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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City
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36th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP-9347, S-2023

A RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF QUEZON CITY TO FACILITATE AND COOPERATE WITH RELEVANT AGENCIES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CITY-WIDE SIM CARD REGISTRATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11934, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SUBSCRIBER IDENTITY MODULE (SIM) CARD REGISTRATION ACT

Introduced by Councilors FERNANDO MIGUEL "Mikey" F. BELMONTE and ALBERT ALVIN "Chuckie" L. ANTONIO III
Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Charm M. Ferrer, Candy A. Medina, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Ram V. Medalla, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Julian Marcus D. Trono

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 11934, entitled "An Act Requiring the Registration of Subscriber Identity Module" aims to protect the privacy and reduce the vulnerability of Filipinos from cybercriminal activities, such as misrepresentation, scam and fraud;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7925, otherwise known as the "Public Telecommunications Policy Act", likewise recognizes the essential role of telecommunication in economic development integrity and security of the Philippines, and such shall be part of the social and political fabric of the Philippines;

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WHEREAS, the National Telecommunications Commission (NTC's) Memorandum Circular Order No. 001-12-2022, providing for the Rules and Regulations Implementing Republic Act No. 11934, has prescribed the general rules and guidelines for the registration of new and existing SIM Card end-users;

WHEREAS, a March 2021 study conducted by TransUnion, which is a global information and insights company, shows that 44% of Filipino consumers have been targeted by digital fraud attempts within the previous three (3) months, while enterprises have seen a 31% increase in fraud attempts compared to the previous year;

WHEREAS, to further protect our consumers and individuals in Quezon City, there is a need to ensure strict compliance to relevant national legislation.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, the Quezon City Government to facilitate and cooperate with relevant agencies for the implementation of the City-wide SIM card registration in accordance with the Republic Act No. 11934, otherwise known as Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) Card Registration Act.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Quezon City Information Technology Development Department (ITDD), through effective coordination with the National Telecommunications Commission and in coordination with other concerned agencies and public telecommunications entities, shall facilitate the effective implementation of the SIM Card Registration Act, and its Implementing Rules and Regulations.

RESOLVED FURTHERMORE, that the ITDD shall integrate the registration of each SIM Card in the QC E-Services and launch joint communication education and public awareness campaigns to ensure that every citizen of Quezon City will register.

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RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to all concerned offices under the administration of the City Government for their implementation.

ADOPTED: June 26, 2023.



GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(City Council Secretary)

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on June 26, 2023 and was CONFIRMED under Suspended Rules on the same date.


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
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