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ORDINANCE NO. SP-1520, S-2005

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 23 (A), CHAPTER VI AND SECTIONS 1 AND 5 CHAPTER VIII OF CITY ORDINANCE SP NO. 944, S-2000, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE QUEZON CITY MARKET CODE.

Introduced by Councilor FRANZ S. PUMAREN.
Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernadette Herrera-Dy.

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WHEREAS, Sections 67 (b) and 68, Article 21, Chapter V of City Ordinance No. SP-91, S-93, otherwise known as the Quezon City Revenue Code provides that persons desiring to engage in any business within the City shall first secure a permit from the Business Permits and Licensing Office (BPLO) and pay the corresponding fee to the City Treasurer;

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. SP-944, S-2000 provides for the Quezon City Market Code regulating the establishment, classification, operation and the administration of government and privately-owned/operated public markets and all other market-related activities such as slaughterhouses and hawkers in this City;

WHEREAS, Section 23 (a), Chapter VI and Sections 1 and 5 Chapter VIII of City Ordinance No. SP-944, S-2000, otherwise known as the Quezon City Market Code states that any person who shall conduct or operate business establishments mentioned in this code, shall first secure a Business Permit from the Business Permit and Licensing Office (BPLO) and pay the corresponding taxes and fees to the City Treasurer;

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WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 950, S-2000 created the Quezon City Market Development and Administration Department (QC MDAD) which shall enforce the provisions of the Quezon City Market Code;

WHEREAS, upon the creation of the QC MDAD, it conducted an intensive inventory of vendors in all public markets, flea markets, satellite markets and other market related activities such as slaughterhouses and hawkers in this City thereby establishing a data bank for all legal intents and purposes;

WHEREAS, Section 130 (e) Chapter I of Book II of RA 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code provides that each local government unit shall, as far as practicable, evolve a progressive system of taxation, hence the Q.C. MDAD, having a complete data bank of vendors and enough manpower temporarily assisted the Business Permits and Licensing Office (BPLO) in assessing and issuing the permits for the primary purpose of decongesting the number of business permit applicants and secondly for an efficient and effective collection of taxes and fees;

WHEREAS, record showed that there is a remarkable increase on permit fees on subject business establishments from the date of creation of the QC MDAD up to present.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Assessment of Mayors Permit and Vending Permit Fees and Issuances of Permits. - This ordinance shall amend Section 23 (a) Chapter VI and Sections 1 and 5 Chapter VIII of City Ordinance No. SP-944, S-2000, otherwise known as the Quezon City Market Code where the assessment of Mayors Permit and vending fees and issuance of permits of vendors in all markets, such as government, private, flea and satellite ones and other related market activities, such as slaughterhouses and hawkers shall be transferred from the BPLO to the QC MDAD.

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SECTION 2. Section 23 (a) Chapter VI of City Ordinance No. SP-944, S-2000, otherwise known as the Quezon City Market Code, shall be read as follows:

(a) Any person who shall conduct or operate business in the establishment mentioned in this Code shall first secure a Business Permit from the Quezon City Market Development and Administration Department and pay the corresponding fee in accordance with Article 21 of City Ordinance No. SP-91, S-93, known as the Quezon Revenue Code.

SECTION 3. Under Section 1, Chapter VIII of Ordinance No. SP-944, S-2000, the word Business Permit and Licensing Office shall be deleted to read as follows:

SECTION 1. ESTABLISHMENT. - The establishment and operation of privately owned and operated public flea markets and slaughterhouses shall be in accordance with the provisions of this Code, in so far as they are applicable, as well as the provisions of Articles 26, 27 and Article 13, Sections 31 to 35 of City Ordinance No. SP-91, S-93, known as the 1993 Quezon City Revenue Code.

No person, partnership, or corporation shall operate a private market, talipapa, flea market and/or vending area and slaughterhouses within Quezon City without first securing a franchise and/or permit from the City Council as provided for under Section 1, Chapter I of this Code, nor shall any person be permitted to engage in any form of business in any privately-owned public market, slaughterhouse, flea market, talipapa and any vending area without first securing a permit and license from the Office of the Quezon City Market Development and Administration Department. All applications to operate a privately-owned market and slaughterhouse shall be filed with the Quezon City Market Development and Administration Department.

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SECTION 4. Section 5, Chapter VIII of Ordinance No. SP-944, S-2000, shall be read as follows:

Any person who shall conduct or operate business in the establishments mentioned in this Code shall first secure a Business Permit and License from the Quezon City Market Development and Administration Department (QC MDAD) and pay the corresponding taxes and fees to the City Treasurer's Office.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: February 22, 2005.

EDIC Z. MEDINA
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

EUGENIO V. JURILLA City Council Secretary

APPROVED: May 31, 2

FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance which was APPROVED on Second Reading on February 22, 2005, was finally PASSED on Third/Final Reading by the City Council on March 1, 2005.

EUGENIO W JURILLA City Council Secretary

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