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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **2549**, S-2016

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A MANDATORY SEISMIC RETROFITTING PROGRAM FOR QUEZON CITY OWNED AND BARANGAY-OWNED BUILDINGS, PARTICULARLY THOSE BUILT BEFORE THE 1990 EARTHQUAKE, ADOPTING ENGINEERING AND ENVIRONMENTAL/GREEN BUILDING FINDINGS OF LOCAL CONDITIONS, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilor GIAN CARLO G. SOTTO.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Lena Marie P. Juico, 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, 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, Julianne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Andres Jose G. Yllana, Jr., Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co-Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, based on the finding of the Metro Manila Earthquake Impact Reduction Study jointly undertaken by the Philippine Institute of Volcanology and Seismology (PHILVOCS), the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) and the Metro Manila Development Authority (MMDA) it was acknowledged that Metro Manila will experience moderate to severe earthquake in the foreseeable future, increased effort to reduce earthquake hazards should be encouraged and supported;

WHEREAS, this Ordinance shall empower the City Engineering Department to assess the earthquake hazards and identify the city-owned and barangay-owned buildings that are potentially hazardous to life in the event of an earthquake;

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