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**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CLINICAL LABORATORY SERVICES
IN QUEZON CITY PUBLIC HEALTH CENTERS, APPROPRIATING
FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Introduced by Councilors **JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA** and **DIORELLA MARIA G. SOTTO**.

Co-Introduced by Councilors **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, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, 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, Godofredo T. Liban II, 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, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 mandates that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, and those, which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, a clinical laboratory is a laboratory where tests are done on clinical specimens in order to obtain information about the health of a patient as pertaining to the diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of disease. Accurate clinical laboratory results enable health providers to make the right diagnostic and therapeutic decisions;

WHEREAS, apart from the early detection of diseases, increasingly, pre-employment medical examination is being required by employers to determine whether an individual is fit to perform his or her job without risk to himself or others;