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**ORDINANCE PROVIDING “LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS”**

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**WHEREAS**, in adherence with the declared policy of the State to give priority to education and to promote the right of its citizens to quality education, the City of Marikina has established pertinent programs that support Free Education to its resident;

**WHEREAS**, the City Government of Marikina recognizes the need to provide opportunities to deserving Marikeño to achieve higher learning and develop expertise and knowledge particularly in the field of Medicine;

**WHEREAS**, the City Government of Marikina likewise recognizes the need to continuously address the health and welfare of the Marikina Residents by producing competent and qualified local Medical Practitioners that will surely serve Marikina City;

**WHEREAS**, many talented and intellectually capable collegiate graduates of Pre-medical courses cannot pursue their studies due to financial constraints.

**WHEREAS**, in consonance with these objectives the City Government of Marikina is willing to provide assistance thru “**LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS**” to deserving residents of the City;

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**WHEREAS**, Section 2 of Article XIV of the Constitution of the Philippines provides that the State shall:

*“(3) Establish and maintain a system of scholarship grants, student loan programs, subsidies, and other incentives which shall be available to deserving students in both public and private schools, especially to the underprivileged;”*

**WHEREAS**, Section 458 (5) of the Local Government Code of 1991 has likewise provided that, the Sangguniang Panlungsod, as the legislative body of the city shall enact ordinances to;

*“(xi) Establish a scholarship fund for the poor but deserving students in schools located within its jurisdiction or for students residing within the city;”*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED** by the **CITY COUNCIL of MARIKINA**, in session duly assembled, that:

**SECTION 1. Definition: Bona Fide Resident.** - Presently residing and voting at Marikina City. Have graduated his/her Elementary and High School in any private or public school in Marikina City. Must be able to present his voters ID and should possess an endorsement from the Barangay Office as proof of his residency.

**SECTION 2.** The City Government of Marikina hereby grants scholarship for General Medicine Course.

**SECTION 3.** The **“LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS”** mentioned above may be availed by the grantee in the following schools with good reputation particular on Medical Courses and is duly accredited by the Commission on Higher Education:

- a. Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila
- b. Far Eastern University
- c. Emilio Aguinaldo College
- d. Manila Central University
- e. University of Sto. Thomas
- f. Fatima University
- g. University of the East
- h. University of Perpetual Help System DALTA
- i. St. Lukes College of Medicine

**SECTION 4.** The **“LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS”** scholarship program grant will be limited to Five (5) slots per school year.

**SECTION 5.** To be eligible to the scholarship grant the applicant must possess the following qualifications:

- a) Must passed the Entrance Examination for Medicine in the above mentioned schools.
- b) Must be a bona fide resident of Marikina
- c) Must be not be more than 30 years of age upon graduation from Pre-Medicine Courses
- d) Must submit a letter of intent availing the **“LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS”** scholarship program grants.
- e) Has obtained any Bachelor’s Degree that is construed as Pre-medicine courses.

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- f) Has passed and endorsed by the Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat and the Medical Scholarship Board.
- g) Additional requirement may be stipulated in the formulated Internal Rules and Regulations of the Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat and duly approved by the Medical Scholarship Board.

**SECTION 6.** Medical Scholarship Board. There shall be Medical Scholarship Board created and shall be composed of:

Chairman: Honorable City Mayor  
Vice Chairman: Honorable Vice Mayor  
Chairman on the Committee on Education of  
Sangguniang Panglungsod

The committee shall have the following functions and responsibilities:

- a) Approve applications for the Medical Scholarship Grant selected by the Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat;
- b) Accept and decide appeals forwarded by the Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat;
- c) Approve the formulated Internal Rules and Regulations of the Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat.

**SECTION 7. *Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat.*** - The Chairman of the Medical Scholarship Board shall appoint four (4) members of the Medical Scholarship Grant Secretariat and shall perform the functions and responsibilities as follows:

- a) Accept all applications for **“LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS”** scholarship program;
- b) Review, evaluate and forward to the Medical Scholarship Board the screened applications;
- c) Conduct interview of prospective scholar;
- d) Provide Career Orientation Program for interested applicants;
- e) Maintain all records and documents of the Scholarship Program;
- f) Monitor and evaluate the performance of the scholars;
- g) Monitoring the performance of the scholars and Prepare documentation reports per Semester to be submitted to the Selection Board;
- h) Accepts and determine merit of appeals by applicants and Medical Scholarship Grantees and forward to the Medical Scholarship Board;
- i) Formulate additional Internal Rules and Regulations to be approved by the Medical Scholarship Board.

**SECTION 8. *“LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS” Entitlement and Conditions.***- The Medical Degree Scholarship Grant shall be subject to the following entitlement and conditions:

- a) The **“LIBRENG PAG-AARAL SA PAGDODOKTOR PARA SA MGA MARIKEÑOS”** scholarship program grant amount per semester shall be determined by the Chairman of the Medical Scholarship Board.

The said amount per semester may be used to cover his tuition, transportation allowances, board and lodging allowances, uniforms, textbooks and other necessary supplies for his studies.

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