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AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE QUEZON CITY CULTURE AND ARTS COUNCIL AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.

Introduced by Councilors ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE, BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, V. FERRER, JR., ROMMEL ABESAMIS, WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO, RAMON P. MEDALLA, ALLAN BUTCH T. FRANCISCO. JORGE В. BANAL. WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY. EDCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN and BAYANI V. HIPOL.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that local government units play an important role in the development, promotion and preservation of Filipino culture to encourage the participation of the people in the development and preservation of Filipino identity;

WHEREAS, likewise, Sections 447 (5) (xvi), 458 (5) (xvi) and 468 (4) (vii) of the same Code vest upon local sanggunians the power to establish local councils whose purpose is the promotion of culture and the arts, coordinate with government agencies and non-government organizations, and subject to the availability of funds, appropriate funds for the support and development of the same;

WHEREAS, DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2002-61 states the need to create bodies at the local levels Council for the Culture and Arts that will ensure preservation, enrichment and promotion of Filipino national culture.

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