ORDINANCE NO. 13-125

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1 (1A) OF ORDINANCE NO. 08-042, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE AMENDMENT TO THE "ISKOLAR NG BAYAN ORDINANCE".

Co-sponsored: Coun. Alexander B. Diaz
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WHEREAS, Article XIV, Section 1, of the 1987 Constitution provides for the protection and promotion of the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels and shall take steps to make such education accessible to all;

WHEREAS, pursuant to R.A. 7160 (xii), the City Council has created the "Iskolar ng Bayan" program providing free college education at the Muntinlupa Polytechnic College known as the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Muntinlupa (PLMUN) for the poor but deserving students of Muntinlupa;

WHEREAS, the "Iskolar ng Bayan" program which took effect on June 2008, still needs to be strengthened by extending the program and providing additional incentives to poor but deserving students;

WHEREAS, the rationale behind these amendments is to provide students of public high schools in Muntinlupa wider access and opportunity to continue their collegiate education not only in the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Muntinlupa (PLMUN) but also in private high schools such as Dela Salle Zobel and South Ridge;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 08-042 is being amended specifically Section 1A;

WHEREAS, Section 1A of Ordinance No. 08-042 to be amended read as follows:

Section 1. Title – This ordinance shall be known as Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 98-008, otherwise known as the "Iskolar ng Bayan Program" providing for additional incentives to the scholars and for other purposes.
a) "Iskolar ng bayan" - Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Muntinlupa (PLMUN) target beneficiaries – incoming first (1st) year students who are fresh graduates of public high schools in Muntinlupa; it shall likewise include fresh graduates of private schools if and only if vacancy occurs, wherein the slots reserved for graduates of public schools remain untaken, there are available funds and the class size per course is in accord with PLMUN standards.

NOW SHALL BE READ AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Title – This Ordinance shall be known as Ordinance amending Section 1(A) of Ordinance No. 08-042.

"Iskolar ng Bayan – refers to fresh graduates of public High Schools in Muntinlupa; it shall also likewise include fresh graduates of private schools if and only if a vacancy occurs, wherein the slots reserved for graduates of public schools remain untaken, and there are available funds and the class size per course is accordance with the PLMun standards as well as high school students enrolled in accordance with the standards set by Dela Salle Zobel and Southridge High School".

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED, by the 6th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. Title – This ordinance shall be known as "an ordinance amending Section 1(A) of Ordinance No. 08-042, otherwise known as the "Iskolar ng Bayan Program" providing for additional incentives to the scholars and other purposes.

SECTION 2. A Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) shall be entered into by the City Government of Muntinlupa represented by the Hon. City Mayor and by the Dela Salle Zobel Scholl, Southridge High School to implement this program.

SECTION 3. Copy of this Ordinance shall be furnished the PLMUN Administration, Dela Salle Zobel Administration and Southridge Administration and the Muntinlupa Scholarship Program.

SECTION 4. Separability Clause – If for any reason or reasons any part of provision of this ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, other part or provisions hereof are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.
SECTION 5. **Effectivity Clause** – This ordinance shall take effect on School Year 2013-2014.

ENACTED, by the 6th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 10th day of June 2013, on its 121st Regular Session.

CONCURRED:

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I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

CECILIA C. LAZARTE
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APPROVED:

ALDRIN L. SAN PEDRO
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