AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE BUSINESS PERMITS AND LICENSING OFFICE (BPLO), QUEZON CITY, TO COLLECT THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED FIFTY PESOS (P150.00) FROM EVERY BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT AND OCCUPATIONAL UNDERTAKING WITH A FIXED PLACE OF OPERATION AND WHICH HAS SECURED A BUSINESS PERMIT FROM THE CITY, FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A NEW BUSINESS PERMIT REGISTRATION PLATE AND STICKER, VALID FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE (5) YEARS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1997, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilors CESAR A. DARIO, JR., and ANTONIO L. SIOSON.

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. NC-124, S-89, which was introduced by Hon. Alberto M. Galarde and enacted by the City Council on December 19, 1989, provides that all business establishments and occupational undertakings with a fixed place of operation in the City are required to register and secure a “Business Permit Registration Plate” after a business permit is secured, prior to the start of any business operation or undertaking.

WHEREAS, Section 3 (3) and (5) of the same ordinance states, among others, that “x x x the Business Permit Registration Plate may be used for a period of five (5) years replaceable thereafter and the cost of the Business Permit Registration Plate and the yearly printed validation sticker shall be paid by the permittee x x x”;

WHEREAS, besides the need to cover the production cost of this Business Permit Registration Plate, the City is in dire need to augment its income through other revenue generating schemes.