[MANILA CITY ORDINANCE NO. 8464, February 05, 2016]

REGULAR SESSION NO. 195 9th CITY COUNCIL

Begun and held in the City Council on Tuesday, the twelfth day of January, Two Thousand Sixteen

AN ORDINANCE GOVERNING THE HANDLING, DISPOSITION AND UTILIZATION OF THE PHILIPPINE AMUSEMENT AND GAMING CORPORATION TRUST FUND ACCOUNG REMITTED AS FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF MANILA AS HOST CITY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

ADMINISTRATION MEASURE:

SPONSORED BY:

HON. MARLON M. LACSON Majority Floor Leader

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS, the Philippine Amusement and Gaming Corporation (PAGCOR) is operating a number of casinos in the City of Manila;

WHEREAS, as PAGCOR's way fo sharing its income to its host city, monthly amount is being remitted to the City of Manila with the end view of helping strengthen the capacity of the city to address various pressing socio-economic concerns and provided basic services and vital facilities;

WHEREAS, on October 20, 2015, the PAGCOR's Board of Directors approved the revised guidelines, which provide, among others, the projects to be financed and the amount of funding required should be jointly approved by the City Mayor and the City Council through the corresponding appropriate ordinance;

WHEREAS, the revised guidelines will help ensure transparency and accountability on the utilization of the fund for its intended purposes: NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it ordained by the City Council of Manila, in session assembled, *THAT*:

SECTION 1. Title. – This Ordinance shall govern the handling, disposition and utilization of the host city share remitted by the Philippines Amusement and Gaming