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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR IN THE EXERCISE OF THE POLICE POWER OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT TO POST, PLACE, AND DISPLAY SUCH SIGNAGES AS ARE NECESSARY TO INFORM AND/OR WARN THE PUBLIC ON THE PRESENCE OF DRUG PUSHERS/PEDDLERS, DRUG LORDS AND THEIR PROTECTORS, WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF QUEZON CITY, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilors MICHAEL F. PLANAS, GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II, RAMON G. MATHAY, JORGE L. BANAL, ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, ANTHONY C. CASTELO, MARCIANO P. MEDALLA, ERIC Z. MEDINA, WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO, NANETTE CASTELO DAZA, WILMA AMORANTO-SARINO, ANTONIO L. SIOSON, ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE, MA. FRESCA M. BIGLANG-AWA, JESUS C. SUNTAY, MARCEL C. RILLO and ALMA F. MONTILLA.

Sponsored by Councilors Eufemio C. Lagumbay and Bayani V. Hipol.

WHEREAS, police power is conferred upon the local government units (LGUs) under Section 16 of the Local Government Code, which provides for the General Welfare Clause, to wit: "Every local government unit shall exercise the powers x-x-x necessary and proper for governance such as to promote health and safety, x-x-x, improve public morals, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants therein";

WHEREAS, the Quezon City government is committed to implement the provisions of the 1987 Constitution and Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, for the promotion of the health, welfare and protection of its citizens, particularly the Filipino youth;

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon the Quezon City government to exercise its vast powers to provide a solution to the worsening drug problem that threatens to destroy the foundation of Philippine society - the Filipino family;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED: