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[1791-5.]

SECTION 2175. *Approval of Ordinances by President — Veto Power.* — Except as hereinbelow provided, ordinances and resolutions passed by the municipal council shall be approved and signed by the president. If he shall consider any such ordinance or resolution prejudicial to the public welfare he may veto it by signifying to the council his disapproval thereof in writing; but the council may, by a two-thirds vote of all its members, pass an ordinance or resolution over the veto of the president, in which case it shall be valid without his approval or signature. If the president shall not either approve or veto an ordinance or resolution within five days after its passage, it shall likewise be valid without his approval or signature.

[82-8 (k).]

SECTION 2176. *Time of Taking Effect of Ordinance — Posting of Ordinance.* — Every ordinance shall go into effect on the tenth day after its passage, unless the ordinance shall provide that it shall take effect at an earlier or a later date. The ordinance on the day after its passage shall be posted by the municipal secretary at the main entrance of the municipal building. He shall certify to the fact of posting and shall spread his certificate upon the minutes of the council, but failure to post an ordinance shall not invalidate the same.

[82-34.]

SECTION 2177. *Translation of Ordinance into Native Dialect.* — The municipal council may, if it deems the same to be advisable, order the municipal secretary to have the ordinances, after their passage, translated into the dialect used by the majority of the people, and posted as translated into such dialect, at the main entrance of the municipal building and in other frequented public places in the center of the town and its barrios.

[1886-1.]

SECTION 2178. *Copies of Resolutions and Ordinances to be Forwarded to Provincial Board.* — Within thirty-six hours after a session of the council, the municipal secretary shall forward to the provincial board a correct copy of each resolution and approved ordinance passed at such session. When an ordinance has not been approved by the president within such time, the copy shall thereafter be forwarded immediately upon approval, or, in case of an ordinance passed over the president's veto, immediately upon such passage.

[82-41; 1791-5.]