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RESOLUTION NO. SP- **7338**, S-2018

A RESOLUTION URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES TO ENACT A LAW PENALIZING THE INFORMANT OR THE PERSON WHO SUPPLIES WRONG INFORMATION IN THE ENTRIES OF BIRTH CERTIFICATE, MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE, DEATH CERTIFICATE AND OTHER REGISTRABLE DOCUMENTS TO BE FILED IN THE LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRY OFFICE.

Introduced by Councilor ERIC Z. MEDINA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Ramon P. Medalla, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Estrella C. Valmocina, Roderick M. Paulate, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Kate Abigael G. Coseteng, Franz S. Pumaren, Raquel S. Malañgen, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Hero Clarence M. Bautista, Julianne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Donato C. Matias and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, Civil Registry Documents such as Birth Certificates, Marriage Certificates, Death Certificates and other vital documents concerning the civil status of person are required to be registered within a certain period with the Local Civil Registry Office;

WHEREAS, it has been observed however, that in order to avoid delayed registration, most of the informant or the person who supplies information in the entries of civil registry documents hurriedly and carelessly filled out the said documents without regard to the truthfulness or accuracy of the same;

WHEREAS, as a result of such carelessness or sometimes inadvertence, birth certificates, marriage certificates, death certificates and other registrable documents are registered before the Local Civil Registry Office containing either misspelled or wrong information;

WHEREAS, the aforesaid documents are vital in transacting official business with the government and private offices. Thus, in case of misspelled or wrong entries thereon the transacting person is being required to institute the necessary correction;

WHEREAS, correction of entries in the said documents either before the Local Civil Registry Office or the appropriate court will not only cause inconvenience but entail considerable expenses to the prejudice of the affected party;


WHEREAS, to make the informant or the person who supplies information in the entries of the aforementioned registrable documents responsible and accountable, there is an imperative need to impose sanctions for their carelessness or intolerable inadvertence.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge the Congress of the Philippines to enact a law penalizing the informant or the person who supplies wrong information in the entries of Birth Certificates, Marriage Certificates, Death Certificates and other registrable documents to be filed in the Local Civil Registry Office.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Offices of the Senate President and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, for their information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED: January 22, 2018.



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Secretary

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on January 22, 2018 and was CONFIRMED on February 5, 2018.


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Secretary