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ORDINANCE NO SP- 981, S-99

AN ORDINANCE RENAMING LA TRINIDAD STREET TO ENRIQUE SOBREPÉÑA STREET.

Introduced by Councilors NANETTE CASTELO DAZA,
JESUS C. SUNTAY, MARCEL C. RILLO, RAMON
G. MATHAY, ALMA F. MONTILLA and BAYANI V.
HIPOL.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Wilma Amoranto-Sarino, Antonio L.
Sioson, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Rommel R.
Abesamis, Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Ma. Fresca M.
Biglang-awa, Godofredo T. Liban II, Marciano P.
Medalla, Enrico S. Serrano, Eric Z. Medina, Jorge L.
Banal, Eufemio C. Lagumbey, Julian M. L. Coseteng,
Fernando V. Avanzado and Almario E. Francisco.

WHEREAS, Bishop Enrique C. Sobrepeña, was a nationalist, constitutionalist,
educator and a hero of the war against Japan in the Bataan Campaign (1941-1942);

WHEREAS, Bishop Sobrepeña, a well known leader of the Philippine Protestant
Community was a Pastor, an Evangelist, a moving force in the ecumenical movement and
seeker of the Unity of the Christian Church;

WHEREAS, Bishop Sobrepeña Memorial Church and School has been serving the
people of Barangay Damayang Lagi thru education and assistance in times of calamities;

WHEREAS, the Sanggunian Barangay of Barangay Damayang Lagi, in its Barangay
Resolution No. 186, S-98, unanimously and favorably endorsed and recommended the
renaming of La Trinidad Street to Enrique Sobrepeña Street in memory of Bishop Calica
Sobrepeña Street;

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Bishop Sobrepeña Memorial Church headed by
Justice Abraham F. Sarmiento, Chairman of the Board, through his letter dated October 26,
1998, requested the City Council, through the City Councilor of the Fourth District of Quezon
City, to rename La Trinidad Street to Enrique C. Sobrepeña Street;

WHEREAS, in commemoration of his 100th year birth anniversary on March 7, 1999
and as a remembrance to his contribution to Philippine society, it is but fitting that the street
where he lived for the last twenty years of his life be named after him;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the Local Government Code of 1991,
Section 13, paragraph b (2), the Sanggunian of highly urbanized cities in consultations with
the National Historical Institute (NHI) are authorized to change the name of city roads,
avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares and bridges;