



Republic of the Philippines  
**SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD**  
City of Mandaluyong

ORDINANCE NO. 418, S-2008

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE ILLEGAL MANUFACTURE,  
DISTRIBUTION, SALE AND USE OF MILITARY/POLICE  
UNIFORMS, INSIGNIA AND BADGES IN THE CITY  
OF MANDALUYONG AND PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREOF

BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Mandaluyong,  
in session assembled:

- SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as *“An Ordinance Prohibiting the Illegal Manufacture, Distribution, Sale and Use of Military/Police Uniforms, Insignia and Badges in the City of Mandaluyong and Providing Penalties Thereof”*.
- SECTION 2. SCOPE AND COVERAGE. This Ordinance shall apply to all persons and business establishments within the territorial jurisdiction of Mandaluyong City.
- SECTION 3. PROHIBITED ACTS. The following acts shall be considered unlawful:
- a. Manufacture, distribution and sale of uniforms, insignias, decorations and medals, badges, patches and identification cards prescribed for the Armed Forces of the Philippines and Philippine National Police or any colorable imitation thereof without proper permit and authority from the DND/AFP or PNP;
  - b. Wearing of military/police uniforms or any colorable imitation thereof while loitering around the streets, parks, malls and other public places in the City of Mandaluyong;
  - c. Wearing of military/police uniforms or any colorable imitation thereof while driving public utility vehicles; and
  - d. Wearing of military/police uniforms or any colorable imitation thereof as jackets, upper or lower garments or as part of casual and/or office attires.
- SECTION 4. ENFORCEMENT. The Chief of Police, Mandaluyong City Police Station, is hereby directed to implement this Ordinance.
- SECTION 5. PENALTIES.
1. Violation of Section 3 (a) of this Ordinance, pursuant to administrative proceedings to be conducted by proper authorities, shall result in the immediate closure of the establishment, plant and/or office where the uniforms and other items are manufactured, stored, sold and/or distributed, the cancellation of its business license or permit, the condemnation, seizure and forfeiture of all paraphernalia used or intended to be used in the manufacture, sales and/or distribution and the imposition of reasonable administrative fines, without prejudice to the filing of administrative, civil and/or criminal actions.

2. Violation of Section 3 (b), (c) and (d) of this Ordinance, upon conviction, shall be fined of not less than One Thousand Pesos (PhP1,000.00) but not more than Five Thousand Pesos (Php5,000.00) or imprisonment of not less than thirty (30) days but not more than ninety (90) days, or both upon discretion of the court.

**SECTION 6. EXEMPTIONS.** The following persons are exempted from Section 3(b), (c) and (d) of this Ordinance while on official duty/mission:

1. Active members of the Armed Forces of the Philippines;
2. Reservist members of the Armed Forces of the Philippines on Active Duty Training;
3. CAT, BCMT, MOT and ROTC Cadets;
4. Active members of the Philippine National Police; and
5. Other persons or organizations duly authorized by law.

**SECTION 7. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All Ordinances, resolutions and other administrative regulations inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.


**SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY.** This Ordinance shall take effect after ten (10) days upon publication by posting at the City Hall Bulletin Board and in other conspicuous public places within the City of Mandaluyong and at least be published once at any newspaper of general circulation in the City of Mandaluyong and/or Metro Manila.

ENACTED on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2008 in the City of Mandaluyong.

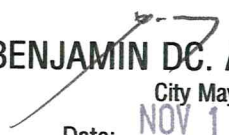
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE WAS ENACTED AND APPROVED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF MANDALUYONG IN REGULAR SESSION HELD ON THE DATE AND PLACE FIRST ABOVE GIVEN.

  
**JIMMY D. LACEBAL**  
Sanggunian Secretary

ATTESTED:

  
**RENATO B. STA. MARIA**  
City Vice Mayor &  
Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

  
**BENJAMIN DC. ABALOS, JR.**  
City Mayor  
Date: NOV 13 2008