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AN ORDINANCE RENAMING KENTUCKY STREET IN BARANGAY DEL MONTE, DISTRICT 1, QUEZON CITY TO ERNESTO PORTO STREET.

Introduced by Councilor ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE, WILMA AMORANTO-SARINO, VINCENT P. CRISOLOGO, VICTOR V. FERRER, JR., BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, JORGE L. BANAL, JULIAN M.L. COSETENG and JESUS MANUEL MANUEL C. SUNTAY.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Aiko Melendez-Yllana, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Diorella Maria Sotto-De Leon, Alma F. Montilla, Janet M. Malaya and Almario E. Francisco.

WHEREAS, the Barangay Council of Barangay Del Monte, District 1, of this City, has passed Resolution No. 48, S-99, expressing the desire to rename Kentucky Street thereat to Ernesto Porto Street;

WHEREAS, a copy of Barangay Del Monte's Resolution No. 48, S-99 is hereto attached as Annex "A";

WHEREAS, according to the said Resolution, Ernesto Porto, aside from once serving as Tenyente del Barrio in the said area in the 1960's, was one of the most well-known sportsmen of his generation, having represented the Philippines in the 1948 London Olympics, the 1952 Helsinki Olympics and the 1954 Asean Games;

WHEREAS, Ernesto Porto died of a heart attack on February 5, 1973, as evidenced by a copy of a Certificate of Death hereto attached as Annex "B";

WHEREAS, consultation with the National Historical Institute was already made regarding the desired change of street name;

WHEREAS, the desire to rename Kentucky Street, is in part, prompted by nationalistic sentiments on the part of the barangay council;

WHEREAS, renaming Kentucky Street to Ernesto Porto Street will serve to commemorate and honor a man who, by the account of his own community, has served as a good example to the citizenry.