

S. Sumbayag

ORDINANCE No 2994

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE AND SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY-SEVEN OF ORDINANCE NUMBERED ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED, KNOWN AS THE REVISED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MANILA, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NUMBERED SIXTEEN HUNDRED AND THIRTY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it ordained by the Municipal Board of the City of Manila, that:

SECTION 1. Section 685 of Ordinance No. 1600, known as the Revised Ordinances of the City of Manila, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 685 'Lumber Yard' Defined: classification.- For the purpose of this ordinance the term 'lumber yard' shall be construed to include every place where lumber, whether sawn or not, is kept or stored for sale or distribution. There shall be two classes of lumber yard; those which use machinery, whether propelled by steam, electricity, or other motive power, and those which do not use any machinery."

SEC. 2. Section 687 of the said Revised Ordinances as amended, by Ordinance No. 1630, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 687. License fees: approval of application.- There shall be paid in advance to the City Treasurer for every license granted for having, keeping, or storing lumber in any yard or operating a lumber yard with machinery (sawmill) the following annual fees:

Class A- Lumber yard without machinery.

A-1 With a yard for the deposit of lumber having a space of more than 1,500 sq.m.	P 600.00
A-2 With a yard for the deposit of lumber having a space of 1,000 sq.m.	500.00
A-3 With a yard for the deposit of lumber having a space of 500 sq.m. but less than 1,000 sq.m.	400.00
A-4 With/yard for the deposit of lumber having a space of less than 500 sq.m.	300.00
A-5 Without yard, but with space to keep already saw lumber and provided with an office for accepting order for lumber only	200.00

These lumber yards shall be subject to license fees according to area as prescribed in Class A, but if a lumber yard is conducted with machinery, an additional license fee shall be collected for each machinery, based on the power rating of each machinery as follows:

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SEC. Class B- Lumberyard (sawmill) with machinery:

B-1 Over 500 horse power	P1,000.00
B-2 From 201 to 500 horse power	800.00
B-3 From 101 to 200 horse power	600.00
B-4 From 26 to 100 horse power	500.00
B-5 From 15 to 25 horse power	400.00
B-6 From 1 to 14 horse power	300.00

SEC. 3. Application.— It shall be the duty of the owner or manager of a lumber yard or sawmill to file an application with the Office of the Mayor before beginning the business stating the area of the yard or space or premises and the description of the machinery, if any, and the number of horse power: PROVIDED, That owners of lumber yard or saw mill operating and already licensed before the enactment of this ordinance shall file an application as required in this section after the end of the quarter preceding the date of the approval of this ordinance.

SEC. 4. Repealing clause.— Any provisions of Ordinance now in force, inconsistent with this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. Effectivity.— This ordinance shall take effect on its approval.

Enacted, December 4, 1946

Approved, December 14, 1946

APPROVED: Should the City Engineer or his representatives find upon inspection that the building or structure or part thereof is structurally unsafe and not fit for public use, or should the owner of the building or structure fail or refuse to comply with any of the provisions as set forth in the preceding sections after having been notified thereof, it shall be the duty of the City Engineer to advise the Mayor or the President of the Municipal Board of such violation or the failure of the owner or his agent to comply with the provisions of this ordinance. In such case the Mayor or the President of the Municipal Board shall order the immediate suspension of the public use of such building or structure, and such suspension shall remain effective until the owner of the building or structure, or his agent, shall have fully complied with the requirements of this ordinance.

ATTESTED:

VALERIANO E. FUGOSO **MANUEL DE LA FUENTE**
 Mayor President
 City of Manila Municipal Board

CESAR MIRAFLOR **JOSE V. INUTAN**
 Secretary to the Mayor Secretary, Municipal Board

SEC. 6. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed as to prohibit the City Engineer from making or causing to be made at any time such necessary inspection of building or structure referred to in the preceding sections, whenever in his judgment such