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TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

Ingkod ng Bacolod

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 244

January 6, 2000

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 9 AND SECTION 12 OF CITY ORDINANCE NO. 87, SERIES OF 1993, ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE PROMULGATING THE RULES/REGULATIONS AND PROVIDING FOR THE FEES IN THE LICENSING, CONSTRUCTION, ESTABLISHMENT, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF COCKPITS AND COCKFIGHTING IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD AND PRESCRIBING THE PENALTIES FOR ITS VIOLATIONS THEREOF".

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod, that:

Section 1 - Section 9 and Section 12 of City Ordinance No. 87, Series of 1993, is hereby amended to read as follows, to wit:

Section 9. - COCKFIGHTING FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES.

- a. The City may issue special permits for special cockfights upon resolution of the Sangguniang Panlungsod:
 1. For not more than three (3) consecutive days.
 2. For the entertainment of foreign dignitaries or for tourists or for returning Filipino communities or balikbayans.
 3. For the support of fund raising campaign for charitable purposes as may be authorized by the Office of the President of the Republic of the Philippines or for the support of fund raising campaign for charitable purposes provided that such charitable institutions or foundations are duly accredited by the City of Bacolod as a Non Governmental Organization (NGO) or People's Organization (PO) or are institutions subsidized by the City of Bacolod.
- b. In cockfights for the support of fund raising campaign for charitable purposes, the owner, operator or licensee shall turn over to the authorized representative of the recipient charitable beneficiary an amount per cockfight day categorized as follows.
 1. One thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P1,500.00) per derby day for Three or Four Cock Derbies with less than 40 entries.
 2. Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000.00) per derby day for Five Cock Derbies with 40 entries or more and for Six Cock Derbies and above irregardless of number of entries.

The owner, operator or licensee shall submit within ten (10) days to the City Treasurer's Office, a copy of the receipt showing evidence that said contribution has been made.

The amount of contribution per derby day shall be subject to review by the Sangguniang Panlungsod every two years from approval of this ordinance.

Section 12.- PERMITS REQUIRED FOR SPECIAL COCKFIGHTS

- a. No special cockfights shall be allowed unless authorized by a resolution from the Sangguniang Panlungsod.
- b. Every application for a special permit shall be signed by the owner, operator or licensee of the cockpit where such special fights are to be held and countersigned by the promoter and a representative of the beneficiary to be supported with a board resolution or letter of request of the beneficiary to the cockpit owner, operator or licensee to stage special cockfights in a particular cockpit or a copy of the Presidential proclamation authorizing the fund raising campaign, as the case may be.

Section 2 - This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and publication in a newspaper of general circulation in accordance with law.

CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative :

Councilors : Archie S. Baribar, Juanito S. Amihan, Jr., Lorendo K. Dilag, Ricardo L. Tan, Ramiro L. Garcia, Jr., Ana Marie V. Palermo, Celia Matea R. Flor, Al Victor A. Espino, Elmer T. Sy, Pepito T. Malapitan, Christine Angelie M. Espinosa.

AUTHOR : Councilor Ramiro L. Garcia, Jr.

Negative : None.

Absent : None.

Official Leave : Councilor Roberto M. Rojas

Passed : January 6, 2000 (73rd Regular Session)

Comments : Passed.

Councilors Alex A. Paglumotan and Jose Max S. Ortiz were out of the Session Hall when this ordinance was passed.

LUZVIMINDA S. VALDEZ
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. NILO T. ALEJANDRINO
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED: JANUARY, 2000

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OSCAR R. VERDEFLORES
City Mayor

w/ VETO MESSAGE - Cor. NO. 99-926-G
RESOLUTION. NO. 72 - OVERRIDING VETO.