Republika ng Pilipinas Lungsod ng Dagupan TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD -oOo-

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD, DAGUPAN CITY, HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL ON AUGUST 20, 2020.

PRESENT:

Hon. Dean Bryan L. Kua Hon. Jose Netu M. Tamayo Hon. Michael B. Fernandez Hon. Dennis C. Canto Hon. Maria Librada Fe M. Reyna Hon. Celia C. Lim Hon. Cisco Jay P. Flores Hon. Teresa T. Coquia Hon. Marcelino D. Fernandez City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer Deputy Presiding Officer, Member Majority Floor Leader, Member Second Asst. Majority Floor Leader, Member Minority Floor Leader, Member Asst. Minority Floor Leader, Member City Councilor, Member City Councilor, Member Liga ng mga Barangay President, Ex-Officio Member

ABSENT:

Hon. Karlos Liberato E. Reyna IV Hon. Luis M. Samson, Jr. Hon. Marvin V. Fabia Hon. Joshua Bon Bon F. Bugayong Presiding Officer Pro Tempore, Member (O.B.) Asst. Majority Floor Leader, Member (O.B.) City Councilor, Member (O.B.) Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan President, Ex-Officio Member (O.B.)

ORDINANCE NO. 2217-2020

FURTHER EXTENDING THE DEADLINE OF PAYMENT OF BUSINESS TAX (3RD QUARTER) OPERATING IN THE CITY OF DAGUPAN TO SEPTEMBER 20, 2020.

WHEREAS, His Honor, the City Mayor, issued Executive Order No.22 instituting citywide measures to prevent the transmission of acute respiratory and viral diseases and the potential spread of corona virus 2019 (COVID-19) and to alleviate the worsening impact of these health, safety and economic challenges, it behooves upon this body to extend relief to our burdened business operators, they being the lifeblood of our city;

WHEREAS, this body enacted Ordinance No. 2192-2020, "EXTENDING THE DEADLINE FOR THE PAYMENT OF REAL PROPERTY TAX FROM MARCH 31, 2020 TO JUNE 30, 2020 (FOR 1ST AND 2nd QUARTER), BUSINESS PERMIT FROM APRIL 20, 2020 TO JULY 20, 2020 (FOR 2nd AND 3rd QUARTER) AND TRICYCLE PERMIT FROM MARCH 30, 2020 TO JUNE 30, 2020 WITHOUT PENALTY IN THE CITY OF DAGUPAN.";

WHEREAS, Section 132 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 provides:

"Section 192. Local Taxing Authority – The power to impose a tax, fee, or charge or to generate revenue under this Code shall be exercised by the Sanggunian of the local government unit concerned through an appropriate ordinance."

WHEREAS, pursuant to the aforementioned authority, the City of Dagupan proposes to extend further the deadline of payment of business tax (3rd quarter) to September 20, 2020;

NOW, THEREFORE, on joint motion of Councilors Michael B. Fernandez, Jose Netu M. Tamayo, Dennis C. Canto, and Maria Librada Fe M. Reyna, duly and jointly seconded by Councilors Celia C. Lim, Cisco Jay P. Flores, Teresa T. Coquia, and Marcelino D. Fernandez, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in regular session assembled that:

Section 1. PURPOSE. This Ordinance aims to uplift the plight of business sector in view of the declared public health emergency.

Section 2. LIMITATION. The payment of business tax for 3rd quarter be extended to September 20, 2020.

Section 3. CREDITABLE TO FUTURE PENALTIES ON BUSINESS TAX. Business operators who may have already paid their penalties on business taxes for 3rd quarter shall claim the same as credit to future penalties on business taxes.

Section 4. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. Any provision or portion of this Ordinance found to be violative to the Constitution or other existing laws shall not impair the provisions or parts thereof which shall continue to be in force and effect.

Section 5. REPEALING CLAUSE. All ordinances, rules and regulations in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall not be impaired.

Section 6. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect upon signing and as regards to businesses that are to be established.

ENACTED UNANIMOUSLY.

Author:

COUNCILOR MICHAEL B. FERNANDEZ

DEAN BRYAN L. KUA City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

RYAN C. RAVANZO

City Secretary

APPROVED:

MARC BRIAN C. LIM

City Mayor

Date:_____