

**[ REPUBLIC ACT NO. 329, July 15, 1948 ]**

**AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN SECTIONS OF CHAPTER SIXTY-ONE  
OF THE REVISED ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, AS AMENDED.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:*

SECTION 1. Section two thousand five hundred and forty-one of the Revised Administrative Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 2541. *Incorporation—Powers.*—The territory within the boundaries described in the next succeeding section, and the inhabitants thereof, shall be a municipality which shall be known as the City of Baguio, and by that name shall have perpetual succession; have and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure; sue and be sued, and prosecute and defend to final judgment and execution; take, purchase, receive, hold, lease, convey, and dispose of real and personal property, for the benefit of the City within or without its corporate limits; contract and be contracted with; to contract loan and borrow money; and execute all the powers hereinafter conferred."

SEC. 2. Subsections (b), (c), (s) and (w) of section two thousand five hundred and fifty-three of the same Code are amended to read as follows:

"(b) To provide for the levy and collection of taxes and other city revenues and apply the same to the payment of municipal expenses in accordance with appropriations.

"(c) To tax, fix the license fee, and regulate the business of the following: hawkers, peddlers, hucksters, not including hucksters or peddlers who sell only native vegetables, fruits, or foods, personally carried by the hucksters or peddlers, auctioneers, plumbers, barbers, embalmers, collecting agencies, mercantile agencies, transportation companies and agencies, advertising agents, tattooers, hotels, clubs, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, livery stables, private police detectives, massagists, manicurists, chiropodists, hair dressing or beauty parlors, painters, night clubs, theaters, boarding stables, dealers in large cattle and dogs, laundries, cleaning and dyeing establishments, shooting galleries, merry-go-round and other similar riding devices, brewers, distilleries, rectifiers, money changers, and brokers, stockbrokers, the keeping of, preparation, and sale of meat, poultry, fish, game, butter, cheese, lard, vegetables, bread and other provisions, establishments for storage of combustible materials, dance halls or schools, physical or beauty and fashion schools, circus and other similar parades, public vehicles, horse races, bowling alleys, pawnbrokers, junk dealers, billiard and pool tables, dealers in second-hand merchandise, theatrical performances, blacksmith shops, foundries, lumber yards, the storage