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SANGGUNIANG BAYAN
Taytay, Rizal

DO No. 2501 – 003

ORDINANCE NO. 843 series of 2025

AN ORDINANCE EXEMPTING TRICYCLE OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF REGISTERED PUBLIC UTILITY TRICYCLES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY FROM THE ANNUAL PAYMENT OF THE PERMIT TO OPERATE OR RENEWAL FEE FOR THE YEAR 2025 AND PRESCRIBING RULES THEREOF

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WHEREAS, Tricycle Drivers and Operators are required by law to issue twenty percent (20%) discounts to students (RA 11314), Senior Citizens (RA 9994), and PWDs (RA 10754), but do not receive any tax relief from the government for providing these discounts;

WHEREAS, Tricycle Drivers and Operators therefore, shoulder these discounts, which technically are deducted from their regular income;

WHEREAS, it is imperative for this Local Government Unit to provide support and subsidy to Tricycle Drivers and Operators -- who provide the most accessible form of public transportation in the municipality -- in order for them to recover from the mandatory discounts required by existing national laws;

WHEREAS, a lot of our Tricycle Drivers and Operators are still recovering from the impact of the pandemic to the transport sector, and this temporary relief could help in their recovery;

WHEREAS, the Committee on Transportation and Mobility has received a letter from the Officer-in-Charge of the Taytay Municipal Tricycle Franchising and Regulatory Office, and the current Head of the Business Processing and Licensing Office, requesting for the exemption of Tricycle Drivers from the Franchising Permit for the year 2025, attached in this Ordinance as Annex A¹;

WHEREAS, Municipal Ordinance No. 44 series of 1999, and its' subsequent amendments, prescribed the rules and regulations relative to the issuance of tricycle franchise within the Municipality of Taytay, portions of which may be repealed by this Ordinance;

¹Letter from Atty. Joaquin Defante, OIC, TMTFRO, and Head, BPLO received on January 23, 2025

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, as it is hereby ordained, by the 12th Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay, Rizal, in a session duly assembled, that:

Section 1. Exemption from Fees - All Tricycle Franchise Renewal Fees shall be waived for the year 2025 as a form of Government Subsidy for Tricycle Drivers and Operators in the Municipality of Taytay observing the provision of 20% discounts for Students, Senior Citizens, and PWDs, as prescribed by National Laws.

This is also to incentivize Tricycle Drivers and Operators for their compliance to the aforementioned laws from the previous year, with the TMTFRB receiving no formal complaints from the general public.

Section 2. Qualifications - Only Tricycle Operators and Drivers in good standing and those who have paid their franchise fee for the previous year are qualified to avail this tax exempt.

Section 3. Validity - This exemption shall only be valid for the year 2025.

Section 4. Monitoring of Compliance - The Taytay Municipal Tricycle Franchising and Regulatory Office (TMTFRO) in coordination with the Business Permit and Licensing Office shall be in-charge of monitoring the records and compliance of tricycle drivers and operators' to the mandatory discounts and other existing rules indicated in the Municipal Tricycle Code.

An Official Hotline Number and Facebook Page shall be established by the TMTFRO to monitor reports and complaints involving tricycle drivers and operators, and the riding public.

Section 5. Separability Clause - If any section or part of this Ordinance is held unconstitutional or invalid, the other sections or provisions not otherwise affected shall remain in full force or effect.

Section 6. Repealing Clause - All other Taytay Municipal ordinances, orders, issuances, rules, and regulations that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

Section 7. Effectivity Clause - This Ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days after posting in the Taytay Transparency boards.

ENACTED, this 5th day of March 2025, 2:06 PM at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance which was duly enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay on second reading on February 26, 2025 and was passed on third and final reading on March 6, 2025, during the 134th Regular Session held on the 5th day of March 2025.


JULIETA M. JUANILLO
Board Sec. III / Temp. SB Secretary

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED TO BE DULY
ADOPTED BY HER HONOR


HON. SOPHIA PRISCILLA L. CABRAL
Municipal Vice Mayor / Presiding Officer

APPROVED BY HIS HONOR
DATE JUN 13 2025


HON. ALLAN MARTINE S. DE LEON
Municipal Mayor