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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **2544**, S-2016

**AN ORDINANCE GRANTING DEATH BENEFIT WELFARE ASSISTANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF AT LEAST FIVE THOUSAND PESOS (PHP5,000,00) TO THE BEREAVED FAMILIES OF REGISTERED RESIDENT SENIOR CITIZENS OF QUEZON CITY.**

*Introduced by Councilor ROGELIO "Roger" P. JUAN,  
Co-Introduced by Councilor Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Oliviere T. Belmonte, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Ramon P. Medalla, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Kate Abigael G. Coseteng, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Marvin C. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Marra C. Suntay, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co-Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina and Ricardo B. Corpuz*

*WHEREAS, under Republic Act No. 9994, otherwise known as the "Expanded Senior Citizens Act of 2010", the City Government is mandated to adopt measures whereby our senior citizens are assisted and appreciated by the community as a whole and to establish a program beneficial to the senior citizens, their families and the rest of the community they serve;*

*WHEREAS, Section 4, Article 20 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9994 provides that a death benefit assistance of a minimum of Two Thousand Pesos (Php2,000,00) shall be given to the nearest surviving relative who took care of the deceased senior citizens reside, subject to the guidelines to be issued by the DSWD and DILG. In keeping with the intention of the law and similar government assistance being granted, this benefit shall apply in relation to deceased indigent senior citizens only. However, it will not preclude LGUs already granting burial assistance to continue giving such benefit to non-indigent senior citizens;*

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