



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 41st REGULAR SESSION OF THE 8th SANGGUNANG BAYAN OF DUMINGAG, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL ON July 15, 2014.

OFFICERS/MEMBERS	POSITION	PRESENT	ABSENT	OB	OL
Hon. Michael F. Morpos	Mun. Vice Mayor	—/—	—	—	—
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Hon. Agustin M. Adapon, Sr.	SB Member	—/—	—	—	—
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Ordinance No. 7, s. 2014

AN AMENDATORY ORDINANCE STANDARDIZING THE SERVICES AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL SLAUGHTERHOUSE AND PENALIZING ANY VIOLATIONS THEREOF OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "ABATTOIR ACT OF 1996."

Be it enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Dumingag, Zamboanga del Sur in session assembled:

ARTICLE I

Title, Legal Basis, Scope And Purpose and Definition of Terms

Section I. TITLE.

"An Ordinance Standardizing The Services And Improvements Of The Municipal Slaughterhouse And Providing Penalty For Any Violation Thereof."

Section II. LEGAL BASIS.

Pursuant to Section 5 of Article 100 of the Local Government Code of 1991, the Sangguniang Bayan has the duties and responsibilities to approve ordinances which shall ensure the efficient and effective delivery of basic services and facilities to the people.

Section III. SCOPE AND PURPOSE.

This ordinance shall apply to all forty-four (44) barangays in this municipality to:

1. Ensure the meat fit for human consumption
2. Minimize the spread of communicable diseases
3. Monitor and diagnose animal diseases occurred
4. Record the number of heads slaughtered per month and submitted to the National Meat Inspection Commission (NMIC) including the number of hot meat slaughtered
5. Additional income of the LGU

Section IV. DEFINITION OF TERMS.

For the purposes of this ordinance, the following terms are defined as follows:

- a. **MEAT INSPECTOR** - an employee who has knowledge/skills/trained on meat inspection work.
- b. **ABATTOIR OR SLAUGHTERHOUSE** - means a place where animal are slaughtered for human consumption.
- c. **ANTE-MORTEM INSPECTION** - an inspection of animals prior to be slaughtered.
- d. **POST-MORTEM INSPECTION** - an inspection of animals after slaughtered.
- e. **LICENSED BUTCHERS** - a skilled, trained or experience butcher certified by the LGU Dumingag who slaughtered meat.
- f. **MEAT VAN** - An official vehicle used to transport good meat from the slaughter house to the public market/meat shops/consuming individual.
- g. **TOWN PROPER** - is defined in this ordinance as the four (4) corners of the town namely, Mango Street, Quezon Boulevard, Jose Abad Santos Street and Copper Streets, including newly opened extension streets by the barangay/municipal government provided, this shall not exceed to one (1) kilometer from the mentioned streets.

ARTICLE II Personnel and Duties

Section V. MEAT INSPECTOR.

There shall be a meat inspector hired for this purpose and perform duties relevant to his job description.

- a. Conduct meat inspection in the municipal slaughterhouse and in the makeshift slaughterhouse in the barangay everytime there is schedule for slaughtering of animals.
- b. Follow the technical meat inspection procedure and requirements to ensure the meat fit for human consumption.
- c. Conduct ante and post mortem inspection
- d. Enforce measures in condemning sick animals, isolate suspected sick animal and ensure proper disposal of the hot meat.
- e. Manage and supervise personnel assigned/detailed in the slaughterhouse
- f. Ensure in maintaining the cleanliness and impose properly the sanitation and control measures.
- g. Monitor the slaughtering outside slaughterhouse.
- h. Check and ensure that all documents of the animals prior to slaughtering are properly complied with.
- i. Submit monthly report to the National Meat Inspection Commission (NMIC) and Office of the Municipal Mayor through Municipal Treasurer's Office the number of slaughtered animals per month including slaughtered hot meat.
- j. Ensure that good meat should be marked "PASSED" with a facsimile before disposing to the consuming public.
- k. Recommend to the Municipal Mayor through the Municipal Treasurer for the development/improvements of the operation and maintenance of the slaughterhouse

Section VI. CARETAKER/CUSTODIAN.

There shall be a hired caretaker/custodian for the following purposes:

- a. Take charge of the slaughterhouse and its premises and maintain its cleanliness and sanitation.
- b. Ensure that the tools used by the butchers be cleaned including the tub, cutting plate and tables.
- c. Take charge of all properties within slaughterhouse premises.
- d. Render regular report to the Municipal Treasurer through the Meat Inspector regarding the development and status of the slaughterhouse and pigpens.
- e. Open and lock the door of the slaughterhouse.
- f. Ensure that the weighing scale is always functional at all times.

Section VII. LICENSED BUTCHERS.

There shall be licensed butchers authorized to transact slaughtering work and shall be:

1. Skilled, well-trained or experienced.
2. Duly licensed by the Local Government Unit of Dumingag and have secured Mayor's Permit.
3. Responsible enough to do his job and willing to abide rules and policies of the slaughterhouse.
4. Not necessarily be a government employee.

Section VIII. TAX COLLECTOR

There shall be a tax collector assigned from the Treasurer's Office in everyday activity of the Municipal Slaughterhouse to issue an official receipt and collect slaughter fees and charges.

ARTICLE III Facilities and Fees

Section IX. PIGPENS / CORRALS/POULTRY CAGES:

There shall be provided pigpens, corrals and poultry cages for safekeeping of animals prior to slaughter.

Section X. MEAT VAN.

Meat Van is provided for all customers to ensure that no switching of meat will occur and good meat is free from contamination along the way prior to disposal to the consuming public. The meat van shall be cleaned and sanitized well before delivering the meat to destinations.

Section XI. MEAT VAN DRIVER.

There shall be designated/official meat van driver for this purpose to ensure no switching of meat along the way to the destination point which bears the following qualifications:

1. Professional driver's license holder
2. Particular in sanitation and control measures
3. Not necessarily be a government employee

Section XII. ROASTING SHADE.

There shall be provided a roasting shade/area to cater the order of our consuming public of roasted pig (lechon). Cleanliness and sanitation must be observed in this area.

Section XIII. FEES.

There shall be regulated fees imposed for the continuity and sustainability of the operation and maintenance of the slaughterhouse.

- A. Permit fee to slaughter** – before any animal is slaughtered for public or home consumption, a permit therefore shall be secured from the Municipal Treasurer's Office or his duly authorized collector upon application for slaughter.

Animal per head	Public consumption	Home consumption
Large cattle	P 75.00	P 60.00
Hog, Goat, Sheep	P30.00	P 20.00
Fowls	P 5.00	P 2.00

- B. Slaughter fee (dressed weight)**

Animal per kilo	Public consumption	Home consumption
Large cattle	P5.00	P 3.00
Hog, Goat, Sheep	P3.00	P 2.00
Fowls	P 2.00	P 1.00

- C. Ante-Mortem and Post-Mortem fee per head**

Animal	Public consumption	Home consumption
Large cattle	P5.00	P 5.00
Hog, Goat, Sheep	P3.00	P 3.00
Fowls	P 2.00	P 2.00

- D. Meat Van fee**

a. Public Market delivery		
pig	P25.00/head	
large cattle	P40.00/head	
poultry	P 2.00/head	

b. Household delivery: (town proper/streets only)		
pig	P30.00/head	
large cattle	P50.00/head	

c. Outside town proper (Town Expansion)		
pig	P40.00/head	
large cattle	P60.00/head	

- E. Roasting shade rental**

pig	P5.00/head	
cattle	P25.00/head	

- F. Pigpen, cage and corral fee**

Hogs/goat/sheep	P2.00/day	
Cattle	P10.00/day	
fowls	P1.00/day	

ARTICLE IV

Regulatory Measures, Administrative, Penal Provisions and Implementing Agency

Section XIV. REGULATORY MEASURES.

In order to maintain and ensure the safeguard of the consuming public, a standard regulation must be implemented in continuing the operations of the slaughterhouse, to wit:

- A.** No slaughtering is permitted outside the slaughterhouse concerned.
- B.** Slaughterhouse Personnel shall be held liable administratively for any loss of animals or meat, switching of meat, losses of tools and equipment and violation of the following rules:
- No animals shall be slaughtered until it has passed the Ante-mortem inspection and other requirements in slaughtering.
 - No slaughtering is permitted outside the slaughterhouse.
 - All personnel concerned shall be held liable for any violation of this rule and/or losses of animals or slaughtered meat, switching of meat, losses of tools and equipment.
 - Unlicensed butchers shall not be permitted to slaughter animals in the slaughterhouse.

- In case of large cattle, no slaughtering shall be done without complete documents, including the certification issued and signed by the Municipal Agriculturist in the absence of a Veterinary Officer.
- Suspected pregnant animals shall be inspected/palpated first prior to slaughtering.
- Meat Van shall be used to deliver dressed animal (good meat) only.
- Hot meat shall be automatically forfeited in favor of the Municipal Government and shall be intensively disposed of according to the Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) to avoid the spreading of virus and communicable diseases.
- Permit to slaughter shall not be granted nor the corresponding fee collected on animals condemned by the Municipal Meat Inspector.

Section XV. PENAL PROVISIONS.

Animal owners and persons involved in the commission of any violation shall be fined:

1 st offense	One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P 1,500.00)
2 nd offense	Two Thousand Pesos (P 2,000.00)
3 rd and subsequent offenses	Two Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P 2,500.00)

Butchers engaged in slaughtering of animals outside the slaughterhouse shall likewise be fined in the amount of P1,000.00.

Section XVI. IMPLEMENTING AGENCY.

The Municipal Mayor, through the Municipal Treasurer and in coordination with the Municipal Health Officer, Municipal Veterinary Officer (if there's any) and the Municipal Agriculture Officer shall monitor the implementation of this ordinance. The personnel of the slaughterhouse headed by the Meat Inspector shall be the frontline in implementing this ordinance.

ARTICLE V - FINAL PROVISIONS

Separability, Repealing and Effectivity Clause

Section XVII. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.

Any part or provision of this ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions not affected thereby shall continue in full force and effect.

Section XVIII. REPEALING CLAUSE.

Any resolution or ordinance inconsistent hereof is hereby modified, repealed or superseded accordingly.

Section XIX. EFFECTIVITY.

This ordinance shall be enforceable after the review and approval by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan and fifteen (15) days posting at the entrance of the Municipal Hall and at least two (2) other conspicuous places in the Poblacion and published in a newspaper of general circulation in the province.

Enacted: July 15, 2014

CONCURRED:

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ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED
TO BE DULY ADOPTED

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Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED: AUG 15, 2014

NACIANCENO M. PACALIOGA, JR.
Municipal Mayor

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