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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

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18th City Council

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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5678, S-2013

A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS AND COMMENDATION OF THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE HERBERT M. BAUTISTA, VICE MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE AND ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE 18TH CITY COUNCIL TO THE HONORABLE SECRETARY ENRIQUE ONA OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR BEING THE FIRST FILIPINO AND THE FIRST SOUTHEAST ASIAN TO BE AWARDED HONORARY FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

Introduced by Councilors JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE and JESSICA C. DAZA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Francisco A. Calalay, Jr., Anthony Peter D. Crisolago, Ricardo T. Belmonte, Jr., Joseph P. Juico, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Alfredo D. Vargas III, Eden "Candy" A. Medina, Roderick M. Paulate, Godofredo T. Liban II, Julian ML. Coseteng, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Jaime F. Borres, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Marvin C. Pillo, Ivy Lim-Lagman, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica and John Ansell R. De Guzman.

WHEREAS, the Honorable Enrique Ona, Secretary of the Department of Health, is the first Filipino and the first Southeast Asian to receive the Honorary Fellow of the American College of Surgeons since its conception in 1913;

WHEREAS, Secretary Ona is recognized as one of the top surgeons in the field of vascular surgery and organ transplantation and got his training from the United States and United Kingdom;


WHEREAS, Secretary Ona established the first training program in vascular surgery and organ transplantation in the country which earned him the distinction of being one of the "Ten Outstanding Young Men" (TOYM) in the field of medicine in 1979;

WHEREAS, before Secretary Ona was appointed Secretary of the Department of Health in 2010, Secretary Ona served as the Executive Director of the National Kidney and Transplant Institute (NKTII) and under his abled leadership NKTII became world class medical institution in kidney transplantation and first ISO certified Government Hospital in the Philippines.


NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to extend, as it does hereby extend the sincere Congratulations and Commendation of the City Mayor, Honorable Herbert M. Bautista, Vice Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte and all the members of the 18th City Council to the Honorable Secretary Enrique Ona of the Department of Health for being the first Filipino and the first Southeast Asian to be awarded honorary fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

ADOPTED: January 21, 2013



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
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 January 21, 2013 and was CONFIRMED on January 28, 2013.


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