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8th COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-03
Series of 2019 (39)

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 05 – 09 SERIES OF 2005 ENTITLED “AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND USE OF SALT IN THE CITY OF PARAÑAQUE, IMPOSING A PENALTY FOR ANY VIOLATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, BY REVISING PENAL PROVISION

WHEREAS, Republic Act 8172 An Act Promoting Salt Iodization Nationwide and for Related Purposes (1985). Universal Salt Iodized (USI) target 905 of household using adequately iodized salt by 2016. The diamond Sangkap Pinoy Seal will be awarded by FDA to compliant salt products bearing 30-70 ppm (parts per million). This can be ensured through testing with combined regulations and monitoring by LGUs;

WHEREAS, The purpose of this act to contribute to the elimination of micronutrient malnutrition in the country, particularly iodine deficiency disorders, through the cost-effective preventive measure of salt iodization and require all producers/ manufacturers of food-grade salt to iodize the salt they produce, manufacture, import, trade or distribute;

WHEREAS, Iodine Deficiency is considered one of the most important health issues in the Philippine since it reportedly affects one's IO Development, mental retardation, neonatal death rate, reproduction failure, deaf mutation, squint. This can be easily and economically address through iodized salt iodization. Salt was identified as the media by delivering iodine because most people have access and eat salt in small quantities every day, enough to achieve the required iodine intake. Studies show that population adequate intake have 10-15 IO points higher than those with inadequate intake.

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WHEREAS, The Department of Health today launches Sangkap Pinoy's SAKTONG Iodine SA ASIN, a quality seal to table to address Iodine Deficiency - a major public health problem in the Philippines. Iodine is an important micronutrient needed by the body to address the optimum physical development.

WHEREAS, The 2013 National Nutrition Survey (NNS) showed that among 6-12 years old, 16.4% have mild to moderate Iodine Deficiency - which is an improvement for 2008 NNS of 19.7%. Also, the proportion of households using iodized salt is only 71% of which only 25% is using adequately - iodized salt. This explains the continuing existence of Iodine Deficiency Disorder across the vulnerable target population. Similarly, 5 out of 10 pregnant women and 6 out of 10 lactating mothers are in the same situation.

NOW, THEREFORE:

BE ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in session duly assembled that:

SECTION 1. TITLE - That this Ordinance shall known as "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING, DISPOSITON AND THE USE OF ADEQUATELY IODIZED SALT IN THE CITY OF PARAÑAQUE, IMPOSING A PENALTY FOR ANY VIOLATION THEREOF AND OTHER PURPOSES.

SECTION 2. All manufacturers, producers, importers and trade of salt are hereby required to supply adequately iodized salt in wholesale or retail in the market intended for human consumption. For purposes of this ordinance, industrial salt mean salt used in the treatment, processing and/or manufacture of non - food commercial products

SECTION 3. All commercial establishment such as restaurant, hospital, caterer, kitchenette, school canteen, carinderia and other entities which are selling foods to the public are hereby required to use only iodized salt in the preparation of their food/menu

SECTION 4. Failure to comply with the quality specifications and labelling requirements prescribe in the standard shall mean a violation of the provision on adulteration and misbranding under Section 14 and 15 of RA3720, otherwise known as Food, Drugs and Cosmetics Act, as amended, and the relevant provision of RA 7394 otherwise known as the Consumer Act of the Philippines

SECTION 5. Iodized salt shall be distributed and sold according to the principle of first in, first out. Iodized salt sold at retail or final distribution points beyond twelve (12) months from date of iodization shall be considered expired.

SECTION 6. All food outlets, supermarket, groceries, sari-sari stores, markets and talipapa are hereby required to make available for sale to customers only adequately iodized salt in their establishment upon effectively of this ordinance.

SECTION 7. The FDA shall allow the use of the new "SAKTONG Iodine SA ASIN" Seal in the label of adequately Iodized Salt, based on the following guidelines.

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All manufacturer / importers / distribution / repackers / trade of iodized Salt should submit the following requirement prior to use of new DSPS logo;

- a. Application letter stating the intended change
- b. Clear and complete copy of existing label/s
- c. Clear and complete copy of label/s reflecting the new SAKTONG Iodine SA ASIN seal.

SECTION 8. For labels without existing DSPS, the manufacturers, importer's, distributors, repackers, trade, of iodized salt shall first apply with FDA prior to use of new seal, following the guidelines on administrative Order 825 2003 (Guidelines on the Granting of Diamond Sangkap Pinoy Seal to manufacturers of Fortified products). The quality seal will serve as guide to consumers in identifying and purchasing adequately iodized salt also known as "SAKTO Iodine SA ASIN".

SECTION 9. any person who shall violate this ordinance shall be liable to penal provision of the City Ordinance No. 17 -11 of the City of Parañaque with the Public Market officers as the one who are authorized to confiscate salt sold in the market and penalized the violators, the penalties are as follows:

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| 1 st Offense - | Fine of Php 2,000.00 |
| 2 nd Offense - | Fine of Php 3, 000.00 |
| 3 rd Offense - | Revocation of Sanitary Permit / the offender is a judicial person, the President, Gen. Manager or Person -in -charge be liable thereof. |

SECTION 10. Separability Clause - If, for any reason, any part of this Ordinance is invalidated by a Court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining portion of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 11. Repealing Clause - All other ordinances, resolution, measures, orders, issuances, rules and regulation which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 12. Effectivity - This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen days (15) after its publication.

Enacted this 11th day of Feb., 2021 at the City of Parañaque.

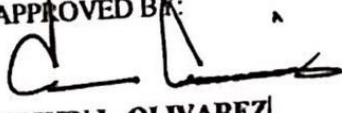
CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

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Presiding Officer City Vice Mayor

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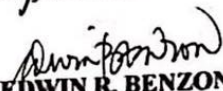

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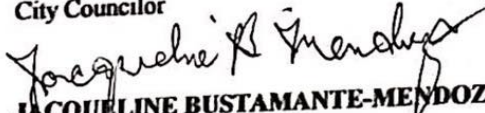
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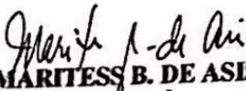

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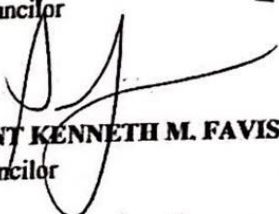

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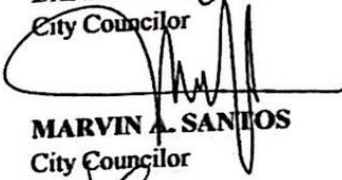

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

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