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RESOLUTION NO. SP. 7599, S-2018

A RESOLUTION URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES TO ENACT A LAW THAT WILL REQUIRE ALL PERSONS TO UNDERGO AND BE CERTIFIED ON BASIC MOTORCYCLE SAFETY COURSE CONDUCTED BY ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY AND/OR GOVERNMENT ACCREDITED MOTOR SAFETY ORGANIZATIONS AS A REQUIREMENT BEFORE PURCHASING A MOTORCYCLE AND SECURING AND/OR RENEWING AN LTO DRIVER'S LICENSE TO OPERATE A MOTORCYCLE.

Introduction by Councilor ALEXIS R. HERRERA.

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WHEREAS, there is an alarming and increasing rate of motorcycle fatalities in the country, figures from the Metro Manila Development Authority (MMDA) showed that motorcycles constituted 35% of all vehicles involved in fatal accidents in Metro Manila;

WHEREAS, the Motorcycle Association of the Philippines conducted a written safety examination on 9,000 motorcycle riders, unfortunately no one passed the written safety examinations;

WHEREAS, existing motorcycle safety laws and regulations adequately address the important aspects of motorcycle safety, but it is apparent that majority of motorcycle riders are not aware of the various safety measures in the operations of motorcycle or worse do not give importance or totally disregard the same;

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WHEREAS, various laws are passed for transportation safety, they are vigorously enforced on the onset but then conveniently forgotten by both the people and the law enforcers;

WHEREAS, there is a need to address the alarming increase of motorcycle accidents by requiring all persons to have undergone and passed a motorcycle safety course as a requirement before purchasing a motorcycle and securing and/or renewing an LTO driver's license to operate a motorcycle.

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 that will require all persons to undergo and be certified on basic motorcycle safety course conducted by any government agency and/or government accredited motor safety organizations as a requirement before purchasing a motorcycle and securing and/or renewing an LTO Driver's License to operate a motorcycle.

ADOPTED: September 17, 2018.

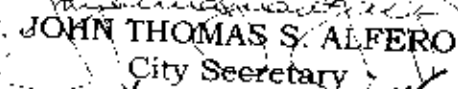

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

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 September 17, 2018 and was CONFIRMED on October 1, 2018.


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Secretary