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HOUSE BILL No. 10473



Introduced by: **REPRESENTATIVE EDWIN L. OLIVAREZ**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

In today's continuous developments, incessant changing times and constant progress, prices of commodities and expenses continue to grow. However, as price increase, the incomes of Senior Citizens (SC) and Persons with Disabilities (PWD) generally remain stagnant.

While it is true that the State already provides several discounts and privileges to the Senior Citizens and PWDs, their needs are still not fully recognized and satisfied. There are still voids to be filled and gaps to be bridged in order to provide full support for the PWDs and SCs.

In an effort to ease financial burdens of the SCs and PWDs, this Bill intends for the institutionalization of 20% privilege discount for Senior Citizens and Persons with Disabilities in all online food, grocery, and ride hailing platforms.


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**AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE 20% PRIVILEGE DISCOUNT FOR
SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN ALL ONLINE
FOOD, GROCERY, AND RIDE HAILING PLATFORMS**

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

SECTION 1. Short Title. – This Act shall be known and cited as the
“Institutionalization of the 20% Privilege Discount for Senior Citizens and
Persons with Disabilities in all online food, grocery, and ride hailing platforms.

SECTION 2. 20% Privilege Discount. – Senior Citizens and Persons with
Disabilities.

SECTION 3. Separability Clause. – If any provision of this Act is declared
unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, the validity of other provisions shall not
be affected thereby.

SECTION 4. Repealing Clause. – All laws, decrees, orders, rules and
regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or
modified accordingly.

SECTION 5. Effectivity. – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its
publication in the Official Gazette or in newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,