



Republic of the Philippines
CITY COUNCIL
Quezon City
15th City Council

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RESOLUTION NO. SP 2838 s-2005

A RESOLUTION URGING THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR., TO ISSUE AN EXECUTIVE ORDER DIRECTING THE QUEZON CITY PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE, CONCERNED BARANGAY OFFICIALS, AND OTHER CONCERNED AGENCIES TO STRICTLY IMPLEMENT AND ENFORCE EXISTING LAWS PROHIBITING THE DRINKING OF LIQUOR AND OTHER INTOXICATING BEVERAGES, GAMBLING AND EXCESSIVE NOISE FROM LOUD SPEAKERS INSIDE THE PREMISES OF PUBLIC CEMETERIES DURING THE OBSERVANCE OF ALL SAINTS' DAY AND ALL SOULS' DAY.

Introduced by Councilors RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN,
ERIC Z. MEDINA, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR.,
RAMON P. MEDALLA, JORGE B. BANAL, JR.,
VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, JOSEPH
P. JUICO and FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernadette Herrera-Dy,
Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo and Wencerom
Benedict C. Lagumbay.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991," provides among other things, "that every local government unit shall exercise the power expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, incidental for its efficient governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, under Section 455 (2)(iii) of the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor has the power to issue Executive Orders for the faithful and appropriate enforcement and execution of laws and ordinances;

WHEREAS, the celebration of All Saints' Day in the past is characterized by supreme solemnity because it is on this occasion that we reminisce and pray for the departed souls of our beloved family members, relatives and friends;

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WHEREAS, it is already a proven fact that during the observance of All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day, the foremost cause of untoward incidents occurring in cemeteries is the excessive festivities of some people which are usually expressed in the drinking of liquor and other intoxicating beverages, gambling and playing of music in loud speakers;

WHEREAS, to restore the spirit and solemnity of the observance of All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day and to prevent or minimize the occurrence of untoward incidents, strict implementation and enforcement of existing laws and ordinances must be pursued.


NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, the Honorable City Mayor Feliciano R. Belmonte, Jr., to issue an Executive Order directing the Quezon City Philippine National Police, concerned barangay officials, and other concerned agencies to strictly implement and enforce existing laws prohibiting the drinking of liquor and other intoxicating beverages, gambling and excessive noise from loud speakers inside the premises of public cemeteries during the observance of All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day.

ADOPTED: March 8, 2005.



WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY
City Councilor
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution which was APPROVED on Second Reading on March 8, 2005, was CONFIRMED by the City Council on March 15, 2005.


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary