

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Ilocos Sur
MUNICIPALITY OF VIGAN

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

Ordinance No. 11
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“AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE LIQUOR AND INTOXICATING DRINKS REGULATORY BOARD (LIRB) UNDER THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF VIGAN, ILOCOS SUR DEFINING ITS POWERS AND FUNCTIONS THEREOF.

Section 1. There is hereby created in the Municipality of Vigan a Liquor and Intoxicating Drinks Regulatory Board (LIDRB) under the Office of the Mayor.

Section 2. The Liquor and Intoxicating Drinks Regulatory Board (LIDRB) shall be composed if the following:

- a. Chairman, to be appointed by the Mayor from among the qualified personnel of the Municipal Government;
- b. The Chief of Police as ex – officio member;
- c. The Municipal Treasurer as ex – officio member;
- d. One from the private sector, from the members of the Municipal Peace and Order Council of Vigan, to be chosen from among themselves; and
- e. One from the government sector, from the members of the Municipal Peace and Order Council, to be chosen from among themselves

Section 3. The following intoxicating drinks whether locally produced or imported shall be covered by this ordinance:

- a. Beer;
- b. Liquor (distilled or fermented);
- c. Wine

Persons or establishments exclusively selling and dispensing tuba, basi, or tapuy shall be regulated as herein provided but exempted from the payment of LIRB fees.

Section 4. The following are the powers and functions of the Liquor and Intoxicating Drinks regulatory Board:

- a. Regulate the sale and dispensing of liquor and intoxicating drinks to the public by restaurants, hotels, inns, fast foods, bars, disco pubs, beerhouses, folk houses, wine stores, groceries, sari – sari stores and other similar establishments selling liquor and intoxicating drinks to the public.
- b. Recommend to the Mayor the issuance and revocation of permits authorizing the sale and dispensing of liquor taking into consideration of the following:
 - a. track record of the operator;
 - b. operation of business must be in accordance with existing laws, rules and ordinances; and
 - c. that this ordinance must serve its purpose.

- c. As incident to its regulatory functions, impose reasonable fees as herein provide;
- d. Assist the Mayor in implementing laws, ordinances, and policies relative to the regulation of the sale and dispensing of liquor and intoxicating drinks;
- e. Assist the Sangguniang Bayan in formulating policies pertaining to liquor and intoxicating drinks regulation;
- f. Recommend to the Mayor and the Sangguniang Bayan appropriate measures for the effective implementation of this ordinances; and
- g. Perform such other power and functions as may be assigned to it by law or ordinance.

Section 5. All establishment referred to in Section 4, paragraph (a) of this ordinance conducting business within the territorial jurisdiction of Vigan, Ilocos Sur are hereby required to secure a permit from the LIRB among others, before said establishments can sell and dispense liquor and other intoxicating drinks to the public.

Section 6. The LIRB is hereby authorized to change the following rates in the issuance of the aforesaid permit;

- a. Bars, beerhouses, disco houses, folkhouses – Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000.00) per annum;
- b. Hotels, inns, and tourism related establishments – Five Hundred Pesos (P5,000.00) per annum;
- c. Restaurants – Three Hundred Pesos (P300.00) per annum for those having gross receipts for the preceding year of not more than Fifty Thousand Pesos (P50,000.00) or the capital of which does not exceed Forty Thousand Pesos (P40,000.00) for new establishments.

Five Hundred Pesos (P500.00) per annum for those having gross receipts for the preceding year which exceeds Fifty Thousand Pesos (P50,000.00) or the capital of which is more than Forty Thousand Pesos (P40,000.00) for new establishments.

- d. Wine stores, groceries – One Thousand Two Hundred Pesos (P1,200.00) per annum for wholesalers of imported wines, beers and liquors;

Six Hundred Pesos (P600.00) per annum for wholesalers of local wines, beers, and liquors.

Three Hundred Pesos (P300.00) per annum for retailers of imported wines, beers, and liquors.

One Hundred Fifty Pesos (P150.00) per annum for retailers of local wines, beers, and liquors;

- e. Sari – sari stores in the Barangays, the capital of which does not exceed Twenty Thousand Pesos (P20,000.00) for new establishments of having gross receipts for the preceding year of not more than Thirty Thousand Pesos (P30,000.00) shall not be covered by this ordinance. However, said sari – sari store shall be governed by existing liquor regulation ordinance of the barangay concerned.

Section 7. The aforesaid charges shall be payable during the first twenty (20) days of January of each year. New establishments wishing to sell and dispense liquor or intoxicating drinks shall first secure a LIRB permit among others, before it can be so.

Section 8. Establishments referred to in Section 6, paragraph (a) hereof are allowed to sell and dispense liquor and intoxicating drinks from 6:00 PM to 4:00 AM.

Establishment referred to in Section 6, paragraph (c) and (d) hereof are allowed to sell and dispense liquor and intoxicating drinks from 10:00 AM to 12:00 midnight.

Section 9. The LIRB shall meet at least once every quarter or as often as possible upon due notice to the members by the Chairman.

The Board shall discuss and deliberate matters pertaining to the effective implementation of this ordinance. No decision, action or recommendation shall be arrived at without the approval of the majority of the members of the Board present in a meeting constituting a quorum.

Section 10. Any person found violating this ordinance shall be subjected to a fine of Two Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P2,500.00) or an imprisonment of arresto menor (one day to thirty days) or both at the discretion of the court.

Violation of this ordinance shall also be a ground for the cancellation or non – issuance of a Mayor’s Permit.

Section 11. Any provision of existing ordinance found inconsistent with this shall be deemed repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 12. This ordinance shall take effect on October 1, 1993.

Approved: August 30, 1993, Vigan, Ilocos Sur.

Certified Correct:

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