



REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS  
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD  
LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE  
FOURTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD  
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,  
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING  
ON MAY 23, 2017 IN LIEU OF  
MAY 25, 2017

PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.,	Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Rolando M. Villasencio,	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
Vincent L. Rama,	SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Mario M. Rodriguez,	SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
Tomas R. Serafica,	SP Member
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	SP Member
Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member
John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,	SP Member
	Minority Floor Leader
Lea Doris C. Villar,	SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader
Mariano Y. Corro,	Ex-Officio SP Member
	Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

ON LEAVE:

Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	SP Member
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PREFATORY STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the City Mayor issued an endorsement dated February 06, 2017 to the Office of Sangguniang Panlungsod, a request to enact an Ordinance for the establishment of an ID SYSTEM for drivers and operators of all Public Utility Vehicles that will pass by or the routes of which include the City of Ormoc;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 empowers local government unit, particularly, "powers that are considered essential to promote the general welfare" of its constituents, whereby, requiring all drivers of Public Utility Vehicles in the City of Ormoc to secure an official identification card issued by the City Government falls within the category;

WHEREFORE, all foregoing premises considered, on motion of SP Member Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Chairman, Committee on Public Safety, jointly seconded by SP Members Vincent L. Rama and Mario M. Rodriguez; be it

RESOLVED, to enact:

**ORDINANCE NO. 031**

**AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL DRIVERS OF PUBLIC  
UTILITY VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF ORMOC TO  
SECURE AN IDENTIFICATION CARD ISSUED BY  
THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF ORMOC.**

BE IT ENACTED, by the 14<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc in session assembled, that:

**SECTION 1. TITLE** – This Ordinance shall be known as the “PUV DRIVERS ID ORDINANCE OF ORMOC CITY”.

**SECTION 2. SCOPE OF APPLICATION**– This Ordinance shall apply to all drivers of Public Utility Vehicles (PUVs) operating within the City of Ormoc, requiring them to attend the local government-sponsored seminar prior to the new issuance or renewal of the identification card issued by the City Government of Ormoc.

**SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS/ACRONYMS**– The following terms or acronyms used in this Ordinance shall mean as follows:

1. Driver – a person with a validly issued professional driver’s license who is actually driving a PUV.
2. Public Utility Vehicle Identification Card (PUV ID) – is a card issued by the City Mayor or his duly authorized representative indicating the complete name of the driver with his or her picture, address, SSS number, control number, expiry date, license number and hot line numbers of LTO, LTFRB, PNP and Rescue. This card is issued to the concerned driver only after he has attended and completed the seminar herein below defined. Such card must be prominently displayed inside the vehicle for all passengers to see and read.
3. LTO – Land Transportation Office.
4. LTFRB – Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board.
5. Public Utility Vehicle (PUV) – refers to Public Utility Jeeps (PUJs), multicabs buses, vans, tricycles and other for hire public utility vehicles used in the transport of passengers, except those in transit and trisikads.
6. PNP–Philippine National Police.
7. Seminars – are lessons on road safety driving, road courtesy and discipline, traffic rules and regulations, ordinances pertaining to traffic, road traffic injury program and other topics that may be deemed necessary. The Executive Department of the City Government in cooperation with LTO, LTFRB, PNP, City Health Office, and other national and local agencies concerned about traffic regulations shall conduct the seminars.
8. SSS – Social Security System.
9. TEAM Office – Traffic Enforcement and Management Office.

**SECTION 4. MANDATORY PROVISIONS -**

- a. All drivers of PUVs operating or passing thru on their routes in Ormoc City shall, under this Ordinance, undergo a seminar conducted every three (3) years as a pre-requisite for a provision and renewal of the ID. The PUV drivers shall be required to attend or undergo the mentioned seminar and secure the said PUV ID as a pre-condition to driving any PUV in Ormoc City.



- b. No driver shall be allowed to drive a PUV within the territorial jurisdiction of Ormoc City without first undergoing a seminar and securing the PUV ID within six (6) months from the effectivity of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 5. PUV ID AND SEMINAR FEE** – There shall be imposed and collected from the driver an amount of One Hundred Philippine Pesos (Php100.00) from the driver as regulatory fee to cover the costs of the production of the PUV ID and the seminar, except that during the first calendar year of the effectivity of this Ordinance, residents of Ormoc City shall not be collected such amount. However, in the succeeding years, the City Government shall charge the corresponding fee on all PUV drivers.

**SECTION 6. BUDGET** – The expenditures to cover the implementation of all provisions of this Ordinance for Calendar Year 2017 shall be provided through Supplemental Budget from the General Fund of the City, or from any available funds of the City Treasury.

The annual fund necessary for the said implementation shall be included in the yearly operations from the General Fund of the Ormoc City Government of the concerned offices.

**SECTION 7. PENAL PROVISION** – The following unlawful acts shall be penalized as follows:

- a. Driving without a valid PUV ID, a fine of not less than One Thousand Philippine Pesos (Php1,000.00) or imprisonment of not more than six (6) months, or both, at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no-contest administrative fine of Five Hundred Philippine Pesos (Php500.00);
- b. Failure to display a valid PUV ID on the PUV, a fine of not less than One Thousand Philippine Pesos (Php1,000.00) or imprisonment of not more than three (3) months, or both, at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no-contest administrative fine of Two Hundred Fifty Philippine Pesos (Php250.00);
- c. Driving with an expired PUV ID, a fine of not less than One Thousand Philippine Pesos (Php1,000.00) or imprisonment of not more than three (3) months, or both, at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no-contest administrative fine of Two Hundred Fifty Philippine Pesos (Php250.00);
- d. Using unauthorized/fake PUV ID, a fine of One Thousand Five Hundred (P 1,500.00) Pesos and confiscation of the unauthorized/fake PUV ID, or imprisonment of not more than six (6) months, or both, at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no-contest administrative fine of Seven Hundred Fifty Philippine Pesos (Php750.00), but without prejudice to the filing of the appropriate criminal case under the Revised Penal code and other special laws.

The payment of the administrative fines shall be at the Office of the City Treasurer of Ormoc City.

The foregoing penalties shall be imposed only after six (6) months from the effectivity of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 8. IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS**– Within thirty (30) days from the effectivity of this Ordinance, the Executive Department of the City Government of Ormoc shall promulgate the Implementing Rules and Regulations of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 9. IMPLEMENTING OFFICE/AGENCY** – The Office of the City Mayor, PNP, and the TEAM office shall be principally tasked with the implementation of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 10. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE** – If, for any reason or reasons, any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions thereof not affected shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**SECTION 11. REPEALING CLAUSE** – Any Ordinance, administrative issuances or rules and regulations that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed and/or amended accordingly.

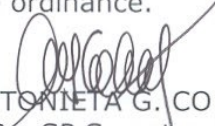
**SECTION 12. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE** – This Ordinance shall take effect Fifteen (15) days after its publication in a local newspaper of general circulation, and posting in at least two (2) conspicuous public places in Ormoc City for three (3) consecutive weeks.

ENACTED, May 23, 2017.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of this ordinance be furnished each to the City Mayor Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator; the Acting City Legal Officer; the City Treasurer; the City Budget Officer; the OIC-City Accountant; the City Auditor; the Permits, Franchising and Licensing Office; the Head, TEAM Office; the City Director, Ormoc City Police Office; the Land Transportation Office; the LTFRB Office; the OIC-City Director-DILG; and other offices concerned.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

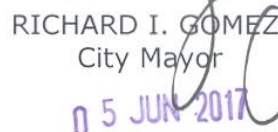
I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above ordinance.

  
MARIA ANTONIETA G. CO HAT  
(OIC – SP Secretary)  
Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:

  
LEO CARMELO L. LOCSIN, JR.  
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

  
RICHARD I. GOMEZ  
City Mayor  
05 JUN 2017  
(Date)