12th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP-1076 s-2001

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING AND DIRECTING THE REMOVAL OF JUNK MOTOR VEHICLES, CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER MATERIALS ABANDONED ALONG THE SIDES OF PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES, ROADS, CITY AND SUBDIVISION STREETS, WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF QUEZON CITY WHICH ARE UNSIGHTLY AND OBSTRUCT THE FREE FLOW OF VEHICULAR TRAFFIC AND PEDESTRIAN PASSAGE, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION HEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilor JANET M. MALAYA.
Co-Introduced by Councilors Vincent P. Crisologo, Rommel R. Abesamis, Voltaire Godofredo T. Liban III, Ramon P. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Eric Z. Medina, Mary Ann L. Susano, Jorge L. Banal, Antonio E. Inton, Jr. and Restituto B. Malañgen,

WHEREAS, it is observed that there are many junk motor vehicles, construction and other materials, which are abandoned along the sides of public thoroughfares, roads, city and subdivision streets, within the jurisdiction of Quezon City, which are unsightly, environment unfriendly and obstruct the free flow of vehicular traffic and pedestrian passage;

WHEREAS, the presence of such unsightly junks, wreckage and debris stands in the way towards our goal to promote a friendly ecological environment, along the vision of the illustrious founder of the city, who dreamed of a healthy and aesthetic center of human habitation exemplified by Quezon City;
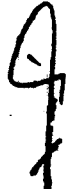
WHEREAS, the beautiful sight of well-kept and orderly boulevards, thoroughfares, roads and streets, reflect the discipline of the people and are looked up to as the window through which others see our inner soul and culture;

WHEREAS, the removal of such abandoned junks, unsightly wreckage and debris from our roads and streets will go a long way to promote the image of Quezon City.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. The owners/possessors, or if the owner cannot be established or determined, the possesor of junk motor vehicles, construction and other materials, abandoned along the sides of public thoroughfares, roads, city and subdivision streets, are hereby required and directed to remove and transfer them to other places where they will not constitute as nuisance, unsightly and obstruction to vehicular movement and pedestrian passage, within thirty (30) days from notice, which shall be issued by the Chief of the Quezon City Deparment of Public Order and Safety.

If the ownership cannot be determined or established, then the penal provision shall be imposed upon the possessor.
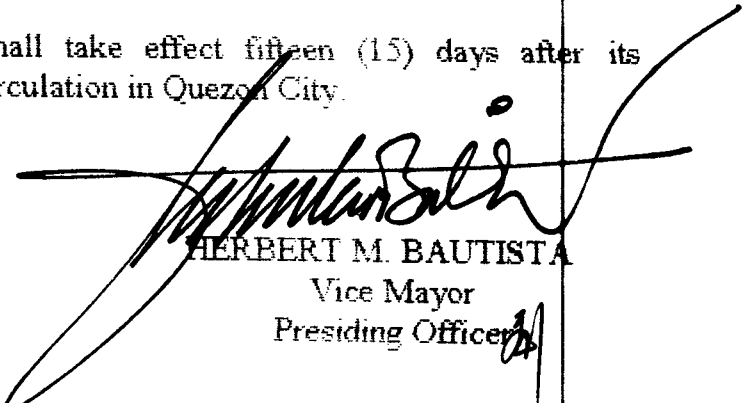
SECTION 2. Violation of the provision of Section 1 hereof shall be punishable with imprisonment of not more than one (1) year, or to pay a fine of Five Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00), or both, such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 3. The Chief of the Quezon City Department of Public Order and Safety shall remove or cause the removal of said junk and abandoned motor vehicles, construction and other materials, if not removed by the owner thereof within the period heretofore provided, at the expense of such owner, where the same shall be placed in the Quezon City Junk Yard which shall be established for the herein purpose, or sold at public auction pursuant to the provisions of existing laws, ordinances, rules and regulations.
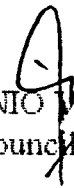
SECTION 4. The provisions of any ordinance, local executive order or issuance which may be inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation in Quezon City.

ENACTED: October 16, 2001.

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary

APPROVED:

FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance which was APPROVED on Second Reading on October 16, 2001, was finally PASSED by the City Council on October 23, 2001.

EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary

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