



COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE ON PEACE AND ORDER & PUBLIC SAFETY

This agenda was referred for review and evaluation of the herein committee, in accordance with the Order of Business, to wit:

Agenda No. 427 - Municipal Ordinance No. 247, series of 2022, passed by the Sangguniang Bayan of Morong, Bataan, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF FIRECRACKERS, FIREWORKS AND OTHER PYROTECHNIC DEVICES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MORONG, BATAAN AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.”

The ordinance was proposed pursuant to Republic Act No. 7183 or An Act Regulating the Sale, Manufacture, Distribution and Use of Firecrackers and Other Pyrotechnic Devices, which aims to “regulate and control the manufacture, sale, distribution and use of firecrackers and other pyrotechnic devices consistent with, and in furtherance of, public safety, order and national security, as well as the enhancement of the cultural traditions”.

This ordinance aims to regulate the use of firecrackers, prevent injuries and damage to properties, avoid misunderstandings that intense firecrackers’ sounds may be misconstrued as armed attack, and provide rules and regulations in the use of firecrackers, fireworks, and pyrotechnics during events and occasions.

After deliberation during our Committee Meeting on **October 19, 2022**, we find that the said ordinance was passed within the scope of prescribed powers of the Sanggunian. The Committee therefore recommends to declare the validity of Agenda No. 427 upon suspension of the rules in today’s session.

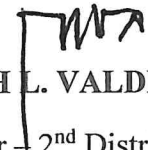
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