ORDINANCE NO. 335, S-2005
ORDINANCE REGULATING THE HOLDING OF MERRY-MAKING ACTIVITIES

BE IT HEREBY ORDEMNED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Mandaluyong, in Session assembled:

SECTION 1. Celebration of family or group occasions like birthdays, anniversaries, parties and other similar events that necessarily create noise and disturb the peace and tranquility of the neighborhood shall not be conducted from 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM of the following day.

SECTION 2. The owner of the house or establishment where such festivities is being held in violation of Section 1 of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction, suffer imprisonment for a period not exceeding one (1) month or fined the sum of Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000.00) minimum to Five Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00) maximum, or both, at the discretion of the court.

SECTION 3. Other persons, who are participants in such festivities or those engaged in merry-making activities held in public places, shall, upon conviction, be fined the sum of One Thousand Pesos (P1,000.00).

SECTION 4. The Ordinance does not cover celebration of public events like Independence Day, Liberation Day, Barangay Day, feasts or other similar public occasions.

SECTION 5. NO CONTEST PROVISION. Any person, individual or entity who is apprehended or cited for violation and who does not wish to contest the violation and is willing to pay voluntarily the minimum fine imposed upon him/her prior to the filing of formal charges with the proper court shall be allowed to pay said fine with the City Treasurer to avoid being criminally prosecuted within six (6) hours from apprehension otherwise the case shall be prosecuted.

The City Treasurer, subject to Civil Service Laws, Rules and Regulation, is hereby directed to provide personnel or to deputize personnel who will accept payment of fines twenty four (24) hours a day so as not to jeopardize the right of the offended to avail of the six - hour period within which to pay under this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE. All ordinances, resolutions and other administrative regulations inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed and or modified accordingly.

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall take effect upon approval.

ENACTED on this 5th day of December, 2005 in the City of Mandaluyong.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF MANDALUYONG IN REGULAR SESSION HELD ON THE DATE AND PLACE FIRST ABOVE GIVEN.

[Signature]
JIMMY D. LACEBAI
Sanggunian Secretary

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NEPTALI M. GONZALES II
City Mayor
Date: DEC 1 2 2005

NOTA BENE: This Ordinance amends Ordinance No. 301, S-2005 in form and style only.