

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE SINGING/PLAYING OF THE NATIONAL ANTHEM AND RECITING THE PLEDGE OF LOYALTY TO THE FILIPINO FLAG IN ALL CIVIC, EDUCATIONAL, GOVERNMENTAL, CULTURAL AND POLITICAL ACTIVITIES IN THE CITY OF MANILA, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

SECTION 1. Definition of terms: civic, educational, governmental, cultural and political congregation are those commonly understood to be publicly formed, called, scheduled, held or organized such as club meetings, conventions and celebrations, programs, decent shows, games and events as well as similar public gatherings.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, organizer or leader of any civic, cultural, social, political, organization, school and other public and governmental activities or gatherings in the City of Manila to start, commence, or begin such activity without first causing the singing/playing of the National Anthem and the recitation of the pledge of loyalty to the Filipino Flag.

SEC. 3. The National Anthem should be sung/played in its original text form and arrangement.


SEC. 4. Non-compliance and violation of this ordinance by said leadership or organizers shall be penalized by imprisonment of not less than six (6) months or a fine of not more than P1,000.00 or both, as may be decided by the court.

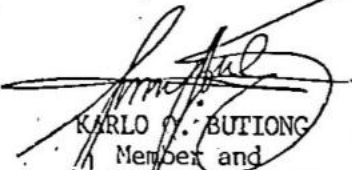
SEC. 5. Effectivity: This ordinance shall take effect 30 days after its approval.

Enacted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session today, February 6, 1990.

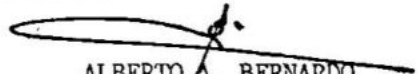
Approved by His Honor, the Mayor on *Feb. 28, 1990*

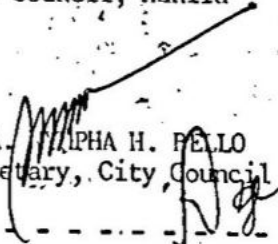
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