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RESOLUTION NO. SP- **5057**, S-2011

A RESOLUTION MANDATING THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND WASTE MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT (EPWMD) TO REQUIRE ALL PRIVATE GARBAGE COLLECTION CONTRACTORS OF QUEZON CITY TO PROVIDE THEIR GARBAGE COLLECTION PERSONNEL WITH PROPER COVER-ALL UNIFORMS AND BODY PROTECTION GEARS.

Introduced by Councilor JESSICA CASTELO DAZA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Eden "Candy" A. Medina, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Roderick M. Paulate, Godofredo T. Liban II, Julian ML. Coseteng, Jaime F. Borres, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Raquel S. Malañgen and Ramulfo Z. Ludovica.

WHEREAS, the general population does not generally acknowledge the important role that garbage collection personnel play in our everyday lives;

WHEREAS, it has been observed that garbage collection personnel of private garbage collection contractors are collecting garbage with their bare hands and usually are wearing short pants, t-shirts and rubber slippers. Handling waste can lead to an increased risk for contracting many serious illness, such as hepatitis or infections;


WHEREAS, without proper uniform and body protection gears, the health of these garbage collection personnel are being exposed to germs and bacteria when performing their duties of collecting garbage;

WHEREAS, garbage collection personnel face extremely dangerous work conditions. Their jobs involve maneuvering around huge trucks, lifting heavy loads, operating compacting machines, and handling potentially dangerous waste materials. There is therefore a need to protect the physical health of these garbage collection personnel who are prone to acquire contagious disease due to the nature of their work.


NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to mandate, as it does hereby mandate the Environmental Protection and Waste Management Department (EPWMD) to require all private garbage collection contractors of Quezon City to provide their garbage collection personnel with proper cover-all uniforms and body protection gears.

ADOPTED: January 24, 2011.



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on January 24, 2011 and was CONFIRMED on January 31, 2011.


DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
X City Secretary 