AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING EVERY BARANGAY IN QUEZON CITY TO SET ASIDE AT LEAST ONE PERCENT (1%) OF THEIR TOTAL ANNUAL BUDGET AND TO ALLOCATE THE SAME FOR THE PROGRAMS, PROJECTS, AND ACTIVITIES FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.

Introduced by Councilors ROGELIO "Roger" P. JUAN and GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II.

WHEREAS, Section 9, Article II of the 1987 Constitution declares that the State shall promote a just and dynamic order that will ensure the prosperity and independence of the nation and free the people from poverty through policies that provide adequate social services, promote full employment, a rising standard of living, and an improved quality of life for all;

WHEREAS, under Section 11, Article XIII, of the same Constitution, the State is mandated to adopt an integrated and comprehensive approach to health development which shall endeavour to make essential goods, health, and other social services available to all people at affordable cost. There shall be priority for the needs of the underprivileged, sick, elderly, disabled, women, and children. Likewise, Section 13, Article X, of the same provides that Local government units may group, consolidate or coordinate their effective efforts, services, and resources for purposes commonly beneficial to them in accordance with law;