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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

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20th City Council

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16th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- **6923**, S-2016

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE HERBERT M. BAUTISTA, TO ESTABLISH A SISTER-CITY RELATIONSHIP WITH YANGON CITY, REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF MYANMAR.

Introduced by Councilor ALLAN BENEDICT S. REYES.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Lena Marie P. Juico, Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Oliviere T. Belmonte, Alexis R. Herrera, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Ramon P. Medalla, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Estrella C. Valmocina, Roderick M. Paulate, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Kate Abigael G. Coseteng, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Marra C. Suntay, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co-Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, the Quezon City government is in pursuit of universal cordiality, not only in local or domestic relationship of sisterhood but also international relationship;

WHEREAS, City Sisterhood and Town Twinning is a broad-based, officially approved, long-term partnership between local governments within the country and abroad. It is the highest form of inter - local government unit partnership, in a sense forging local government exchange and cooperation in the pursuit of mutually beneficial objectives along socio-cultural and economic aspects of development;

WHEREAS, there is a proposition from the Philippine Ambassador to Yangon, Myanmar, His Excellency, Alex G. Chua, for the establishment of sister-city agreement between the cities of Quezon and Yangon to foster friendship and further encourage trade and tourism;

WHEREAS, the proposed sister-city relationship between the two great cities of historical background and which have been devoting unquantifiable concern and attention in promoting general welfare will further enhance their respective local governance towards socio-cultural, trade and economic development;

WHEREAS, both cities, in accordance with their prevailing laws, and regulations, establish a sister-city cooperation to promote and expand an effective and mutually beneficial cooperation in the development of both cities, within the limits of their financial, material and personnel capabilities in the following fields:

- a. Trade and economic development;
- b. Transportation and tourism;
- c. Education, culture, youth and sports;
- d. Environment and urban management; and
- e. Human resources, science and technology.

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Quezon City Government to foster friendship, trade, understanding and cooperation;

WHEREAS, the draft Memorandum of Understanding shall form an integral part of this resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to authorize, as it does hereby authorize the City Mayor, Honorable Herbert M. Bautista, to establish a sister-city relationship with the government of Yangon, Republic of the Union of Myanmar. ✕

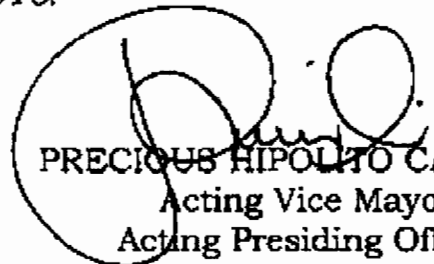
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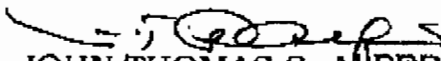
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RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the Office of Asia and Pacific Affairs of the Department of Foreign Affairs and the Philippine Embassy of Yangon, Republic of the Union of Myanmar for their information and reference.

Adopted: November 28, 2016.



PRECIOUS HIPOLYTO CASTELO
Acting Vice Mayor
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 November 28, 2016 and was CONFIRMED on December 13, 2016.


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

