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AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE QUEZON CITY MOST CHILD-FRIENDLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AWARD, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilor JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Oliviere T. Belmonte, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Ramon P. Medalla, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Estrella C. Valmocina, Roderick M. Paulate, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Kate Abigael G. Coseteng, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Marra C. Suntay, Hero Clarence M. Bautista, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Alfredo S. Roxas and Noe Lorenzo B. Dela Fuente III.

WHEREAS, the Philippine Constitution provides that the State shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels;

WHEREAS, the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child which the Philippines signed and ratified recognizes that all children have the right to survival, development, protection, and participation;

WHEREAS, as recognized by The United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF), the challenge in education is not simply to get children into school, but also to improve the overall quality of schooling and address threats to participation;

WHEREAS, it is essential to address all elements that influence the well-being and rights of the child as a learner and the main beneficiary of teaching, while improving other school functions in the process:

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