

5th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO NP-1434, S-2004

AN ORDINANCE INCREASING THE MINIMUM TRICYCLE FARE BY ONE PESO (P1.00) THEREBY INCREASING FROM FOUR PESOS (P4.00) TO FIVE PESOS (P5.00) FOR THE FIRST KILOMETER

Introduced by Councilors RESTITUTO B. MALANGEN, BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE, VICTOR V. TERRER, JR., FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR., ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, JOSEPH P. JUICO, WINSTON "Winnie" F. CASTELO, AIKO M. LLENDEZ, RAMON P. MEDALLA, VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN, III, ERIC Z. MEDINA, ALLAN BUICH T. FRANCISCO, JORGE B. BANAL JR., FRANZ G. PUMAREN, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. TAGUMBAY, DANTE M. DE GUZMAN, JULIAN M. L. COSETENG, GIORELLA MARIA SOTTO-DE, LEON, LUCILLE B. LAGMAN JR., ANTONIO E. INTON JR., ALMA F. MONTILLA, JANET M. MALAYA, BAYANI V. HIPOL, XYRUS L. LANOT and JUNIE MARIE L. CASTELO

WHEREAS the Quezon City TODA Federation has filed a petition for tricycle fare increase due to the continued price increase of petroleum as well as basic commodities

WHEREAS public hearings were conducted on June 23 and 24, 2004 for this purpose, where different sectors were invited

WHEREAS representatives from the barangay homeowners and tricycle sectors have expressed their opinion that a One Peso (P1.00) increase of the minimum fare would be fair and justifiable

WHEREAS, the Board (TFB) resolved that it is laudable to approve said petition considering the fact that indeed the price of petroleum as well as basic commodities are continuously increasing and it would be very difficult for the tricycle drivers to meet their "boundaries" and in the end, earn, to address their everyday expenses, if said increase will not be approved,

WHEREAS the Board believes that the said increase is rightful, fair and justifiable to be able to protect the interest of the tricycle drivers who are trying to earn for their families

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NOW, THEREFORE

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

SECTION 1. The minimum tricycle fare is hereby increased by One Peso (P 1.00) from Four Pesos (P 4.00) to Five Pesos (P 5.00) for the first kilometer. After the first kilometer, the old rate of Fifty Centavos (P 0.50) shall prevail.

SECTION 2. The twenty percent (20%) fare discount given to senior citizens, disabled persons, and students, shall be strictly observed by the tricycle drivers.

SECTION 3. Those charging more than the prescribed fare rate of Four Pesos (P 4.00) prior to the approval of the fare increase are not allowed to increase their fare more than the approved rate of Five Pesos (P 5.00).

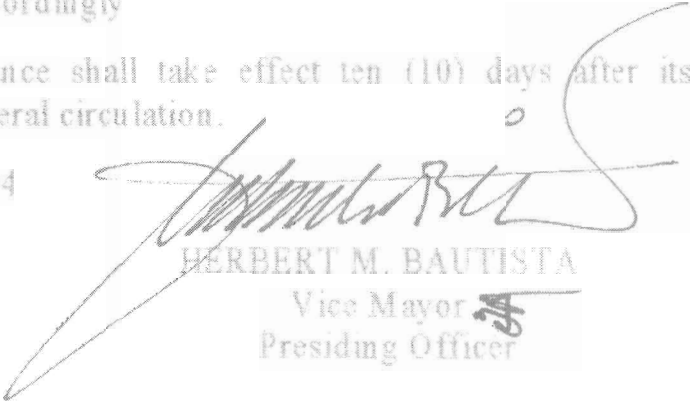
SECTION 4. All tricycle operators and drivers must display the approved tricycle fare sticker conspicuously inside their tricycle units.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall cover only the duly franchised tricycles operating within Quezon City.

SECTION 6. All ordinances and issuances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and amended, accordingly.

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.


ENACTED: August 10, 2004


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 August 10, 2004, was finally PASSED on Third/Final Reading under Suspended Rules by the City Council on the same date.


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary