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TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
LUNGSOD NG BAKOLOD
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CITY ORDINANCE NO. 892
May 8, 2019

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 582, S. OF 2012 AND PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL PREFERRED INVESTMENTS TO ENJOY INCENTIVES UNDER SECTION 12 OF C.O. NO. 323, S. OF 2002, KNOWN AS THE BACOLOD CITY INVESTMENT CODE OF 2002.

WHEREAS, Bacolod City as a fast-growing metropolis, need to attract more local as well as foreign investors that would help serve the growing needs of its population through creation of more employment opportunities, food security and environmental health;

WHEREAS, it is imperative for the City Government of Bacolod to ensure the well-being of its constituents by providing them with clean and garbage-free environment and promote the use and consumption of organic food for health and wellness in coordination with the private sector.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod City, in regular session assembled, that Section 12 of City Ordinance No. 323, S. of 2002 known as the Bacolod City Investment Code of 2002, as amended by C.O. No. 582, be further amended to read as follows:

Section 12 – Investors Under Preferred Investment. The incentives in Section 11 shall be available to those investing in new projects under preferred investments listed below, to wit:

- a.) Manufacture of Agro-based products such as but not limited to:
 - 1. Canned food products
 - 2. Dried fruit processing
 - 3. Sweets, candies and condiments

- b.) Manufacture of handicraft products such as but not limited to:
 - 1. Gifts/Toys and holiday decors (includes toys, fashion accessories bags, ceramics, homewares, souvenirs)
 - 2. Furniture and furnishings
 - 3. Garments and wearables

- c.) Tourism related business such as but not limited to:
 - 1. Hotels
 - 2. Beach and eco-tourism resorts
 - 3. Children's amusement parks and carnival
 - 4. Ocean parks and other sea-related tourist facilities
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6. Tourist transport facilities
 7. Botanical and Zoological gardens
- d.) Property Development Projects such as but not limited to:
1. Commercial complexes
 2. Retirement Villages
 3. Convention Centers
 4. Condominium projects
 5. Economic Zones
 6. Agricultural Food Terminals
 7. Hospitals
 8. Business Process Outsourcing (B.P.O.) Firms
 9. Technology Business Incubators (T.B.I.)
 - 10. Digital Media Arts/Creative IT Industries**
- e.) Transshipment facilities such as but not limited to:
1. Airport and Seaport Infrastructure
 2. Common bonded warehouses
 3. Shipping facilities
 4. Ship repair
 5. Ship breaking
- f.) Ecology and environment-related facilities such as but not limited to:
1. Fabrication of machines used in manufacturing products derived from plastic wastes
 2. Greenhouses
 3. Manufacture of Plant Oil from jatropha, peanut, pongamia, pinnate tree and other oil producing plants
 4. Installation of extraction facilities and for power generation using biomass products
- g.) Education-related entities such as but not limited to technical/vocational schools, Alternative Literacy training centers, school for Agriculture, Filipino owned language schools and bookstores.
- h.) Printing/Publishing
- i.) Sports and Culture-related facilities such as but not limited to:
1. Sports coliseum and other sports training facilities
 2. Opera theater and cultural center
- j.) Metal and Foundry Shops
- k.) Environment-friendly Solid Waste Recycling Plant**



- l.) Waste segregation equipment or facility**
- m.) Free-range chicken breeding**
- n.) Organic chicken and organic eggs production**
- o.) High value organic crops**
- p.) Utilities Investment (Water and Power)**
- q.) Manufacture of Paper and paper products**

CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

Councilors : Caesar Z. Distrito, Cindy T. Rojas, Renecito S. Novero, Em L. Ang, Elmer T. Sy, Ana Marie V. Palermo, Bartolome N. Orola, Sr., Sonya M. Verdeflor, Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen, Ayesha Joy Y. Villafior.

Negative : N o n e .

Absent : N o n e .

Official Leave : Councilors Ricardo L. Tan and Dindo C. Ramos.

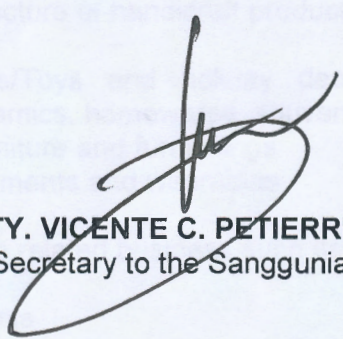
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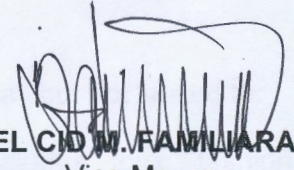
Passed : May 8, 2019 (149th Regular Session of the 9th Council).

Comments : P a s s e d .

Councilors Wilson C. Gamboa, Jr. and Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella were not around when this ordinance was passed.

ATTESTED:


ATTY. VICENTE C. PETIERRE III
Secretary to the Sanggunian


EL CID W. FAMILIARAN
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

APPROVED: _____, 2019.

EVELIO R. LEONARDIA
City Mayor

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