



Republic of the Philippines
Municipality of Matnog
Province of Sorsogon

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

1st Indorsement
March 30, 2006

Respectfully indorsed to **HON. GUILLERMO G. SO,**
Municipal Mayor, Matnog, Sorsogon the herein
Municipal Ordinance No. 02-2006 "AN ORDINANCE
REGULATING THE ESTABLISHMENT, OPERATION
AND MAINTENANCE OF VIDEOKE, VIDEO SINGKO
BARS AND OTHER SIMILAR FORMS OF
ENTERTAINMENT OR AMUSEMENT FACILITIES IN
THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATNOG" for approval.


JOSEPHINE BAUTISTA
SB Secretary





Republic of the Philippines
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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

2nd Indorsement
April 18, 2006

Respectfully returned to the Office of the Sangguniang Bayan LGU Matnog the herein approved Ordinance No. 02-2006 **“AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE ESTABLISHMENT, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF VEDIOKE, VIDEO SINGKO BARS AND OTHER SIMILAR FORMS OF ENTERTAINMENT OR AMUSEMENT FACILITIES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATNOG.**


ZENAIDA R. GARAY
Executive Secretary



ANDAR MATNOG
... sa dalan kan kauswagan



Municipality of Matnog
Province of Sorsogon

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD AT THE SB SESSION HALL, MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON March 15, 2006 AT 1:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

Present:

Hon. Jaime G. Gata, Jr.	Municipal Councilor (Presiding Officer Pro-Tempore)
Hon. Edward Ruel T. Barlin	Municipal Councilor
Hon. Romeo G. Garalde	-do-
Hon. Ardelito S. Dejana	-do-
Hon. Ubaldo M. Ubaldo	-do-
Hon. Melchor G. Garcera	-do-
Hon. Romeo G. Garrido	-do-
Hon. Julio E. Garduque	-do-(ABC President)
Hon. Marc Ace C. Gacis	-do-(SK Federation President)

Excused:

Hon. Carlos G. Estrelon Jr.	Municipal Vice Mayor
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Absent:

Hon. Noel T. San Pablo	Municipal Councilor
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Municipal Ordinance No. 02 s. 2006

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Author: Hon. Ardelito S. Dejaño

BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Bayan of Matnog that:

Section 1. Title - This Ordinance shall be known as the Ordinance Regulating the Establishment, Operation and Maintenance of Videoke, Video Singko Bars and other Similar of Forms Entertainment or Amusement Facilities in the Municipality of Matnog

Section 2. Definition - As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall construes as follows:

Amusement – is a pleasurable diversion or entertainment. It is synonymous with recreation, relaxation, avocation, pastime or fun

Amusement Place – refers to an establishment, building or edifice, whether in a part or its entirely including where one seeks admission to entertain oneself by seeing or viewing a show or performance. It also includes places where one seeks admission to entertain by direct participation. It also serves foods and all type of drinks.

Business – means trade or commercial activity regularly engaged in as a means of livelihood or with a view to profit.

Videoke – is a device, apparatus or machines that provides visual entertainment and audio accompaniment to a selected song. It is operated on by inserting a video home system tape (or VHS), video compact disc (or VCD) or digital compact (DVD) into the device which then plays the selected songs.

Video Singko – is a variation of Videoke machines wherein the insertion or dropping of a coin (usually Five-Peso coin) into a slot triggers the operation of its visual/audio mechanism and then plays the selected songs. It may also be described as a coin-operated amusement machine.

Video or Video Singko Bar – is an amusement place wherein a videoke or video singko machine, for a fee, is offered to patrons or customers for them to sing. Aside from the said machines, the establishment obtains gross receipt or revenue from the sale of beer, liquor, finger-foods, side dishes or pulutan.

Section 3 Regulatory requirements for the establishment and operation of videoke and video singko bars within the municipality.

No person shall establish, operate or maintain a videoke, video singko bar or any similar form of amusement facility without first securing the necessary permits from the Office of the Municipal Mayor and the Municipal Treasurer's Office.

In applying for said permits, the business applicant must present or submit the following:

- a. Duly accomplished Barangay Clearance
- b. Proof of payment of the application's (prospective proprietor) Community Tax Certificate (or Cedula)

Section 4 Rules and Regulation

In the establishment of the said type of business, the following rules and regulations shall be observed

a. Such videoke or video singko bar shall not be established in residential areas especially where houses or residential units are in close proximity with each other. Provided, in cases where the general neighborhood pose no objection to such disturbance or existence, the Barangay council through its Chair may issue a written consent for such establishment

b. Likewise the same shall not be allowed within one hundred (100) meters from any government building, churches, hospitals and school which may cause disturbance, distraction or interference with the daily activities of said public places.

c. Provided further, that no minors shall be allowed within the premise of the same bars and that appropriate signs relative to this provision shall be conspicuously posted within the establishment.

d. Provided further, that it shall be strictly prohibited to play VHS tapes, compact disc or built-in or contained visual background (for video singko machines) showing lewd or pornographic materials.

Section 5. Privilege of Barangay Councils to regulate operating hours of videoke or video singko bars within their jurisdiction.

As stated in Section 4, Letter "a" of this Ordinance, it is hereby granted to the Barangay Councils to regulate, through a Barangay Ordinance, the operating hours of said establishments within their respective jurisdiction based on their particular circumstance (s) and with the general consent of all concerned.

Provided that the videoke or video singko bars maybe allowed to operate beyond 12:00 o'clock midnight, and provided further that upon reaching 10:00 o'clock in the evening, the volume (decibel) level emanating from such videoke or video singko bars shall be toned down or lowered.

Section 6. Penal Provisions

Any person who may be found guilty of violating this Ordinance, especially relevant provision in Section 3 and 4 shall be punished as follows:

First Offense	php1,000.00
Second Offense	1,500.00
Third Offense	2,000.00

or imprisonment of not more than six (6) months but not less than one month or both at the discretion of the Court.

Section 7. Repealing Clause.

Any Ordinance, Resolution, Rules and Regulations or part thereof which are inconsistent or in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

Section 8. Separability Clause.

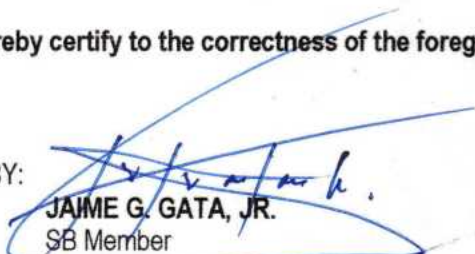
If for any reason, any section or provision hereof is held unconstitutional or invalid, no other section or provision of this Ordinance shall be affected thereby.


Section 9. Effectivity

This Ordinance shall take effect after its publication for three (3) consecutive days in a newspaper of local circulation or after posting for a minimum period of three (3) consecutive weeks at prominent or conspicuous places in the Municipal Hall, whichever occurs later.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing.

ATTESTED BY:


JAIME G. GATA, JR.
SB Member
Presiding Officer/Pro-Tempore


JOSEPHINE G. BAUTISTA
SB Secretary

APPROVED:


GUILLELMO G. SO
Municipal Mayor
