

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF A PORTION OF VASQUEZ AND GUERRERO STREETS, MALATE, MANILA, ADJACENT TO THE GATES OF AURORA A. QUEZON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FROM FIVE THIRTY TO SIX THIRTY IN THE MORNING (5:30 A.M. - 6:30 A.M.), ELEVEN IN THE MORNING TO TWELVE THIRTY IN THE AFTERNOON (11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.) AND FIVE TO SIX FIFTEEN IN THE AFTERNOON (5:00 P.M. - 6:15 P.M.), PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION OF MOVABLE STEEL BARS STRICTLY DURING SUCH EXCLUSIVE TIME FRAME.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Manila, in session, assembled, THAT:

**SECTION 1. DECLARATION OF POLICY.** – It shall hereby be declared the policy of the City of Manila, to secure and protect minor students and other individuals from vehicular accidents and such other perils.

**SEC. 2.** Pursuant to this policy, the City Government of Manila, through the local chief executive or its related arms, shall undertake the installation of movable steel bars along that portion of Vasquez and Guerrero Streets, Malate, Manila, adjacent to the gates of Aurora A. Quezon Elementary School for it to be closed to vehicular traffic during school days between the hours of Five Thirty to Six Thirty in the morning (5:30 A.M. - 6:30 A.M.), Eleven in the morning to Twelve Thirty in the afternoon (11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.) and Five to Six Fifteen in the afternoon (5:00 P.M. - 6:15 P.M.) or strictly within such exclusive time frame and shall be removed to open said area for public use beyond or outside such time frame, during weekends, regular and special holidays.

**SEC. 3. IMPLEMENTING PROCEDURE.** – For the attainment of such policy, it shall be mandatory that:

1. The Barangay Official concerned put up such wooden notice or placard to forewarn approaching motor vehicles that it is a school zone and closed to vehicular traffic during such exclusive time frame specially mentioned in Section 2 hereof, to be immediately removed by the said Barangay Official or his deputy without unnecessary delay beyond or outside such time frame;
2. A signage in the removable steel bars be legibly and clearly printed and to read as follows: "CLOSED TO VEHICULAR TRAFFIC DURING SCHOOL DAYS BETWEEN THE HOURS OF FIVE THIRTY TO SIX THIRTY IN THE MORNING (5:30 A.M. - 6:30 A.M.), ELEVEN IN THE MORNING TO TWELVE THIRTY IN THE AFTERNOON (11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.) AND FIVE TO SIX FIFTEEN IN THE AFTERNOON (5:00 P.M. - 6:15 P.M.), to fairly inform and educate motorists traversing Vasquez and Guerrero Streets, Malate, Manila the reason for its temporary closure during such time frame herein mentioned;
3. Barangay Tanods shall be deployed along Vasquez and Guerrero Streets, Malate, Manila during such time frame for the proper implementation of this Ordinance, as well as for added protection and safety of minor students and other individuals.

**SEC. 4. IMPLEMENTING AGENCIES.** – The Manila Traffic and Parking Bureau and the Barangay Officials having territorial jurisdiction over that portion of Vasquez and Guerrero Streets, Malate, Manila, shall ensure strict implementation of this Ordinance.

**SEC. 5. REPEALING CLAUSE.** – All ordinances, rules and regulations or portions thereof, which are contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance or portions hereof, are hereby deemed modified and repealed accordingly.

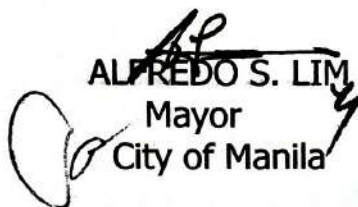
**SEC. 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** – If, for any reason, any provision, section or part of this Ordinance is declared invalid, suspended or revoked by any competent authority, such judgment shall not affect or impair the remaining provisions, sections and parts hereof, and shall remain in full force and effect.

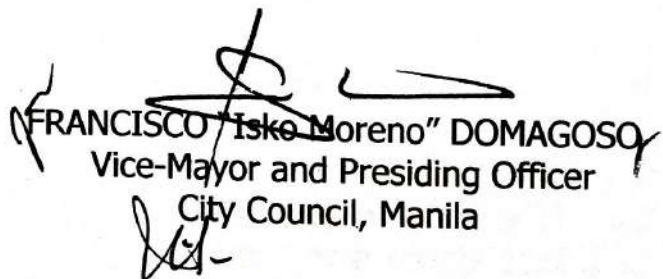
**SEC. 7. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE.** – This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

Enacted by the City council of Manila at its regular session today, December 17, 2009.


Approved by His Honor, the Mayor, on 01 FEBRUARY 2010

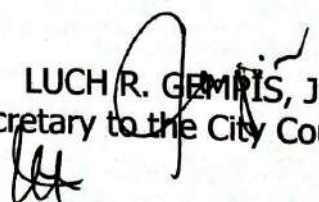
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