

[REPUBLIC ACT NO. 2366, June 20, 1959]

**AN ACT AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT
NUMBERED THREE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT, OTHERWISE
KNOWN AS THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CALBAYOG.**

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

SECTION 1. Sections seven, eight, eleven and thirteen of Republic Act Numbered Three hundred twenty-eight otherwise known as the Charter of the City of Calbayog are amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 7. *The Mayor.*—The Mayor shall be the chief executive of the city. He shall be elected by the qualified voters of the city during every election for provincial and municipal officials in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Election Code. No person shall be eligible for the position of mayor unless he is at least thirty years of age, a resident of the city for at least five years and a qualified voter therein.

"He shall receive the salary provided for in Republic Act Numbered Eight hundred forty. With the approval of the President, the Mayor may be provided, in addition to his salary, a non-commutable allowance of not exceeding two thousand pesos *per annum*.

"SEC. 8. *The Vice-Mayor.*—There shall be a Vice-Mayor who shall perform the duties of Mayor in the event of the sickness, absence or other temporary incapacity of the Mayor, or in the event of a definite vacancy in the position of Mayor, until said office is filled in accordance with law. The Vice-Mayor shall also preside over the meetings of the Municipal Board, but he shall have no right to vote except in case of tie. If, for any reason, the Vice-Mayor is temporarily incapacitated for the performance of the duties of the Mayor, or said office of the Vice-Mayor is vacant, the duties of the Mayor shall be performed by the city treasurer. The Acting Mayor shall have the same powers and duties as the Mayor.

"The Vice-Mayor shall perform such other duties as may be assigned to him by the Mayor or prescribed by law or ordinance. He shall be elected in the same manner as the Mayor and shall at the time of his election possess the qualifications as the Mayor. He shall receive a salary of four thousand two hundred pesos per annum. For services as Acting Mayor the Vice-Mayor shall receive a total of the compensation equivalent to the salary of the Mayor during such period.

"SEC. 11. *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