ORDINANCE NO. 08-070

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 130 OF ORDINANCE NO. 04-022, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MUNTINLUPA CITY TRAFFIC CODE, SUBJECT TO ALL LAWS AND EXISTING RULES AND REGULATIONS.

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WHEREAS, there have been reports of abuse committed in the implementation of City Traffic Ordinance by traffic enforcers in apprehending traffic ordinance violators, prioritizing their personal interest to avail the twenty percent (20%) incentives accrued to them by the said ordinance which resulted to the prejudice of the rights and interest of the motorist public;

WHEREAS, to effectively discourage and deter the commission of abused in apprehending traffic ordinance violators, and to prevent loss of confidence of the people and protect their rights and interest, it is necessary that the twenty percent (20%) incentives accrued to them be removed;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED, by the 5th Sangguniang Panlungod of Muntinlupa, in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. Section 130 of Ordinance No. 04-022 to be amended read as follows:

Section 130. Creation of Traffic Development Trust Fund.

There is hereby created a Traffic Development Trust Fund generated from all receipts from franchising, supervisory, regulatory fees, fines and surcharges as set forth in this ordinance.
All collections for violations of any section or provision of this ordinance shall accrue to the Trust Fund of the City Government of Muntinlupa. The City Accountant shall keep and maintain a special account and all records related thereto.

For the collected fines, incentives shall be given to the following:

- Twenty Percent (20%) to Traffic Enforcers concerned to be distributed through Automated Teller Machine (ATM).
- Five Percent (5%) to Traffic Enforcement Units

Section 130 of Ordinance No. 04-022 shall now be read as follows:

Section 130. Creation of Traffic Development Trust Fund.

There is hereby created a Traffic Development Trust Fund generated from all receipts from franchising, supervisory regulatory fees, fines and surcharges as set forth in this ordinance.

All collections for violations of any section or provision of this ordinance shall accrue to the Trust Fund of the City Government of Muntinlupa. The City Accountant shall keep and maintain a special account and all records related thereto.

Parking charges, terminal fees, towing fees, and similar imposition for specific services rendered shall accrue to the Traffic Development Trust Fund.

The fund shall be disbursed only for traffic improvement and other activities and requirement of TPMO by including maintenance of facilities and traffic control devices but excluding salaries, allowance, honorarium, or other form of remuneration of personnel.

SECTION 2. Separability Clause – If, for any reason or reasons any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Effectivity Clause – This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED, by the 5th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 24th day of November, 2008, on its 59th Regular Session.
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I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

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