

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING BARANGAY CHAIRMEN TO DETECT AND PREVENT ILLEGAL CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR WITHIN THEIR AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY AND TO REPORT THE SAME WITHIN TWENTY FOUR (24) HOURS TO THE CITY BUILDING OFFICIAL, OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, AND POLICE STATION COMMANDER WHO HAS JURISDICTION OVER IT.

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

SECTION 1. It is the concern of the City of Manila to prevent any construction and repair without the necessary building permit issued by the City of Manila in accordance with P.D. 1096 (National Building Code) and P.D. 772 (Anti-squatting Law).

SEC. 2. All Barangay Chairmen or in their absence, their designated Officers In-Charge are hereby required to undertake a continuing surveillance, to detect, prevent, and submit a written report within 24 hours upon discovery of any construction and repair without building permit issued by the City of Manila within their area of responsibility, to the City Building Official, Office of the Mayor and Police Station Commander who has jurisdiction over it.

SEC. 3. The City Building Official and/or Police Station Commander shall act expeditiously on the report of the Barangay Chairman and within the scope of the responsibility and authority vested in him, stop the illegal construction and cooperate with other city authorities on the violators.

SEC. 4. Failure on the part of the Barangay Chairman or the designated Officer-In-Charge in the Barangay and the City Building Official, and Police Station Commander, to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance as per Section 2 and 3, shall be cause for a proper action in accordance with the existing Laws. PROVIDED, however, that the responsibility of Barangay official is limited to preventing and reporting only.

SEC. 5. Any Ordinance in conflict herewith is hereby repealed and/or modified accordingly.

SEC. 6. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

Enacted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session today, March 22, 1990.

Approved by His Honor, the Mayor on *April 5, 1990.*

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