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AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL RESIDENTS AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS IN QUEZON CITY TO SEGREGATE SPENT FLOURESCENT LIGHT BULBS FROM COMMON GARBAGE SO AS TO ELIMINATE EXPOSURE FROM MERCURY, DECLARING THE SAME AS HAZARDOUS WASTE AND DIRECTING THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND WASTE MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT (EPWMD) TO PREPARE IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS REGARDING THE DISPOSAL OF THE SAME.

Introduced by Councilor **ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE**.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Julian M.L. Coseteng, Antonio E. Inton, Jr., Alma F. Montilla, Janet M. Malaya and Bayani V. Hipol.

WHEREAS, the City Council is mandated to formulate legislative measures to promote the welfare and safety of its constituency;

WHEREAS, likewise, it is declared policy of the state to promote the preservation, protection and revival of our ecosystem through the prevention, control and abatement of any pollutants and hazardous waste in our environment;

WHEREAS, Section 2(f) of the Republic Act 9275 otherwise known as the "Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004", provides;

"f) To encourage cooperation and self-regulation among citizens and industries through the application of incentives and market-based instruments and to promote the role of private industrial enterprises in shaping its regulatory profile within the acceptable boundaries of public health and environment"

Only.

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