

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 692-b AND 692-g, AND PARAGRAPH (b) OF SECTION 692-d OF CHAPTER 62-a OF THE COMPILATION OF THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MANILA, RELATIVE TO THE OPERATION OF MASSAGE CLINICS BY INCREASING THE ANNUAL FEES AND PENALTY PROVIDED THEREIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. Section 692-b of Chapter 62-a of the Compilation of the Ordinances of the City of Manila is hereby amended to read as follows:

"No person shall engage in the operation of a massage clinic or in the occupation of attendant or helper therein without first having obtained a permit therefor from the Mayor. For every permit granted under the provision of this Ordinance, there shall be paid to the City Treasurer the following annual fees:

- (a) Operator of a massage clinic (P100.00) P500.00
- (b) Attendant or helper in a massage clinic (P 5.00) 50.00

SEC. 2. Paragraph (b) of Section 692-d of Chapter 62-a of the Compilation of the Ordinances of the City of Manila is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Massage clinic shall open at eight o'clock a.m. and shall close at five o'clock p.m.; PROVIDED, That it shall remain closed on Sundays and holidays.

SEC. 3. Section 692-g of Chapter 62-a of the Compilation of the Ordinances of the City of Manila is hereby amended to read as follows:

Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred pesos nor more than two hundred pesos or by imprisonment for not less than twenty days nor more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court. In addition, the permit of the operator, attendant or helper, as the case may be, shall be automatically revoked upon final conviction; PROVIDED, That persons engaging in the operation of massage clinics without first obtaining the corresponding permit as required by this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of two hundred pesos and imprisonment for one month."

SEC. 4. This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

Enacted by the Municipal Board of the City of Manila at its regular session today, January 29, 1963.

Approved by His Honor, the Mayor on *Acting* June 10, 1963

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