

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Ilocos Norte
SOLSONA

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 5TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE
3RD SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SOLSONA, ILOCOS NORTE, IN ITS
SESSION HALL ON AUGUST 21, 1995.

PRESENT:

Hon. Pablito R. Cabacungan,	Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer,
Hon. Ismael L. Agulay,	Member,
Hon. Adlai C. Factora,	Member,
Hon. Jovencio M. Pascua,	Member,
Hon. Andresito A. Luis,	Member,
Hon. Agripino M. Estavillo,	Member,
Hon. Gervacio B. Vicente,	Member,
Hon. Henry A. Batara,	Member,
Hon. Alma B. Manuel,	Member,
Hon. Edison E. de Lara,	ABC President,

ABSENT:

Hon. Jonathan L. de Lara,	SK President.
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MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE 316

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING FEES FOR SEALING OF WEIGHT AND
MEASURES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES IN VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, R.A. 7394 otherwise known as the Consumer Act
of the Philippines was enacted primarily to protect the interest
of the consumers.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Solsona has prog-
ressively implemented over the years, measures to promote public
health and safety as well as the address deceptive, unfair and
unconscionable sales acts and other malpractices;

THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Henry A. Batara, duly secon-
ded by Hon. Gervacio B. Vicente, Hon. Edison E. de Lara and Hon.
Agripino M. Estavillo, be it ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Bayan
of Solsona that:

Section 1 - Fees for sealing of weights and measures
shall be in accordance with the following schedule to wit:

A) For sealing linear metric measures:

- a.1 - measure not over one meter - ₱ 10.00
- a.2 - measure over one meter - ₱ 20.00

B) For sealing metric measures of capacity

- b.1 - measures not over ten liters ₱ 10.00
- b.2 - measures over ten liters - ₱ 20.00

C) For sealing metric instruments of weights

- c.1 - those with a capacity of not more than 30
kilograms - ₱ 20.00
- c.2 - those with a capacity of more than 30 but
not more than 300 kilograms - ₱ 30.00
- c.3 - those with a capacity of more than 300
kilograms ₱ 60.00



D) For an apothecary balance of other balance of pro-
cession, the fee shall be doubled.

E) A complete set of weights for each scale or balance
shall be sealed free of charge for each extra weights.
The fee shall be ₱50.00

Section 2 - The fees herein levied shall be paid at the
place where the business is conducted. In the case of the peddler
on similar itinerant vendor using only one weight or measure, he
shall pay the fees in his place of residence.

Section 3 - The fees herein levied shall be collected by
the Municipal Treasurer or her duly authorized representative.

Section 4 - Sealing and Testing of instruments of weights
and measure. All instruments for determining weights and measures
in all consumer and consumer related transactions shall be tested,
calibrated and sealed every six (6) by the official sealer who
shall be the Municipal Treasurer or his authorized representative
upon payment of fees required under existing laws.

Section 5 - Fraudulent practices and unlawful possession
on use of instrument of weights and measures shall be punished by
a fine not less than ₱1,000.00 but not more than ₱5,000.00, can-
cellation of permits or by imprisonment of not less than one month
but not more than six (6) months or both at the discretion of a
court.

Section 6 - This Ordinance shall take effect after the
lapse of twenty one (21) days from the day a copy of it is posted
on the bulletin board, Municipal Churches, Market and other cons-
picious places and published in the newspaper of local circula-
tion.

Copies of this Ordinance be furnished the Sangguniang
Panlalawigan, Laoag City and the Municipal Treasurer, Tolsona,
Ilocos Norte for their information;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY, with the following votes:

In favor - Hons. Agulay, Factora, Pascua, Luis, Estavillo
Vicente, Batara, Manuel and E. de Lara.

Against - None.

CERTIFIED TRUE & CORRECT:

ATTESTED:


PABLITO R. CABACUNGAN
Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer


BARTOLOME S. ASUNCION

Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

APPROVED:


JOSEPH E. DE LARA

Municipal Mayor

Date: 8-29-25