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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5383, S-2011

A RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE FIFTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES FOR THE IMMEDIATE PASSAGE OF THE HOUSE BILL NUMBER 4576, ALSO KNOWN AS THE FILIPINO FILM EDUCATION ACT, PROPOSED BY KABATAAN PARTYLIST REPRESENTATIVE RAYMOND PALATINO.

Introduced by Councilors ALFREDO D. VARGAS III, RODERICK M. PAULATE, PRECIOUS HIPOLITO CASTELO, GIAN CARLO G. SOTTO, EDCCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR., DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, RICARDO T. BELMONTE, JR., JOSEPH P. JUICO, ALEXIS R. HERRERA, EDEN "CANDY" A. MEDINA, JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA, GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II, JULIAN ML. COSETENG, ALLAN BENEDICT S. REYES, JAIME F. BORRES, JOSE MARIO DON S. DE LEON, EUFEMIO C. LAGUMBAY, JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY, JESSICA CASTELO DAZA, RAQUEL S. MALAÑGEN, VINCENT DG. BELMONTE, MARVIN C. RILLO, RANILFO Z. LUDOVICA and JOHN ANSELL R. DE GUZMAN.

WHEREAS Section 14, Article XIV of the 1987 Constitution provides that, "The State shall foster the preservation, enrichment, and dynamic evolution of a Filipino culture based on the principle of unity in diversity in a climate of free artistic and intellectual expression";

WHEREAS, Section 2 (1), Article XIV, of the 1987 Constitution, states that, "The state shall establish, maintain and support a complete, adequate and integrated system of education relevant to the needs of the people";

WHEREAS, the fundamental components of contemporary Filipino Culture include the local films of the Philippine Cinema, which are not given due importance because of the proliferation of imported films in the country;

WHEREAS, Filipino Films, some of them were produced and acted upon by Quezon City artists and producers, reflect the artistic heritage and ingenuity of the Filipinos recognized not only by reputable bodies in the country but by the international community as well, proven by the numerous citations and awards in various international film competitions;


WHEREAS, the proposed House Bill No. 4576 or the Filipino Film Education Act mandates the Department of Education (DepEd) to include Filipino Film appreciation in all subjects conducted in Filipino, in all secondary educational institutions, both private and public.

NOW, THEREFORE,


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby, strongly urge the 15th Congress of the Philippines to enact House Bill No. 4576 or the Filipino Film Education Act proposed by Kabataan Partylist Representative Raymond Palatino.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate of the Philippines for their information.

ADOPTED: December 5, 2011.



ANTHONY PETER CRISOLOGO
City Councilor
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on December 5, 2011 and was CONFIRMED on December 12, 2011.


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III