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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **2573**, S-2017

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL DAY CARE CENTERS IN QUEZON CITY TO CONDUCT TUBERCULIN SKIN TESTING FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE DAY CARE CENTER STUDENTS ANNUALLY WITH AN APPROPRIATION OF FIVE MILLION PESOS (P5,000,000.00) FOR THE BUDGET OF THE QUEZON CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND EVERY YEAR THEREAFTER.

*Introduced by Councilors EUFEMIO C. LAGUMBAY and
DIORELLA MARIA 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, Rarulfo Z. Ludovica, Estrella C. Valmocina, Roderick M. Paulate, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Kate Abigail G. Coseteng, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Franz S. Pumaren, Marvin C. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Marra C. Suntay, Hero Clarence M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Julienne 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, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, Tuberculosis (TB) is an infectious bacterial disease caused by Mycobacterium tuberculosis, which most commonly affects the lungs, transmitted from person to person via droplets from the throat and lungs of people with the active respiratory disease;

WHEREAS, Tuberculosis (TB) among children is generally mild and rarely infectious. However, the condition can become serious, hence the need for early diagnosis and treatment;

WHEREAS, unlike in adults, screening and establishing the diagnosis of tuberculosis in children is difficult, complex and remains a challenge; ✓

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