AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY (DPOS) TO ISSUE PERMITS FOR JEEPNEY TERMINALS WITHIN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilor JOSEPH PETER S. SISON.

WHEREAS, jeepney drivers, more often than not, use city streets as jeepney terminals;

WHEREAS, there is a need to regulate the use of city streets to minimize the worsening traffic problem;

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Order and Safety (DPOS) has the resources and manpower to implement the purpose of this ordinance;

WHEREAS, there is a need to authorize the Department of Public Order and Safety to issue permits for jeepney terminals in order to ensure the safety and convenience of the commuters and the public;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod, as the legislative body of the city, has the power to approve ordinances that regulate the use of streets, avenues, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, parks, and other public places, and approve the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of the same; establish bus and vehicle stops and terminals or regulate the use of the same by privately-owned vehicles which serve the public.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. The Department of Public Order and Safety (DPOS) is authorized to issue permits and require the payment of fees for jeepneys using the streets and other government properties of Quezon City as terminals.