

[REPUBLIC ACT NO. 2709, June 18, 1960]

**AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT
NUMBERED ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-THREE, OTHERWISE KNOWN
AS THE CHARTER OF PASAY CITY.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in
Congress assembled:*

SECTION 1. Section twelve of Republic Act Numbered One hundred eighty-three is amended to read as follows:

*"SEC. 12. Constitution and organization of the Municipal Board—
Compensation of members thereof.—*The Municipal Board shall be the legislative body of the city and shall be composed of the Vice-Mayor, who shall be its presiding officer, and ten councilors who shall be elected at large by popular vote during every election for provincial and municipal officials in conformity with the provisions of the Election Code. In case of sickness, absence, suspension or temporary disability of any member of the Board or if necessary to maintain a quorum, the President of the Philippines may appoint a temporary substitute who shall possess all the rights and perform all the duties of a member of the Board until the return to duty of the regular incumbent.

"The Vice-Mayor shall appoint all the employees of the Board who may be suspended or removed in accordance with law, and shall approve the payroll of the said employees.

"If any member of the Municipal Board should be a candidate for office in any election, he shall be disqualified to act with the Board in the discharge of the duties conferred upon it relative to election matters, and in case the other members of the Board shall discharge said duties without his assistance, or they may choose some disinterested elector of the city to act with the Board in such matters in his stead.

*"The members of the Municipal Board shall receive a compensation of four thousand eight hundred pesos each *per annum*."*

SEC. 2. The first paragraph of Section fifteen of the same Act is amended to read as follows:

*"SEC. 15. Method of transacting business by the Boards Authentication and publication of ordinances.—*The Board shall hold one ordinary session for the transaction of business during each week on a day which it shall