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AN ORDINANCE MANDATING BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF QUEZON CITY TO ADHERE TO A "DRUG-FREE QUEZON CITY", PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

*Introduced by Councilors GIAN CARLO G. SOTTO and
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Benedict S. Reyes, Kate Abigail G. Coseteng, Franz S.
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Xenia L. Lagman, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr.,
Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto,
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WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act no. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that Local Government Units (LGUs) shall pursue undertaking to improve public morals and maintain peace and order among other equally significant concerns;

WHEREAS, under Section 458, paragraph (a) (1) (V) of the same Code, the Sangguniang Panlungsod has the power and authority to enact ordinance to prevent, suppress and impose appropriate penalties for xxx drug addiction, maintenance of drug dens, drug pushing, and such other activities inimical to the welfare and moral of the inhabitants of the city;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Memorandum Circular No. 2009-09, an emphasis as to the primary responsibilities of the local authorities in support of overall government efforts to address illegal drugs and other substances was made; ✓

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