117th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- 604 - S-97

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF STREETS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BARANGAY EAST KAMIAS, QUEZON CITY, DECLARING ALL STREETS THEREIN AS NO ENTRY POINTS FOR TRUCKS OF HEAVY TONNAGE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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WHEREAS, the streets located within the territorial jurisdiction of Barangay East Kamias, this City, have been heavily damaged due to the usage thereof by vehicles of heavy tonnage when such streets were constructed for the use of light vehicles only.

WHEREAS, the use by such vehicles would also constitute hazards to the life and limbs of the residents therein and contributes to noise and air pollution;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Barangay of East Kamias passed Resolution No. 12, S-93, urgently requesting the City Council for the immediate enactment/passage of traffic ordinances declaring all streets within Barangay East Kamias as no entry points for heavy cargo trucks and to specify certain streets therein as one-way streets;

WHEREAS, Section 158 of the Local Government Code (R.A. No. 7160) provides that:

“Section 158. Power, Duties, Functions and Compensation. - (a) The Sangguniang Panlungsod, as the legislative body of the City, shall enact ordinances, approve resolutions and appropriate funds for the general welfare of the City and its inhabitants pursuant to Section 16 of this Code and in the proper exercise of the corporate powers of the City as provided for under Section 22 of this Code, and shall: