

**SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
GENERAL SANTOS CITY**

COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-208

Submitted by the **COMMITTEES ON ON YOUTH AFFAIRS, SPORTS DEVELOPMENT AND PHYSICAL FITNESS**

Date of Hearing: July 7, 2017

Re: SPPO NO. 1718-0130

RECOMMENDATION: SEE BELOW

Author/Sponsor: Hon. Alberto D. Pacquiao

MADAM PRESIDENT:

The abovementioned Committee to which was referred the following:

TITLE	RECOMMENDATION
SPPO NO. 1718-0130: AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT CODE IN THE CITY OF GENERAL SANTOS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. <i>(Hon. Pacquiao, Hon. Lagare, Jr., Hon. Gacal, Jr., Hon. Bagonoc and Hon. Nuñez – Authors; Hon. Tan and Hon. Congson – Co-Authors)</i>	AMENDMENTS – APPROVED, subject to style

has considered the same and has the honor to report it back to the August Body with the foregoing recommendation.

Respectfully submitted:

ALBERTO D. PACQUIAO
City Councilor & Chairperson



MINUTES OF THE HEARING OF THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH AFFAIRS, SPORTS DEVELOPMENT AND PHYSICAL FITNESS OF THE 18TH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD, CITY OF GENERAL SANTOS.

Friday, July 7, 2017

2:18 P.M. - 2:58 P.M.

SP Learning Resource Center, Ground Floor
Legislative Building, General Santos City

COUNCILORS PRESENT: Hon. Alberto D. Pacquiao (*Chairperson*), Hon. Elizabeth B. Bagonoc (*Ex-Officio Member*) and Hon. Rosalita T. Nuñez

GUEST/RESOURCE PERSONS: *See attached attendance sheet.*

AGENDUM: SPPO NO. 1718-0130: AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT CODE IN THE CITY OF GENERAL SANTOS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. (*Hon. Pacquiao, Hon. Lagare, Jr., Hon. Gacal, Jr., Hon. Bagonoc and Hon. Nuñez – Authors; Hon. Tan and Hon. Congson – Co-Authors*)

The committee hearing was called to order by its chairperson, City Councilor Alberto D. Pacquiao who then acknowledged everyone's presence.

After reading the proposed ordinance, Hon. Bagonoc introduced the following amendments:

- On the first whereas, the word "and" between the words "promotion and protection" be changed into comma, so the paragraph shall now be read as, "**Whereas, Article II, Section 13 of the Philippine Constitution of 1987 mandates the State recognition of the vital role of the youth in nation-building and promotion, protection of their physical, moral, spiritual, intellectual and social well-being and states further its role to inculcate in the youth patriotism and nationalism, and encourage their involvement in public and civic affairs.**"
- Under the third whereas, with the deletion of the word "and" after the word "development" (second line), the paragraph will now be read as "**Whereas, the development and welfare of the youth sector in the City of General Santos in terms of promotion of their well-being and total development, their protection from exploitation, abuse, hazards, and other circumstances prejudicial to their physical, mental, emotional, social and moral development are priorities of the City Government.**"

The amendments introduced by Hon. Nuñez under Article I, Guiding Principles for the Youth, were as follows:

- **Section 3(d).** *“Every youth has the right to be protected against all forms of discrimination, intimidation, abuse, bullying or humiliation”.*
- **Section 3(e).** *“Every youth has the right to quality and responsive education from nursery to tertiary level, technical-vocational education, incorporating therein multicultural and multilingual curricula.*
- **Section 3(h).** *“Every youth’s right is coupled with a moral and legal responsibility that must be fulfilled.”*
- **Section 4(g),** the word “suffered” be changed to “suffer.”
- **Section 5** shall be changed to *“Development Program for the youth. A comprehensive program for the youth shall be formulated immediately after the effectivity of this Code by the General Santos City Local Youth Development Council, after consultation with youth groups, other government agencies, private sector, and non-government organizations. The council shall formulate/develop a plan (small, medium, long term) for holistic development of the youth of the city.* (subject to style)
- **Section 5, Letters a, b, and c - DELETED**

The above amendments were ruled as approved, subject to style.

AMENDMENTS – APPROVED, subject to style

With the suggestion of Hon. Bagonoc to further study the proposed ordinance, prepare amendments and to invite the youth representatives, the chair declared a recess and scheduled the next committee hearing on July 14, 2017 at 9:00 in the morning.

RECESS at 2:58 P.M.

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ALBERTO D. PACQUIAO
City Councilor/Chairperson