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HON. ROWENA BAUTISTA-MENDIOLA City Vice Mayor CITY ORDINANCE NO. 437-2025 Series of 2025

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE GENERATION OF EXCESSIVE NOISE IN OR NEAR RESIDENTIAL ZONES, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, HOSPITALS, AND PLACES OF WORSHIP WITHIN THE CITY OF BACOOR, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS HEREOF, AND REVOKING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2014-07 AND CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2014-08 AS AMENDED BY CITY ORDINANCE NO. 5-2014.

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Hon. ALEJANDRO F. GUTIERREZ

Co-Sponsored by:

Hon. REYNALDO D. PALABRICA

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 (Republic Act No. 7160) in relation to Sections 447 and 458 (i) of the same law empowered local government units (LGUs) to enact ordinances that regulate noise within their respective jurisdictions.

WHEREAS, the Civil Code of the Philippines (Republic Act No. 386) includes provisions that classify excessive noise as a nuisance. Under Articles 694 to 707, a nuisance is defined as anything that "injures or endangers the health or safety of others" or "annoys or offends the senses."

WHEREAS, in an article entitled "HEALTH EFFECTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL NOISE POLLUTION" published by the Australian Academy of Science on 21 November 2017 it was reported that "at least one million healthy years of life are lost each year in Europe alone due to noise pollution" and that 'there is overwhelming evidence that exposure to environmental noise has adverse effects on the health of the population."

WHEREAS, a study conducted by the University of the Philippines Manila and the National Institutes of Health published in the website of the UP Manila (www.upm.edu.ph) on 7 June 2024 revealed that 13% of the research participants experienced significant noise exposure at work, and approximately 16% of the participants had moderate hearing loss or worse in at least one ear. The researchers, led by Dr. Kimberly Mae C. Ong, Research

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Assistant Professor at the Philippine National Ear Institute (PNEI), reported further that that EDSA traffic enforcers who were exposed to an 8-hour equivalent sound pressure level of more than 85 decibels were at least 25% more likely to experience hearing abnormalities.

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 2014-07 made it unlawful for any person to make, continue, or cause to be made, or continue, any excessive, unnecessary or unusually loud sound generated by videoke/karaoke systems or other sound producing devices within residential areas and along public streets or road sides which either annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, health, peace or safety of others within the City of Bacoor.

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 2014-08 as amended by City Ordinance No. 5-2014 prohibited excessively loud noise emitted by motor vehicles in all public places within the City of Bacoor.

WHEREAS, despite the approval of City Ordinances No. 2014-07 and 2014-08, noise pollution remains a daily irritant to residents of the City of Bacoor and endangers their health and wellbeing and disrupts the harmonious relationship among neighbors.

WHEREAS, on 27 January 2025, the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla, received a letter from Mr. Joseph Ryan V. Geronimo, CLGOO of the City of Bacoor, informing the City Government about the Memorandum dated 24 January 2025 issued by Provincial Director, Engr. Danilo A. Nobleza of the DILG encouraging LGUs to enact ordinances that will regulate and address noise pollution within their jurisdiction.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the 5th Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite that:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known and referred to as the "2025 Anti-Noise Pollution Ordinance of the City of Bacoor".

Section 2. General Prohibition. It is unlawful for any person within or near a residential zone, school, college, university, hospital or place of worship situated in the City of Bacoor, Cavite to produce — or for any person in possession of property to allow to originate from the said property - sound that is a public disturbance noise.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. As used in this Ordinance:

A. "Public disturbance noise" means any noise, sound or signal generated by any person, animal, equipment, or device which unreasonably disturbs the comfort, peace, or repose of another person or persons within any residential zone — or within 50 meters from any school,

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college, university, hospital, or place of worship -

A public disturbance noise is: "frequent" if it occurs two or more days within a ten-day period from the time an offended party noticed it, "repetitive" if it occurs two or more times within a one-hour period from the time an offended party noticed it and "continuous" if it can be heard for ten (10) minutes or more from the time an offended party noticed it. Sound produced by an animal, equipment, household appliance, or other man-made device, gadget, or tool is a public disturbance noise if a person can hear it beyond thirty feet from the source or if it exceeds 90 decibels.

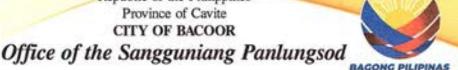
The following sounds are public disturbance noises for the purposes of this Ordinance: Provided, that the following enumeration of acts and noises shall not exclude other acts and noises which offend the public peace:

- The frequent, repetitive or continuous sounding of any horn or siren attached to a motor vehicle at any time, except as a warning of danger or as specifically permitted or required by law or city ordinance such as emergencies, during public preparedness or disaster prevention operations, during election campaigns, or during the observance of religious rites, festivals or events. The sound produced by a horn or siren is excessively loud if it can be heard beyond ten feet from its source or if it exceeds 90 decibels.
- 2. The creation of frequent, repetitive or continuous sounds in connection with the starting, operating, repair, rebuilding or testing of any motor vehicle, motorcycle. off-highway vehicle. or combustion engine, including hobby vehicles, drones, and aircraft, within a residential zone so as to unreasonably disturb or interfere with the peace, comfort and repose of an owner or possessor of a neighboring real property. Provided, that this definition shall not apply to the operation of lawn mowers, garden tools, agricultural machinery, chainsaws or other power equipment used for building, repair or ground maintenance between the hours of eight a.m. (8:00 a.m.) and five p.m. (5:00 p.m.) every day including holidays. Provided further that, the barangay having jurisdiction over the place where such building, repair, or ground maintenance work is being done should first issue a Barangay

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Clearance for Noise Producing Work before the said exception can apply.

- Yelling, shouting, whistling or singing on or near public streets at all hours every day - including holidays except on New Year's Eve. New Year's Day. Christmas Eve, and Christmas Day or during the celebration of any other event as may be authorized in writing by the City Mayor — or at any time and place so as to unreasonably disturb or interfere with the peace, comfort and repose of owners or possessors of real property. Sound produced by a human being is a public disturbance noise if another can hear it beyond thirty feet from the source or if it exceeds 90 decibels.
- 4. The creation of frequent, repetitive or continuous sounds or electronically broadcast signals that is audible beyond seventy-five (75) feet from the source of such sounds or signals emanating from any building, structure, apartment or condominium or grounds of such structures which unreasonably interferes with the peace, comfort and repose of owners or possessors of neighboring or nearby real property such as sounds from musical instruments, audio sound systems, citizens band radio, ham radio and similar apparatus, band sessions or social gatherings.
- Sound from motor vehicle audio sound systems, such as tape players, radio and compact disc players, operated at a volume so as to be audible beyond seventy-five (75) feet from the motor vehicle itself.
- 6. Sound from portable audio equipment such as tape players, radios and compact disc players, and/or videoke/karaoke machines operated at a volume so as to be audible beyond seventy-five (75) feet from the source.
- Sound resulting from the squealing or screeching or such other sounds from motor vehicle tires in contact with the ground or other roadway surface because of rapid acceleration, braking or excessive speed around corners or because of such other reasons. Provided that sounds which result from actions which are necessary to avoid danger or are emergent in nature shall be exempt from this section.
- Sound in excess of 99 decibels emanating from a motorcycle with an after-market muffler, or that has a muffler different from its original factory standard muffler, or that has a modified or damaged muffler

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and produces excessively loud noises, or that was designed to create noise pollution. Provided that: motor vehicles that use stock or factory-built mufflers that are undamaged shall not be covered by this Ordinance.

- 9. Sounds originating from construction sites, including but not limited to sounds from construction equipment, power tools and hammering, between the hours of 5:01 p.m. and 7:59 a.m. on any day.
- Sounds originating from a residential property relating to temporary projects for the maintenance or repair of homes, grounds, and appurtenances, including but not limited to sounds from lawn mowers, vacuum cleaners, or power hand tools, between the hours of six p.m. and eight a.m. on weekdays and seven p.m. and eight a.m. on weekends; and
- 11. Any other sound similar or analogous to the foregoing examples.
- B. "Residential Zones" refer to areas within the City of Bacoor identified and classified as such in the Zoning Ordinance of the City.
- C. "Schools, Colleges and Universities" pertain to institutions of education recognized and certified as such by the Department of Education, by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), or by the local government of the City of Bacoor.
- D. "Hospital" pertains to medical institutions recognized and certified as such by the Department of Health (DOH).
- E. "Place of Worship" refers to any church, mosque, synagogue, or other edifice dedicated to the observance of various religious rites that are certified as such by the Office of the Building Official (OBO) of the City of Bacoor.
- F. "Real Property" refer to parcels of land, houses, condominiums, apartments, or buildings used as dwelling places situated within the City of Bacoor.
- G. "Disaster prevention or disaster preparedness operations" pertains to activities intended to avoid the infliction of any damage or injury, or to mitigate such damage or injury, to people or properties before, during, or after the occurrence of any man-made or natural calamity.
- H. "Decibel" refers to a measure of sound level and is equal to 10 times the logarithm of the square of a measure

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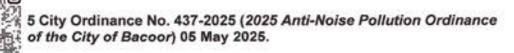
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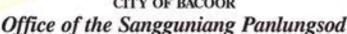
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sound pressure level (SPL) divided by a reference sound pressure. The sound pressure is given in microbars, with the reference pressure taken as 0.0002 microbars that is generally the minimum the human ear can sense.

- "Muffler" pertains to a part of a motor vehicle's exhaust system, serving to muffle the sound of the said mode of transport.
- J. "Noise pollution" shall refer to any loud or excessively disturbing noise that can disturb one's sleep, damage one's hearing, cause vexation, or any sound that exceeds 90 decibels.
- K. "Hobby vehicles" refers to unlicensed motor vehicles, including but not limited to midget racers, all-terrain vehicles, dune buggies, go-carts, and competition pulling farm type tractors.
- L. "Off-Highway Vehicles" (also known as "off road vehicles) refers to a type of transportation specifically engineered to navigate unpaved roads and surfaces.
- M. "Drones" shall refer to an unmanned aircraft piloted from a remote station.
- N. "Aircraft" refers to any machine that can derive support in the atmosphere from the reactions of the air other than the reactions of the air against the earth's surface.
- O. "Vacuum Cleaners" pertains to home appliances used to suck in dust particles and other types of debris from floors, appliances, upholstery, and the like.
- P. "Leaf Blowers" refers to machines that use high pressurized air to push fallen leaves to a particular location for easier disposal.
- Q. "Motor Vehicles" shall mean any vehicle propelled by any power other than muscular power using the public highways, but excepting road rollers, trolley cars, streetsweepers, sprinklers, lawn mowers, bulldozers, graders, fork-lifts, amphibian trucks, and cranes if not used on public highways, vehicles which run only on rails or tracks, and tractors, trailers and traction engines of all kinds used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

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R. "Institution" refers to facility or building in which people are given educational, health, religious, or social services situated within the City of Bacoor such as schools, universities, hospitals, medical centers, colleges. churches, temples, chapels, cemeteries.

Section 3. Exemptions. The foregoing provisions shall neither apply to regularly scheduled events at parks, schools, colleges, universities, churches, mosques, other places of worship, or other public property between the hours of eight a.m. and eight p.m. nor shall it apply to sounds originating from residential property relating to temporary projects for the maintenance or repair of homes, grounds, appurtenances, including but not limited to sounds of lawn mowers, hand power tools, chain saws, vacuum cleaners, or leaf blowers between the hours of eight a.m. and five p.m. Educational or religious institutions that will produce public disturbance noises that will occur beyond the period mentioned in the immediately preceding sentence must apply for exemption in writing to the City Mayor at least two (2) calendar days before the event that will result in the creation of the said noise. The mere submission of the said application for exemption shall not result in the automatic grant thereof by the City Mayor.

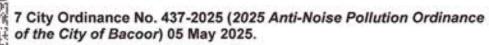
Sounds originating from construction sites, including but not limited to sounds from construction equipment, power tools and hammering between eight a.m. and five p.m. on weekdays and on weekends shall also be exempt. The foregoing sections shall not apply to any public construction projects, emergency construction or repair by public utility agencies, emergency vehicle operation or actions by emergency service providers or any other emergency repair and construction to prevent further damage to persons or property during floods or windstorms or other property or lifethreatening emergencies.

Section 4. Scope. This Ordinance shall cover:

- 4.1. All persons regardless of age or gender who makes public disturbance noises within residential areas or within 50 meters from any school, college, university, hospital or place of worship in the City of Bacoor; and
- 4.2. Any business, institution, or commercial establishment that generate public disturbance noises within residential areas or within 50 meters from any school, college, university, hospital or place of worship in the City of Bacoor.

Power of the HOA to Implement Ordinance Section 5. and Seek Assistance from Barangay Officials and the Bacoor City Police. Aside from employees of the City Government and barangay officials of the City of Bacoor, members of homeowner's associations (HOAs) duly accredited by the Sangguniang







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Panlungsod that were duly deputized by the City Mayor to implement this Ordinance, shall have the power to issue Ordinance Violation Receipts (OVRs) to persons who have violated this Ordinance and to seek the assistance of officials of the barangay/s having jurisdiction over the place where a violation occurred and/or with the Bacoor City Police. The officials of the barangays concerned and the Bacoor City Police are hereby directed to give their immediate and full assistance to the said HOAs whenever needed in a manner that conforms with applicable laws and city ordinances.

Section 6. Reduction/Waiver of Penalties by City Mayor.

 The City Mayor may, motu proprio or upon the recommendation of any member of the Sangguniang Panlungsod including the City Vice Mayor, reduce or waive any penalty to be imposed against any natural or juridical person who may have violated any provision of this Ordinance for valid humanitarian, legal, or logistical reasons. Provided that the said privilege may be availed of only once by any person.

Section 7. Implementing Rules and Regulations. The City Legal Officer shall — in consultation with officers of Homeowners Associations operating within the City of Bacoor appointed in writing by the City Mayor, the City Environment Services Department (CESD), the Bacoor Traffic Management Department (BTMD), the Office of the Building Official (OBO), the City Social Welfare and Development Department (CSWD), City Health Office (CHO), the Zoning and Land Development Department, and other offices of the City Government as may be required by the City Mayor, the officers of the Liga ng mga Barangay, and the City Administrators Office — submit for the approval of the City Mayor the proposed implementing rules and regulations of this Ordinance not later than sixty (60) days from the date of effectivity hereof.

Section 8. Penalty. Any person who violates this Ordinance shall pay a fine of Php 2,500.00 or shall be imprisoned for not less than thirty (30) days but not more than one hundred (100) days, or shall be required to pay the said fine and serve the period of imprisonment mentioned above, upon final determination by a court of law. Provided that: if the offender is a minor, he/she shall be exempted from paying the said fine or from being imprisoned. Provided further that: if the offender is a minor, he/she shall be required to undergo a seminar on maintaining harmonious community relations and on being sensitive to the feelings of others to be conducted by the social workers of the City Social Welfare and Development Office as may be ordered by the appropriate court of law. This Ordinance shall be implemented in conjunction

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with the applicable provisions of City Ordinance No. 228-2022 (the "Uniform Procedure Implementation Ordinance of Bacoor") as amended.

Section 9. Repeal. City Ordinance No. 2014-007, City Ordinance No. 2014-008, City Ordinance No. 5-2014 and all other city ordinances and executive orders inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed and/or modified accordingly.

Section 10. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect after its publication at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Province of Cavite and after copies thereof has been posted in at least three conspicuous places within the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

APPROVED this 5th day of May 2025 by the 5th Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly approved in accordance with law.

Certified by:

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City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

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ABSENT:

HON, ROWENA BAUTISTA-MENDIOLA City Councilor

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2014-007 Series of 2014

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING EXCESSIVE UNNECESSARY AND UNUSUALLY LOUD SOUNDS GENERATED BY VIDEOKE/KARAOKE SYSTEMS OR OTHER SIMILAR EQUIPMENT OR DEVICES WITHIN RESIDENTIAL AREAS AND ALONG PUBLIC STREETS IN BACOOR CITY.

Authored by: Hon. Reynaldo D. Palabrica

Sponsored by: Hon. Bayani M. De Leon

Co-Sponsored by: Han. Avelino B. Solis, Han. Edwin G. Gawaran, Han. Miguel N. Bautista, Han. Reynaldo M. Fabian, Han. Venus D. De Castro, Han. Hernando C. Gutierrez, Han. Gaudencio P. Nolasco, Han. Leandro A. De Leon, Han. Roberto R. Javier, and Han. Victorio L. Guerrero, Jr.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991, states that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and

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effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, some residents of the City of Bacoor are accustomed to using public streets or road sides for private activities or functions, often making use of videoke/karaoke systems, amplified audio devices sheltered in collapsible tents as a form of amusement or recreation;

WHEREAS, the making and creation of excessive, unnecessary or unusually loud sounds from videoke/karaoke systems, or other sound producing devices at unacceptable levels during unholy hours cause serious discomfort and has created numerous complaints and public condemnation;

WHEREAS, the making, creation, or maintenance of such unnecessary, unnatural or unusually loud sounds is detrimental to public health, comfort, convenience, safety, and welfare.

whereas, it is the policy of the City Government of Baccor to protect the welfare of its constituents from excessively loud sounds and inadequately controlled noise which are serious hazards to the public health and safety and is a source of annoyance to the local populace.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BACOOR, THAT;

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to make, continue, or cause to be made, or continue, any excessive, unnecessary or unusually loud sound generated by videoke/karaoke systems or other sound producing devices within residential areas and along public streets or road sides which either annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, health, peace or safety of others within the City of Bacoor.

Section 2. Scope. This Ordinance shall cover:

2.1 All persons regardless of age or gender who makes any excessive, unnecessary, or unusually loud sounds by means of a videake/karaoke system or other amplified audio devices within residential areas in the City of Baccor; and

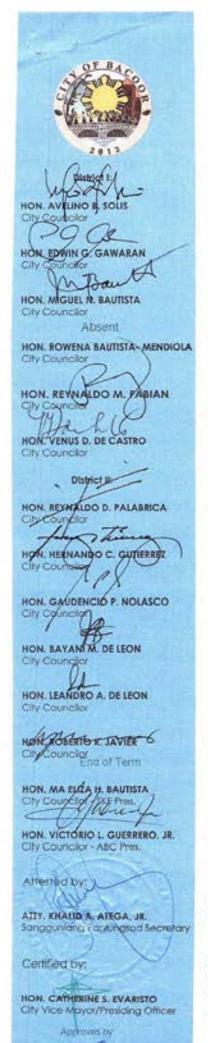
2.2 Any business or commercial establishment located within the City of Bacoar that produces any excessive, unnecessary, or unusually loud sounds whether or not generated by video/karaoke systems.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall mean as follows:

3.1. Disturbing Noise

 Noise which is perceived by a person of ordinary sensibilities as

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interrupting the normal peace and calm of the area;

humans or (b) annoys or disturbs:

- any sound which annoys or disturbs humans or which causes or tend to cause an adverse
- psychological effect on humans:
 any sound which (a) endangers or injures the safety or health of
- Includes any being, natural or juridical, susceptible rights and obligations or being the subject of legal action;
- 3.5. Public Right of Way
 any street, avenue, alley, sidewalk or public space which has been dedicated for use by the general public and the dedication of which has been accepted by a government entity;
- 3.6. Sound Producing

 Device means any machine or equipment that amplifies the human voice, music, or that creates any other sound;
- Noise which is substantially incompatible with the time and location where it was created to the extent that it produces an actual or imminent interference with peace and good order;
- 3.8. Videoke/Karaoke System any audio-video equipment operated and built to produce images and/or lyrics of a song on a television allowing a person to sing along using any electronic device whether for free or for a fee.

Section 4. The following acts shall be declared to be unreasonably loud, disturbing and unnecessary noise in violation of this ordinance.

4.1 The operating, playing or permitting the operation or playing of any radio, cd player, television set, amplified musical instrument, drums, loudspeaker, videoke or karaoke system, or other sound producing device in such manner or with such volume so as to annoy the quiet or comfort of a reasonable person of normal sensitivities in any dwelling or residence or with louder volume than is necessary for



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convenient hearing for the persons who are in the place in which such device is being operated.

4.2 The operation of such equipment, machine or device in such manner as to be plainly audible at a distance of 50 feet from the place in which it is located shall be prima facile evidence of a violation of this ordinance.

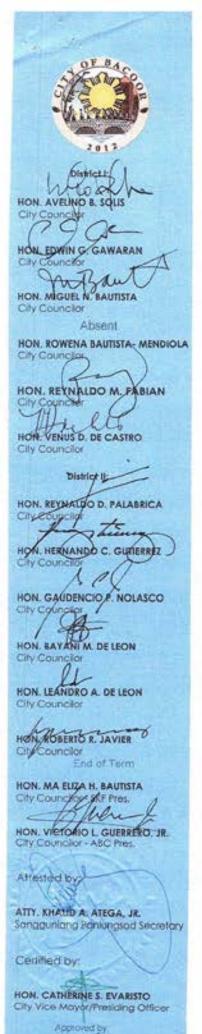
Section 5. In determining whether a sound is unreasonably loud and disturbing, the following factors incident to such noise are to be considered:

- a. Time of the day, proximity to residential structures;
- b. Whether the noise is recurrent, intermittent, or constant;
- c. The volume and intensity:
- d. Whether the noise has been enhanced in volume or range by any type of electronic or mechanical means;
- The character and zonal classification of the area where the sound emonated; and
- Whether the noise is subject to being controlled without unreasonable effort or expense to the creator thereof.

Section 6. Operation and use of videoke/karaoke system and other sound producing devices in public streets or road sides shall be allowed only upon securing of a permit from the Barangay that has jurisdiction over the area and only until 12:00 midnight, Monday to Sunday.

Section 7. Application of Permit. – The following guidelines shall be observed in the issuance of a Permit:

- 7.1 Pursuant to Sec. 6 of this Ordinance, the operation or use of videoke/karaoke system and other amplified audio devices in public streets or road sides shall be allowed only upon securing of a permit from the Barangay that has jurisdiction over the area.
- 7.2. Applicants for a permit to operate or use videoke/karaoke system and other sound producing devices in public streets or road sides, shall complete and fill up an application form and file the same with the Barangay concerned at least five (5) working days prior to the date of the intended activity.
- 7.3. The application shall describe the nature of the intended activity, the type of audio device, the specific location at which such audio device is to be used or operated and such other pertinent information as is necessary for the Barangay to carry out its duties under this section.
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Section 8. Issuance of Permit.

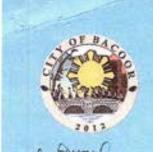
- 8.1. The Punong Barangay or his duly authorized representative shall issue a permit for the operation or use of videoke/karaoke system and other sound producing devices in public streets or road sides, only upon compliance with the provisions of the preceding section.
- 8.2. The permit signed by the Punong Barangay shall describe the nature of the intended activity, specific location and type of audio device to be used or operated there under, and the period of time for which such device may be operated. It shall specify such other terms and conditions as are essential to secure and protect the public safety.
- Section 9. Restrictions. The Barangay shall not issue a permit for the operation or use of videoke/karaoke system and other amplified audio devices:
- 9.1. at any location within 200 meters of a school or place of worship during school hours or schedule of worship respectively, or within 200 meters of any hospital or other institution caring for the sick or infirm;
- 9.2. at any location where the Barangay, upon investigation, shall determine that the conditions of vehicular or pedestrian traffic or both are such that the use of a public street or road side will constitute serious hazards to the safety and comfort of pedestrians or vehicle operators; or
- 9.3. at any location where the Barangay, upon investigation, shall determine that the conditions of overcrowding or other physical conditions are such that the use of public street or road side will deprive the public of the reasonable right to safe and peaceful enjoyment of any public street or other public place.

Section 10. Enforcement and Abatement.

- 10.1. It is the duty of the Barangay and the Bacoor City Police to enforce the provisions of this ordinance.
- 10.2. Any person or person(s) who violates the provisions of this ordinance shall receive a verbal order to cease or abate the loud sounds generated from videoke/karaoke system or other amplified audio device immediately or within a reasonable time period, provided however, that if the violation is deemed to be excessive, the Barangay authorities need not issue a verbal reprimand to cease or abate the loud sound, but may in lieu thereof charge the offending person or person(s) with violation of this ordinance.

HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA

City Mayor



HON. AVELINO B. SOLIS

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Section 11. Penal Provision. Any person who violates this ordinance shall be meted a fine of One Thousand Pesas (P 1,000.00), or imprisonment at the discretion of the proper court.

Section 12. Separability Clause. Let copies of this Ordinance be furnished the Bacoor PNP, all the 73 barangays of this City, and other concerned offices for their information, guidance and reference.

Section 13. Effectivity Clause. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places within the City of Baccor.

ENACTED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Baccor this 3rd day of February 2014.

I hereby certify the truth and correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

Certified By:

HON. CATHERINE S. EVARISTO
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

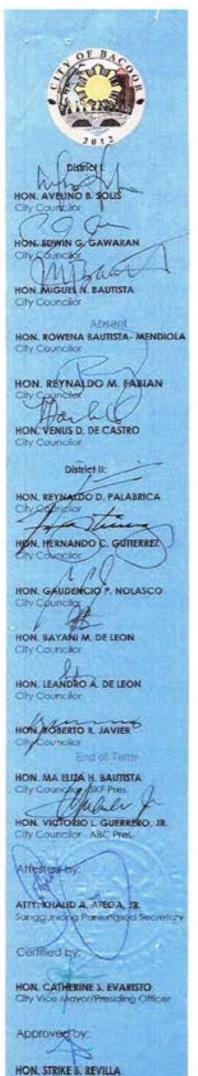
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CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2014-008 Series of 2014

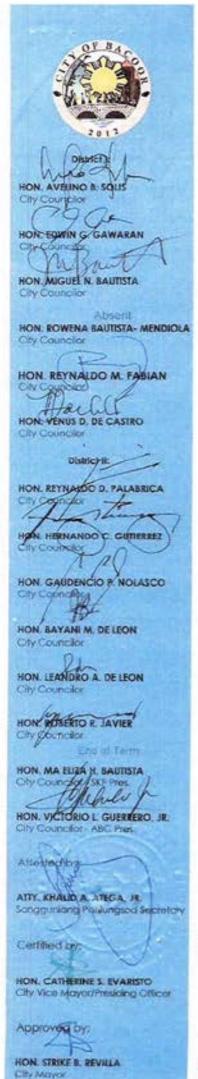
AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF MOTOR VEHICLES THAT PRODUCE EXCESSIVELY LOUD AND DISTURBING NOISE WITHIN THE CITY OF BACOOR.

Authored by: Hon. Reynaldo D. Palabrica

Sponsored by: Hon. Miguel N. Bautista, Hon. Venus D. De Castro, Hon. Bayani M. De Leon, Hon. Leandro A. De Leon, Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian, Hon. Edwin G. Gawaran, Hon. Victorio L. Guerrero, Jr., Hon. Hernando C. Gutierrez, Hon. Roberto R. Javier, Hon. Gaudencio P. Nolasco, and Hon. Avelino B. Solis.

WHEREAS. local government units such as the City of Bacoor are mandated by law to promote the general welfare and maintain peace and order within its territorial jurisdiction.

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod received
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numerous complaints from various barangays regarding the excessively loud and disturbing noise produced by some motor vehicles that disturb the peace and create noise pollution.

WHEREAS, public hearings conducted by the city council on the said complaints revealed that majority of the residents of the City of Baccor would like to see the immediate approval of an ordinance addressing the above-mentioned issue.

NOW THEREFORE, upon motion of Councilor Reynaldo D. Palabrica, unanimously approved by all the councilors present, BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in regular session assembled that:

Section 1. Title.—This Ordinance shall also be known as the "2014 Anti Motor Vehicle Noise Pollution Ordinance of the City of Bacoor".

Section 2. Ban Against Noise Pollution Produced By Motor Vehicles. – The City of Baccor hereby prohibits the creation of noise pollution by any motor vehicle within its territorial jurisdiction. Consequently, no motor vehicle without a muffler, or that has a muffler different from its original factory standard muffler, or that has a damaged muffler and produces excessively loud noises, or that was designed to create noise pollution shall be allowed to operate within the City of Baccor.

Section 3. Definition of Terms.-- The following terms, as used in this Ordinance, shall mean:

- a) Motor vehicle shall refer to any transport vehicle that runs on an engine such as motorcycles, tricycles, motorized pedicabs, kuliglig, cars, jeepneys, trucks, and other similar modes of transportation;
- b) Noise pollution shall refer to any loud or excessively disturbing noise that can disturb one's sleep, damage one's hearing, cause vexation, or any sound that exceeds 60 decibels.

Section 4. Penalties. - The following penalties shall be imposed against anyone who shall violate this Ordinance:

First offense Fine of P2,500,00

Second offense Fine of P3.500.00

Third offense Fine of P5.000.00

Fourth offense Fine of P5.000.00 or imprisonment of not more

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than ten (10) days or both upon the discretion of the proper court of law.

Section 5. Separability Clause. - It, for any reason or reasons, any part of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 6. Repealing Clause. - All Ordinances, resolutions, Circulars, Memorandums or Rules and regulations inconsistent with the provision of this Code are hereby repealed and modified accordingly.

Section 7. Implementing Rules. - The City Mayor is hereby empowered to direct the formulation of the implementing rules and guidelines of this Ordinance. Provided: that the said rules and guidelines should not be contrary to the provisions hereof.

Section 8. Effectivity Clause. - This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places within the City of Bacoor.

ADOPTED this 3rd day of February 2014 at the City of Baccor, Cavite in regular session assembled.

i hereby certify the truth and correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

Certified by:

HON. CATHERINE S. EVARISTO City Vice Mayor/ Presiding Officer

Attested by:

ATTY. KHALID A. ATEGA, JR.

Sangguigiang Plantungsod Secretary

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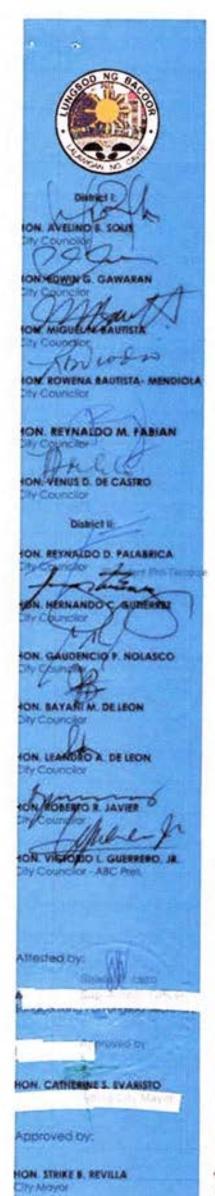
Approved by:

HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA City Mayor.

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2014-008 ALSO KNOWN AS THE "ANTI-MOTOR VEHICLE NOISE POLLUTION ORDINANCE OF 2014".

Authored by Hon. Reynaldo D. Palabrica

Sponsored by: Hon. Miguel N. Bautista, Hon. Rowena Bautista-Mendiola, Hon. Venus de Castro, Hon. Bayani M. de Lean, Hon. Leandro A. de Leon, Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian, Hon. Edwin G. Gawaran, Hon. Victorio L. Guerrero, Jr., Hon. Hernando C. Gutierrez, Hon. Robert R. Javier, Hon. Gaudencio P. Nolasco, and Hon. Avelino B. Solis

WHEREAS pursuant to Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the Sangguniang Parlungsod of Baccor eriacted City Ordinance No. 2014-008. Series at 2014 otherwise known as 12014 Anti-Mator Vehicle Noise Pallution Ordinance of the City at Baccor":



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WHEREAS, there is a need to amend the said ordinance to make. It more effective in eradicating noise pollution caused by motor vehicles:

Ordinance, the City Mayor is empowered to direct the formulation of the implementing rules and guidelines of such Ordinance, provided that the said rules and guidelines should not be contrary to the provisions thereof. Notwithstanding the clear meaning of the said provision, many motorists still question the validity of the implementing rules and guidelines that the City Mayor promulgated following the date of effectivity of City Ordinance No. 2014-008 leading to altercations between erring motorists and the traffic management afficers tasked to implement the said ordinance.

WHEREAS in order to prevent future misunderstanding implementing rules and guidelines shall clarify and explain the provisions of the subject Ordinance in order to achieve harmony or congrulty with other existing laws and rules and regulations:

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion of Hon. Bayani M. De Leon duly approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoar in regular session assembled that:

Section 1. Title. - This shall be known as the "Revised 2014 Anti-Motor Vehicle Noise Pollution Ordinance of the City of Bacoor".

Section 2. – Declaration of Policy – [a] It is the declared policy of the State to promote the general welfare and protect the environment to attain sustainable development:

(b) The City Government of Baccor shall ensure and support, as well as preserve the comfort and convenience of its inhabitants and deal with environmental problems within its ferritorial jurisdiction.

(c) The City Government of Baccor, in compliance with Section 1.2 at DENR DAO — 30 Series of 1992, otherwise known as the "Guidelines for the Transfer and Implementation of DENR Functions Devolved to the Local Government units", shares with the national government particularly the DENR, the responsibility in the sustainable management and development of the environment and natural resources within



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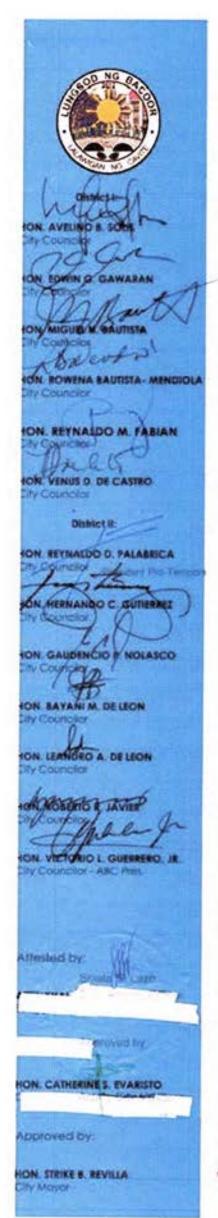
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its territorial jurisdiction, including the abatement of noise and other forms of nuisance as defined by law:

- (d) The City Government of Baccor considers noise pollution or unapated noise as a public nuisance disturbing not only the guditory nerves but also even the emotional and psychological well—being of persons:
- (e) The City Government of Baccor considers the excessively loud noise such as those arising from motor. venicles, as a cause of initiation in a community and within the neighborhood; and
- (f) The City Government of Baccor recognizes that it is a right of every human being to have a peaceful environment. and to have a good night's sleep—a right that should be upheld by the State.
- Section 3. Definition of Terms, The following terms, as used in this Ordinance, shall mean:
- Decibel is a measure of sound level and is equal to 10. a) times the logarithm of the square of a measure sound pressure level (SPL) divided by a reference sound pressure. The sound pressure is given in microbars, with the reference pressure taken as 0.0002 microbars that is generally the minimum the human car can serse.
- b) Decibel "A" (dBA) is the measure of the total sound level when using the "A" level network.
- Emergency means a public calamity or an exposure of any person of property to imminent danger,
- d Level means the total sound level of all noise at measured with a sound level meter using "A" weighing network. The unit of measurement is the Decibel "A"
- Motor vehicle shall refer to any transport vehicle that el. runs on an engine such as motorcycles, tricycles, motorized pedicabs, kullalia, cars, jeepneys, trucks, and other similar modes of transportation:
- Muffler a part of a motor vehicle's exhaust system, serving to mulfie the sound of the vehicle.

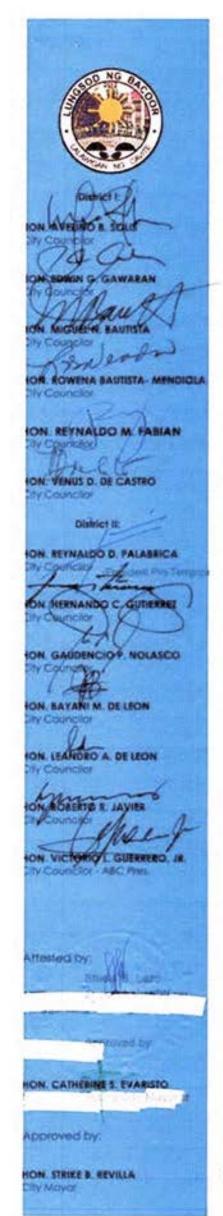


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- [9] Noise means as enatic, intermittent or statistically random oscillation of sound waves, or any unwanted sound.
- h) Noise-sensitive Zones are areas within the City of Baccor where naise levels shall be regulated under this Ordinance in order to prevent noise pollution and preserve public tranquility.
- Noise pollution shall refer to any loud or excessively disturbing noise that can disturb one's sleep, damage ane's hearing, cause vexation, or any sound that exceeds 90 decibels.
- Sound means an oscillation in pressure, stress particle displacement, particle velocity, etc., in a mealum whose internal forces (e.g. elastic, viscous) of the superposition of such propagated oscillation which evokes an auditory sensation.
- k) Sound Level Meter means any instrument including a microphone, an amplifier, an output meter, and frequency weighing networks for the measurement of noise and sound level
- Sound Pressure Level (SPL), in decibals means sound level that is 20 times the logarithm to the base 10, of the ratio of the pressure of the sound to the reference pressure, 2 x 10-4 microbars.
- Sound Reproduction Device means any device intended primarily for the production or reproduction of sound including, but not limited to, any multier, car stereo, radio receiver, or sound amplifying system.
- n) Sound Signal Device means a device designed to produce a sound signal when operated, including but not limited to, any claxan, air horn, whistle, ball, going, siren, but not as an emergency signal device.
- of Unnecessary Noise means any excessive or unusually laud sound, or any sound that annays, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort repose, health, peace, or safety of a person, or which poses injury to plant or animal life, or damage to property or business.
- p) Weighing Network means the frequency response of a sound level meter, the purpose of which is to provide a means of compensating for variation in the response of the human ear to frequency and intensity.



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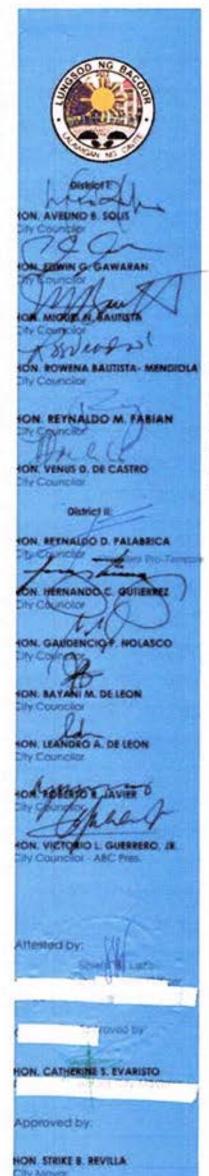
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Section 4. Ban Against Noise Pollution Produced By Motor Vehicles. – The City of Baccor prohibits the creation of noise pollution by any motor vehicle within its territorial jurisdiction.

Section 5. Prohibited Acts, - The following shall constitute as prohibited acts publishable under the subject Ordinance:

- 5.1. No motor vehicle without a muffler, or that has a muffler different from its original factory standard muffler, or that has a modified or damaged muffler and produces excessively loud noises, or that was designed to create riose poliution, shall be allowed to operate within the City of Bacook. A digital image of the vehicle showing that it has no muffler or that it has a modified or damaged muffler shall constitute proof of violation of this provision.
- 5.2. No person shall operate, use, or cause to operate any sound reproduction device for any of the following purposes:
 - 5.2.1. To operate any motor vehicle, which produces excessively loud and disturbing noise while parked on any public street park, place or other structure within the City of Bacoor, except incidental sounds for which a permit has been issued:
 - 5:2.2. To operate any motor vehicle that creates unnecessary noise, except when the noise is a result of the operation or use of any clasion or air hom installed in a motor vehicle to sand imminent danget or
 - 5.2.3. No person shall operate a motor vehicle that causes or permits the greation of any unnecessary noise through the use of any device on any street adjacent to churches, hospitals, schools, and courts of justice or places of residence.
- Section 6, Noise-Sensitive Zones. The following areas are considered as noise-sensitive zones within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Baccook
- 6.1. Class A a section or configurus area that requires quietness, such as areas within 100 meters from school sites, churches, hospitals, courts of justice, funeral homes, special homes for the aged and other similar institutions.



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 6.2. Class E – a section or contiguous area that is primarily used for residential purposes.

6.3 Class C - a section or configuous area that is primarily a commercial and industrial area.

Section 7. Allowable Noise Levels - The maximum allowable noise levels in all areas shall be as indicated below:

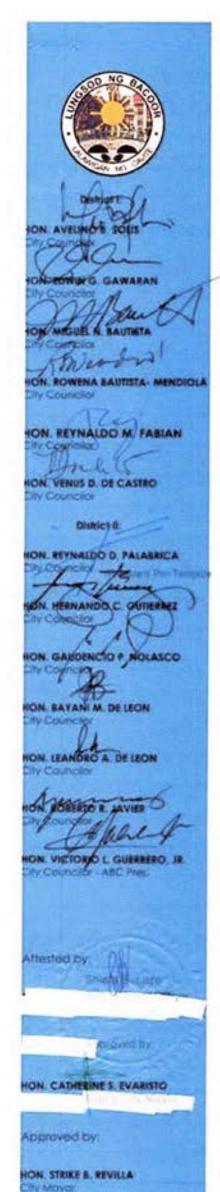
Category of Area	Morning 5:01-8:00 AM	Daytime -8:01 AM -6:00 PM	Evening 6:01 10:00 PM	10:01PM 5:00 AM
/A	70 db	89 ob	80db	70 db
В	70 ap	89 db	80 db	70 db
	85 db	99 db	85 db	70 db

Section 8. Measurement of Noise Level.

8.1. Noise level shall be measured by a standard sound level meter that meets the specifications of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) \$1.4 1971, or other specifications accepted by the City Health Office. The weighing network with "A" characteristics shall be used for measurement.

8.2. The method of measurement of noise shall be as follows:

- 8.2.1. The sound level reading shall be obtained by a sound level meter on a 45-degree angle with respect to the longitudinal axis of the muffler and it shall be at least 0.5 meter away from the tip of the pipe. The sound level shall be the figure indicated where the indicator shows no fluctuations or only small fluctuations.
- 8.2.2. Where the indicator of a sound level meter records periodic or intermittent fluctuations with the highest peaks almost regular, the average figure shall be recorded.
- 8.2.3. Where the indicator of a sound level meter records the higher end of the 90 percent range, the laverage of the levels shall be recorded.
 - 8.2.4. The result of the sound level reading shall printed or otherwise documented by the



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apprehending afficer to constitute proof of violation of this provision.

Section 9. Penalties - The following penalties shall be finposed against anyone who shall violate the subject Ordinance:

First affense Second affense Third affense Fourth affense

Fine of Php2.500.00 Fine of Php3.500.00 Fine of Php5.000.00 Fine of Php5.000.00 or

Imprisonment of not more than ten (18) days or both upon the discretion of the proper court of law.

Section 10. Separability Clause — if for any reason or reasons, any part of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 11. Repealing Clause -All Ordinances. Resolutions, Circulars Memorandums or Rules and Regulations inconsistent with the provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed and modified accordinals.

Section 12 Effectivity Clause. – This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places within the City of Bacoor and after it has been published once in a newspaper of general circulation within the Province of Cavite.

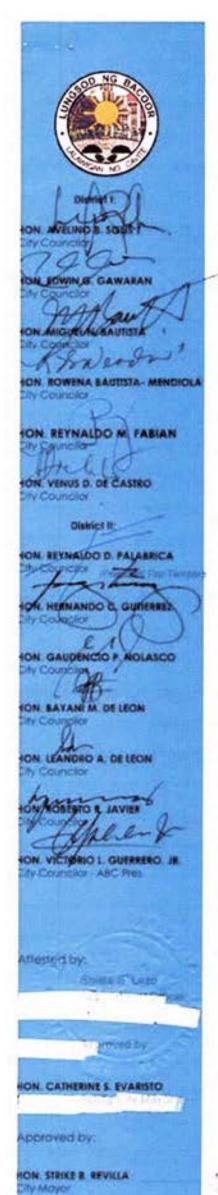
Approved this 167 day of June 2014 at the City of Baccar, Cavite.

I hereby certify that the taregoing Ordinance has been duly approved and the contents hereof are true and carrect.

Certified by:

HON, REYNALDO D. PALABRICA

Cir Courcilor/ President Pro-Tempore/
Acting Presiding Officer



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Approved by:

HON. CATHERINE SARINO-EVARISTO

Acting City Mayor