## [ VALENZUELA CITY ORDINANCE NO. 223 Series of 2015, August 03, 2015 ]

## SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

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AN ORDINANCE MANDATING INDUSTRIAL, COMMERCIAL, BUSINESS AND OTHER PUBLIC ESTABLISHMENTS TO INSTALL "CCTV MONITORING SYSTEM" WITHIN THEIR PREMISES, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 53, SERIES OF 2009 AND FOR THE PURPOSE.

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**WHEREAS,** the use of "CCTV Monitoring System" have proven to be of utmost importance in assisting peace keeping and investigate agencies of the government both in the areas of preventing and solving crimes being committed in the city;

**WHEREAS,** "CCTV Monitoring System" are now easily available for everyone and the coast of their procurement and installation are now within the capabilities of most establishments;

**WHEREAS,** maintaining peace and order which includes the safety of every citizen in our city is one of the most primordial responsibilities of any government;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ORDAINED as it is hereby ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang Panglungsod of Valenzuela in formal session assembled that the following amendments to Ordinance No. 53, Series of 2009 be incorporated and duly adopted into law.

## 1.) SECTION 5. POLICY/APPLICATION

- a. All industrial, commercial, business, institutional, educational, business and all other public establishments operating within the territorial jurisdiction of Valenzuela with a total capital asset (case and real properties) amounting to PhP500,000.00 are required to install an operational CCTV monitoring system to serve both as a preventive and investigate counter measure.
- b. against crimes to be committed within the immediate vicinity of their premises.
- c. The CCTV monitoring systems to be installed by all establishment concerned must be able to properly capture recordings within the premises of the establishment, including the immediate vicinity of the establishment. Twenty days after the approval of this ordinance, the Valenzuela City Command and Coordinating Center will submit the implementing guidelines pertaining to the proper installation of CCTV monitoring systems of every establishment which shall be adopted as part and parcel of this ordinance. The proper installation and capability of the CCTV monitoring system will be subject to the inspection and approval by the inspectors of any the following agencies:
  - 1. The BPLO;
  - 2. The Valenzuela City Command and Coordinating Center
  - 3. and The Task Force Disiplina.
- d. The CCTV monitoring systems must be operational 24 hours on a daily basis with the recording maintained for 7 days thereafter which they may be transferred into an appropriate back up media device (CD or DVD) before being erased to make room for continued recording. The media devices must be duly labeled with the dates of its duration before being stored in a safe place. Upon the occurrence of any criminal activity within the immediate vicinity of any public establishment, these recordings upon formal request must be made available immediately to any law enforcement agencies of the government concerned including the Punong Barangay, failure to do so will warrant administrative penalties in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance. However, if the operator of the establishment so perceives that there are no criminal activities recorded in their transferred and stored media devices, and no formal requests for them have been made by any of the aforementioned agencies, they may dispose of their stored records after a period of 30 days, according to their own discretion.
- e. The installation of CCTV monitoring systems will be included into the requirements for procuring the appropriate Business Licenses with the city government. The list of establishments with installed.
  - CCTV monitoring systems will be maintained by the Business Permits & Licensing Office of the city government and duly updated every four months a copy of which must be submitted to the Peace and Order Council and the Valenzuela PNP.
- f. All concerned public establishments may procure their CCTV monitoring systems from any legal source and have it installed by any legal personage.

## 2.) SECTION 6. PENALTIES AND DISCOUNTS.