

ORDINANCE NO. 98-008

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 98-08, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ISKOLAR NG BAYAN ORDINANCE", PROVIDING ADDITIONAL INCENTIVES TO SCHOLARS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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WHEREAS, Article 14, Sec. 1 of the 1987 Constitution provides for the protection and promotion of the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible to all;

WHEREAS, pursuant to R.A. 7160 (5) (xi), the City Council has created the 'Iskolar ng Bayan' program providing free college education at the Muntinlupa Polytechnic College for the poor but deserving students of Muntinlupa.

WHEREAS, the "Iskolar ng Bayan" program which took effect last June still needs to be strengthened by lowering the general average and by providing additional incentives to poor but deserving students;

WHEREAS, the rationale behind the amendments is to provide high school graduates wider access and opportunity to college education which is one of the priorities of the Fresnedi administration;

WHEREAS, it has been noted that in the past several years, there is an alarming increase in the number of high school graduates who could not afford to pursue college education due to acute financial difficulties;

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NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa in session assembled the following:

Section 1. QUALIFICATION. Sec. 2 of Ordinance No. 98-08 shall be amended to read as follows: "Lahat ng mag-aaral ng Muntinlupa na magtatapos ng "High School" na may grado na walumpung bahagdan pataas (80% and above) sa kabuuan (average) at walang mababa sa walumpung bahagdan (80%) sa bawat "subject" ay pinagkakalooban ng libreng pag-aaral sa Muntinlupa Polytechnic College (MPC),

Section 2. BENEFITS. Sec. 6 of the said Ordinance No. 98-08 shall be amended by adding another paragraph to read as follows: "Bukod sa libreng gastusin na nakasaad sa Sek.6, may dagdag na insentibo na ibibigay bawat semestre tulad ng: P 1,000 uniform allowance, P 1,000 travel allowance at P 1,000 book allowance, sa lahat ng mag-aaral na magtatapos ng High School na may grado na walumpu't limang bahagdan pataas (85% and above) sa kabuuan (average) at walang mababa sa walumpung bahagdan (80%) sa bawat subject".

Section 3. ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATION. The qualified students must possess the following additional qualification to be eligible as scholars:

a. Pass the entrance examinations

b. Resident of Muntinlupa City certified by the Chairman of the Barangay where he/she is a resident or by a Councilor of the District where he/she is a resident, a registered voter or any other evidence showing he/she is a bonafide resident of Muntinlupa City

c. Form 137

d. Income Tax Return of Parents if working

Sworn Statement of Parents if not paying income taxes

Section 4. SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE. A "Scholarship Committee" is hereby created composed of the Dean of the Muntinlupa Polytechnic College (MPC) as Chairman and the School Registrar, a representative from the Mayor's Office, a representative from the Sangguniang Panlungsod, and the City School Division Superintendent, as members to screen qualified applicants.

Section 5. CONFIRMATION BY SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD. The Scholarship Committee shall submit for confirmation a formal report containing the list of qualified scholars at least two weeks prior to the start of the semester.

Section 6. BUDGET. The budget shall be taken from the income derived from the collection of fees from the Alabang Jeepney Terminal.

Section 7. EFFECTIVITY. This ordinance shall take effect in the school year 1999-2000 which shall start in June 1999.

ADOPTED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muritinlupa this 12 October 1998, on its 14th Regular Session

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I HEREBY CERTIFY as to the correctness of this Resolution.

Secretary

City Council

ATTESTED:

VICENTE Y. CHUA Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ATTY. JAIMER. FRESN

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