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*AN ORDINANCE RESTRUCTURING THE QUEZON CITY LEGAL DEPARTMENT, REDESIGNING THE ORGANIZATIONAL AND FUNCTIONAL STRUCTURE, PROVIDING FUNDS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

*Introduced by Councilor RODERICK M. PAULATE.*

*Co-Introduced by Councilors Lena Marie P. Juico, 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, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lugumbay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Hero Clarence M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Julianne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Andres Jose G. Yilana, Jr., Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co-Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Alfredo S. Roxas and Noe Lorenzo B. Dela Fuente III.*

*WHEREAS, the City Legal Department is the chief legal counsel of the Quezon City Government. As such, it is tasked to represent the local government unit and to advise the City Mayor and other City Officials in any litigation or matter under Section 481 of the Local Government Code of 1991 and the provisions of Republic Act No. 537, otherwise known as the Quezon City Charter;*

*WHEREAS, it stands to be in the forefront of formulating legal measures and policies for the City Government in accordance with the duties and functions enshrined in the Charter and Local Government Code;*

*WHEREAS, it must be kept abreast with the changing status of our constituents towards operative, productive and fair implementation of the rule of law and therefore, there is a need to strengthen the Legal Department to cope with the demands and the challenges for competence and efficiency:*