



OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 3<sup>rd</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 5<sup>th</sup> SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DUMINGAG, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL ON January 17, 2005.

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| Mrs. Jessyl B. Palon              | SB Secretary | —/—     | —      | —  |

Ordinance No. 3, s. 2005

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE PLAYING OF COMPUTER GAMES DURING SCHOOL DAYS BY MINORS AND STUDENTS/PUPILS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, it has been observed that minors and students/pupils are always seen playing computer games during class hours and late in the evening;

THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan of Dumingag, Zamboanga del Sur in Session Assembled that:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be called, "An Ordinance Regulating the Playing of Computer Games During School Days By Minors and Students/Pupils and Providing Penalties for Violation Thereof."

SECTION 2. SCOPE OF APPLICATION. This ordinance shall apply to all minors and students/pupils within the Municipality of Dumingag, Zamboanga del Sur.

SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS. For purposes of this ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

- a. Minors – an individual who barely reaches his/her eighteenth birthday
- b. Students/pupils – school children attending elementary, secondary and tertiary classes

SECTION 4. REGULATORY PROVISIONS.

- a. Minors and students/pupils are prohibited to play computer games during class hours. Playing during school days shall be allowed after class hours until 9:00 pm.
- b. Playing of Computer games is allowed during Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays until 10:00 in the evening.

SECTION 5. IMPLEMENTING AGENCY. The Women and Children Task Force, Women's Desk Incharge of the PNP, the Barangay Officials and CVOs are tasked to implement this ordinance.

Section 6. PENAL PROVISION. Owners/Operators accepting or tolerating minors and students/pupils to play computer games during the day and time specified in section 4 shall be penalized by a fine of

- a. 1<sup>st</sup> offense - P500.00
- b. 2<sup>nd</sup> offense - P1,000.00
- c. 3<sup>rd</sup> offense - closure of the establishment

Section 7. REPEALING CLAUSE. Any ordinances/resolutions of local application found in conflict with or inconsistent to the provisions of this ordinance is deemed repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 8. EFFECTIVITY AND PUBLICATION CLAUSE. This ordinance shall take effect after the approval of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan and after fifteen (15) days from the date copy hereof is posted in the bulletin board at the entrance of the municipal hall and in at least two (2) other conspicuous places in the Poblacion, published in a local newspaper of general circulation once a week for three consecutive weeks or posted in the municipal hall of all municipalities within the province of Zamboanga del Sur.

APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.  
Enacted: February 7, 2005

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED  
TO BE DULY ADOPTED:

NACIANCENO M. PACALIOGA, JR.  
Municipal vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

JESSYL B. PALON  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED: 2/16, 2005

EDGARDO G. JAMERO  
Municipal Mayor