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ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE REVISED MARIKINA PEACE, ORDER, PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY CODE OF 2006

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ARTICLE 1
General Provisions

SECTION 1. Short Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the

"MARIKINA PEACE AND ORDER CODE OF 2006".

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD of MARIKINA, in session duly assembled, that:

SECTION 2. Declaration of Policy

(a) "General Welfare. Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied from there, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, x x x promote health and safety x x x maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and conveniences of their inhabitants";

(b) In consonance with this right and duty to promote health, safety and maintain peace and order, the City Council of Marikina enacted various legislative measures pertaining to peace and order of the City as well as those, which relate to public safety and security;

(c) There is a need to codify and amend these existing ordinances not only for the purpose of facilitating easy reference thereto, but also for clarity and effective implementation of the same;

SECTION 3. Scope of the Code

This Code contains:

- (a) Local legislations pertaining to peace, order, public safety and security,
- (b) Corresponding penalties,
- (c) Implementing agencies and their powers and functions,
- (d) Guidelines on the implementation of this Code,
- (e) Alternative penalties that may be imposed against violators, penalty for minors and
- (f) Penalty sharing.

SECTION 4. Definition of Terms

- a) Bathing – shall refer to but not limited to the acts of swimming, dipping and diving. f

- b) Banking Institutions – shall refer to all banks operating within Marikina City, serving as cash depositories and/or engaged in financial activities of receiving, collecting and/or issuance of payments in the form of cash or other negotiable instruments.
- c) Bladed Instrument – shall refer to any kind of deadly instruments such as knife, balisong, samurai, spear, pana, dagger, bolo, barong, kris, icepick, jabbing liza or chako and similar instruments.
- d) Booster Pump – shall refer to an electrically operated mechanism that sucks water from MWSS waterlines to obtain strong water pressure but at the same time drains other connected water lines.
- e) Business Establishments – shall refer to amusement/entertainment centers, which include billiard halls, KTV bars, videoke bars, video arcades, computer shops, Internet cafes, eateries, and the likes.
- f) Cigarettes and Cigarette Paraphernalia – shall refer to Cigar or Cigarette, whether imported or manufactured locally, including tobacco and such other leaves whether imported or grown locally, and the rolling paper by which these leaves may be used for smoking.
- g) CMP- (Community Mortgage Program) – shall refer to the city's low-cost housing program as well as city-originated loans to provide its urban poor with abodes, which they can own at affordable cost.
- h) Color Game – shall refer to a game of chance utilizing three (3) wooden dices with different colors and bettors place their money bets on the colors of their choice, and the winning colors are displayed on the wooden dices thrown on a table.
- i) Commercial property- shall refer to property intended for business purpose.
- j) Commercial/Business Establishments – shall refer to eateries, restaurants, kitchenettes, carinderias, grills, KTV Bars and clubs, music lounges, disco houses, billiard halls, sari-sari stores, groceries, minimarts, convenience stores, and all other similar establishments.
- k) Computer Rental Shop – shall refer to a business establishment with two (2) or more computer units that offers internet services, typing, printing services and gaming shop or center.
- l) Domestic Helper – shall refer to the housemaid, babysitter, driver or such other similar workers who are employed for domestic work in a residential or household in Marikina City
- m) Eatery – shall refer to any establishment serving liquor in addition to cooked food and short orders for consumption of customers. Restaurants, kitchenettes, carinderias, grills and all similar establishments serving cooked food and liquor are included as eateries.
- n) Emergency Hotline Numbers – shall refer to, but not limited to the following: Rescue 161 (hotline of Marikina); Patrol 171 (hotline of the PNP); hotlines of the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP); the National/Regional/ Local Disaster Coordinating Council; Government or Private Hospital hotlines; hotlines or cell phones of such other government and/or private hotlines whose entities provide quick response to emergency situations.
- o) Emergency Situations – shall refer to incidents of fire, flood, earthquake, civil disturbances, acts against national or local security, public disorders, terrorist attacks, commission of crimes, accidents and other incidents that require rescue or retrieval and immediate medical assistance.
- p) Entertainment Shows – shall refer to all kinds of fashion shows, all kinds of beauty pageants, bikini open, ramp modeling, and the likes.
- q) Event Coordinator – shall refer to a person who coordinates with the event organizer and the participants of the show.
- r) Event Organizer – shall refer to a person who may be an owner of an establishment or Production Company or an individual contracting with the event coordinator.
- s) Fairs – shall refer to traveling collection of sideshows and amusements.

