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CITY COUNCIL
City of Manila

REGULAR SESSION NO. 52

12TH CITY COUNCIL

Begun and held in the City Council on Tuesday,
the twenty-third day of May, Two Thousand Twenty-Three

ORDINANCE NO. 8964

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING EXEMPTION FROM PAYMENT OF MAYOR'S PERMIT, AMUSEMENT TAX, AND OTHER INCIDENTAL EXPENSES TO STUDENTS AUTHORIZED BY THEIR RESPECTIVE SCHOOLS FOR FILM SHOOTING FEATURING HISTORICAL SITES AND VENUES WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY, FOR THE PERIOD APRIL 1, 2023 TO JUNE 10 2023 BEING PARTICIPANTS TO THE MANILA FILM FESTIVAL

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

The city-wide film festival was created in the 1960s by the former Manila Mayor Antonio Villegas. The event was initiated to showcase and give a platform to the talents of the participants in the film-making industry. However, this film festival was put into halt for 29 years. By the will of the City Government of Manila, the film festival returns under the new name called The Manila Film Festival (TMFF), this time, inviting students to participate in an endeavor to empower the youth and engage them in activities that will further develop their skills and capabilities as young artists.

This Ordinance seek to exempt the participating students from the Arellano University, University of the Philippines – Diliman, Colegio de San Juan de Letran and Adamson University, in the upcoming "The Manila Film Festival" for the period April 1, 2023 to June 10, 2023 from payment of Mayor's Permit, amusement tax, and other incidental expenses to sites and venues that they will be featuring within the City of Manila. This will subsidize and promote the participants of the Manila Film Festival to produce a world-class film without hampering their financial capacity to produce one.

In view of the foregoing, the passage of this Ordinance is earnestly sought.


HON. LUCIANO M. VELOSO
Councilor, 6th District
Manila

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

SECTION 1. Exemption from payment of Mayor's Permit, amusement tax, and other incidental expenses to students authorized by their respective schools for film shooting featuring historical sites and venues within the jurisdiction of the city, for the period April 1, 2023 to June 10 2023, being participants to The Manila Film Festival, is hereby granted and authorized.

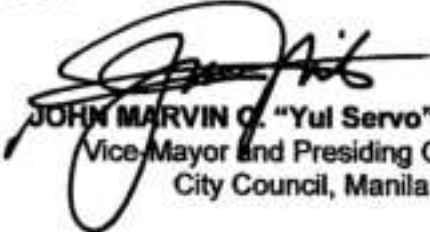
SEC. 2. Participants. – The following schools are the participants to the TMFF which submitted the lists of their authorized students for the specific endeavor:

University of the Philippines – Diliman
Colegio de San Juan de Letran
Adamson University
Colegio de San Juan de Letran
Arellano University

SEC. 2. Effectivity Clause. – This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

This Ordinance was finally enacted by the City Council of Manila on May 23, 2023.


PRESIDED BY:


JOHN MARVIN C. "Yul Servo" NIETO
Vice-Mayor and Presiding Officer
City Council, Manila

ATTESTED:


LUCH R. GEMPIS, JR.
City Government Department Head III
(Secretary to the City Council)

APPROVED BY HIS HONOR, THE MAYOR, ON JUN 14 2023


MARIA SHEILAH "Honey" H. LACUNA-PANGAN, MD, FPDS
Mayor
City of Manila

ATTESTED:


MARLON M. LACSON
City Government Department Head III
(Secretary to the Mayor)