bingo games.

SECTION 2. Bingo Bonanza Corporation shall secure a Mayor's Permit for the operation of the bingo halls.

SECTION 3. The authority to operate bingo halls granted herein shall be subject to the following limitations:

- a. The holding of bingo games shall be in accordance with the rules and regulations as promulgated by the Philippine Amusement and Gaming Corporation (PAGCOR).
- b. The operation of bingo halls shall not include the playing of games not related to or other than bingo.

SECTION 4. Upon approval of this Ordinance, the Bingo Bonanza shall remit to the City Treasurer the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (P200,000.00) a month, payable within the first five (5) days of the month, and every month thereafter, during the lifetime of this special permit as herein granted and the same shall be allocated as Special Activities Fund (SAF) under the Office of the City Mayor, in lieu of taxes and fees and other charges.


SECTION 5. The City Mayor is hereby authorized to determine the special projects to which the Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (P200,000.00), of the monthly franchise tax of Bingo Bonanza Corporation shall be used for or applied, and to cause the disbursement of the said amount in accordance therewith.

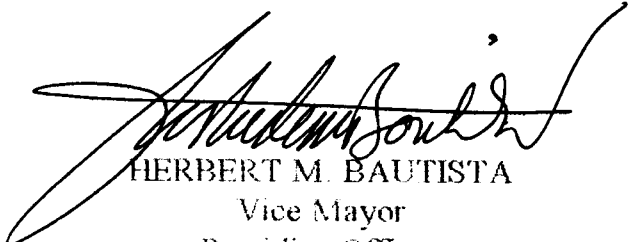
SECTION 6. The grant of authority to operate bingo games herein above mentioned shall be for a period of five (5) years.

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.


ENACTED: June 5, 1997.

ATTESTED:

  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Secretary

  
HERBERT M. BAUTISTA  
Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

  
ISMAEL A. MATHAY, JR.  
City Mayor