



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. PCG- 29 SERIES OF 2023

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER CREATING A CITY GRIEVANCE MEDIATION COMMITTEE FOR THE SPECIAL PROTECTION OF SENIOR CITIZENS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Article XV, Section 4 of the 1987 Constitution states that it is the duty of the family to take care of its elderly members while the State may design programs of social security for them;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7432, otherwise known as An Act to Maximize the Contribution of Senior Citizens to Nation Building, Grant Benefits, and Special Privileges and for other purposes, was enacted primarily to acknowledge the role that our elderly has served during the more productive years of their lives;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 7432, Ordinance No. 45, Series of 2023, otherwise known as An Ordinance Amending Sections 53, 54, and 56 of Ordinance No. 40, Series of 2021, Otherwise Known as the Senior Citizens' Code was passed;

WHEREAS, Section 1, Ordinance No. 45, Series of 2023, provides for the creation of the City Grievance Mediation Committee (Committee) for the Special Protection of Senior Citizens;

WHEREAS, the Committee was created to ensure that senior citizens or elderly persons in Pasig City are protected from all forms of violence, abuse or neglect committed by family members within the fourth degree of consanguinity or affinity. It was created to act on complaints filed by senior citizens that the concerned Barangays failed to act upon.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, VICTOR MA REGIS N. SOTTO, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. COMPOSITION OF THE CITY GRIEVANCE MEDIATION COMMITTEE FOR THE SPECIAL PROTECTION OF THE SENIOR CITIZENS. — The Committee is hereby created to be composed of the following:

Chairperson:

Head

OFFICE OF THE SENIOR CITIZENS' AFFAIRS

Vice-Chairperson

President

LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY

Members:

: Head

CITY SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE







Representative
BARANGAY SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 1

Representative
BARANGAY SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 2

SECTION 2. BARANGAY SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE. – The Barangay Senior Representatives from the two (2) districts shall be elected from the Board of Barangay Senior Representatives, which is composed of one (1) elected representative from each Barangay. The representative must be:

- a. A holder of the Office of the Senior Citizens' Affairs ID card;
- b. A resident of the barangay they represent;
- c. Physically and mentally able to perform their duties, such as but not limited to attending meetings, periodically manning the Barangay Senior Help Desk, AND deliberating complaints filed with the Committee, among others.

SECTION 3. FUNCTIONS. – The Committee shall have the following functions:

- a. Apply alternative dispute resolution mechanisms, negotiations, and mediation techniques in the resolution of complaints or issues filed by Senior Citizens against any family members within the fourth degree of consanguinity or by affinity who committed acts of violence, abuse, or neglect against them;
- b. Conduct investigations on complaints filed by Senior Citizens;
- Formulate the rules and regulations for carrying out appropriate measures in investigating complaints, either for mediation or settlement;
- Prepare a resolution for filing in court with the assistance of the City Legal Office, should mediation fail; and
- e. Act and resolve the Voluntary Agreement Maintenance Support from children or relative of parents and senior citizens.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVITY. – This should take effect immediately.

DONE this 294 day of August 2023, at the City of Pasig, Metro Manila.

VICTOR MA REGIS N. SOTTO City Mayor

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Caruncho Avenue, Barangay San Nicolas, Pasig City 1600 Metro Manila



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Ordinance No. 45
Series of 2023

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 53, 54 AND 56 OF ORDINANCE NO. 40 SERIES OF 2021, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SENIOR CITIZENS' CODE OF PASIG CITY.

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WHEREAS, Section 4, Article XV of the 1987 Philippine Constitution states that the family has the duty to care for its elderly members but the State may also do so through programs of social security";

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9994, known as the Expanded Senior Citizens Act of 2010, provides that it is the duty of the State to give full support to the improvement of the total well-being of the elderly and to encourage their families and the communities they live with to reaffirm the valued Filipino tradition of caring for the senior citizens;

WHEREAS, the state shall advocate for programs and mechanisms, which ensure that the rights of senior citizens are recognized and protected; further, the state shall institute mechanisms that will protect senior citizens from any form of neglect, abuse and violence;

WHEREAS, in Ordinance No. 40, Series of 2021, the City Government of Pasig established the City Grievance Mediation Committee for the Special Protection of Senior Citizens ("Committee");

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend the said Ordinance to reconstitute the Committee, avoid duplication of functions pursuant to the respective mandate of concerned offices, and further define the functions of the Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG PASIG, IN SESSION DULY ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENTS. Sections 53, 54 and 56 of Ordinance No. 40, Series of 2021 are hereby amended, and shall read as follows:

"SECTION 53. CREATING THE CITY GRIEVANCE MEDIATION COMMITTEE FOR THE SPECIAL PROTECTION OF SENIOR CITIZENS. The City Grievance Mediation Committee for the Special Protection of Senior Citizens shall ensure that senior citizens or elderly persons in Pasig City are protected from all forms of violence, abuse or neglect committed by family members within the fourth degree of consanguinity or affinity. The Committee shall act on complaints filed by senior citizens that the concerned Barangays failed to act upon.

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SECTION 54. COMPOSITION OF THE CITY GRIEVANCE MEDIATION COMMITTEE FOR THE SPECIAL PROTECTION OF THE SENIOR CITIZENS. This Committee is hereby created, to be composed of the following:

Chairperson:

Head, Office of the Senior Citizens'

Affairs

Vice-Chairperson:

President, Liga ng mga Barangay

Members:

Caruncho Avenue, Barangay San Nicolas, Pasig City 1600 Metro Manila

Head, Office of City Social Welfare

and Development

Barangay

Senior Representative,

District 1

Barangay

Senior Representative,

District 2

The Barangay Senior Representatives from the two (2) districts shall be elected from the Board of Barangay Senior Representatives, which is composed of one (1) elected representative from each Barangay. They must be physically and mentally able to perform such duties as attending meetings and deliberating complaints filed with the City Grievance Committee for the Special Protection of Senior Citizens."

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"SECTION 56. FUNCTIONS. The City Grievance Mediation Committee for the Special Protection of Senior Citizens shall have the following functions:

- a. Apply alternative dispute resolution mechanisms, negotiation and mediation techniques in the resolution of a complaint or issue filed by a senior citizen against any family member within the fourth degree of consanguinity or affinity who committed acts of violence, abuse or neglect against them;
- b. Conduct an investigation on the complaint filed by the senior citizen;
- c. Formulate the rules and regulations in carrying out appropriate measures in investigating the complaint either for mediation or
- d. Prepare a resolution for filing in court with the assistance of the City Legal Office, should mediation fail; and





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e. Act and resolve the Voluntary Agreement Maintenance Support from children or relative of parents and senior citizens."

SECTION 2. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. Should any portion of this Ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remainder, which are not affected, shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. REPEALING CLAUSE. All ordinances, rules and regulations in conflict with or inconsistent with any provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

APPROVED, this 12th day of July 2023 in the City of Pasig.

HON. RAYMUND FRANCIS S. RUSTIA
City Councilor

HON. SIMON GERARD R. TANTOCO City Councilor

HON. PAUL ROMAN C. SANTIAGO
City Councilor

HON. RODERICK MARIO U. GONZALES
City Councilor

HON. REGINO S. BALDERRAMA City Councilor HON. CORAZON M. RAYMUNDO
City Councilor

HON. SEVEL ASTEO-GUPILAN
City Councilor

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HON QUIN A. CRUZ

HON. MARION ROSALIO M. MARTIRES

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(Official Business)

HON. RIGOR J. ENRIQUEZ LIGA President HON. GEORGIA LYNNER. CLEMENTE SK Fed. President

HON. MARIA LUISA "ANGELU" M. DE LEON
City Councilor

City Councilor Minority Floor Leader

HON. MARK GIL M. DELOS SANTOS

City Councilor Majority Floor Leader

Attested by:

HON. ROBERT VINCENT JUDE B. JAWORSKI, JR.

Oly Vice-Mayor Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

HON. VICTOR MA. REGIS N. SOTTO City Mayor

Attested by:

ATTY. NICOLO JOEL B. GUTIERREZ

Acting City Council Secretary

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