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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5952, S-2014

A RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY GOVERNMENT TO IDENTIFY ITS CURRENT MAJOR AND NICHE INDUSTRIES THAT CAN COMPETE REGIONALLY AND INDUSTRIES THAT MAY BE EXPOSED WITH THE ONSET OF THE 2015 ASEAN INTEGRATION.

Introduced by Councilors JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA and ALLAN BENEDICT S. REYES.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Dorothy A. Delarmente, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Roderick M. Paulate, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Franz S. Pumaren, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Santay, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Raquel S. Malañgen, Jessica Castelo Daza, Jose A. Visaya, Godofredo T. Liban II, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, states that every local government unit shall enhance economic prosperity and promote full employment among their constituents;

WHEREAS, in 2007, the 10 ASEAN (Association of South East Asian Nations) leaders from Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Brunei, Vietnam, Lao PDR, Myanmar, and Cambodia, signed the Cebu Declaration accelerating the establishment of an ASEAN Community by 2015;

WHEREAS, the ASEAN Community is composed of three pillars, namely the ASEAN Political Security Community (APSC), the ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community (ASCC), and the ASEAN Economic Community (AEC). The main goals of ASEAN are to achieve regional economic growth, social progress, cultural preservation and development, heightened security and stability, and provide a forum for resolution of members' differences;

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WHEREAS, the AEC will transport ASEAN into a region with free movement of goods, services, investment, skilled labor, and freer flow of capital. The ASEAN will compete globally as one market base with each member gaining from each other's strength in the long run, increasing its total competitiveness and chances for prosperity;


WHEREAS, the AEC will mean new opportunities and threats for the Philippines, it means that there would be a need for the whole country to be ready for the new demands brought by the AEC;

WHEREAS, the DILG recommends that in preparation for the ASEAN integration, LGUs should identify its current major industries that might be exposed to regional competition and likewise identify its current major and niche industries that can compete regionally.


NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge the city government to identify its current major and niche industries that can compete regionally and industries that may be exposed with the onset of the 2015 ASEAN integration.

ADOPTED: June 2, 2014.



DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE
President Pro-Tempore
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 June 2, 2014 and was CONFIRMED on June 9, 2014.


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