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AN ORDINANCE MANDATING PROPRIETORS AND/OR SELECTED EMPLOYEES OF COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ENTITIES TO UNDERGO A WASTE MANAGEMENT SEMINAR AS A REQUIREMENT FOR THE APPROVAL OF THEIR APPLICATION OR RENEWAL OF THEIR BUSINESS PERMITS AND LICENSES STARTING YEAR 2005.

Introduced by Councilors EDCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., ANTONIO E. INTON, JR. BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, JORGE B. BANAL, JR. and BAYANI V. HIPOL.

WHEREAS, it is stated in the General Welfare Clause of the Local Government Code (RA 7160) that local government units shall strive to promote a safe and wholesome environment;

WHEREAS, the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act (RA 9003) encourages the sorting and segregation of waste at its source as a major component of the waste management process;

WHEREAS, aside from the residential areas, spaces such as business establishments, industrial areas and government and private institutions generate specific types of waste that should be sorted and segregated for their proper disposal, recycling and reuse;

WHEREAS, the above mentioned activities, if done at the source of waste generation, can contribute to the more efficient waste management in Quezon City;

WHEREAS, the owners and employees of such establishments should be currently updated with regard to the state of the art in solid waste management.

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