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ORDINANCE NO. SP-**1158** S-2002

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING APRIL 21 TO MAY 5, 2002 AS THE PERIOD FOR THE FIRST "BATANG QC OLYMPICS", PROVIDING FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilor AIKO MELENDEZ- YLLANA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Vincent P. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Ramon P. Medalla, Jorge L. Banal, Julian M.L. Coseteng, Dante M. De Guzman, Jesus "Bong" C. Suntay, Janet M. Malaya and Almario E. Francisco.

WHEREAS, the potentials of the youth for civic efficiency and responsible citizenship may be honed by redirecting and re-channelling their energies towards sports activities and other positive activities geared towards transforming them into physically sound and productive citizens;

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Philippines mandates the State to encourage sports programs, league competitions and amateur sports, including training for international competitions, to foster self-discipline, teamwork, and excellence for the development of a healthy and alert citizenry (Article XIV, Section 19 (1));

WHEREAS, the implementation of an effective grassroots sports development program gives flesh to the constitutional mandate for the state to give full recognition to the "vital role of the youth in nation-building and promote and protect their physical, moral, spiritual, intellectual and social well-being. It shall inculcate in the youth patriotism and nationalism, and encourage their involvement in public and civic affairs." (Article II, Section 13);

WHEREAS, the successful implementation of the First Batang Quezon City Olympic or Palarong Pambansa is a step towards fulfilling our firm commitment to provide our youth a bright and stable future.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. **DECLARATION OF POLICY.** Pursuant to Ordinance No. SP-251, S-94 (19 December 1994) and Executive Order No. 3, S. 2001 (30 September 2001) of the Honorable Feliciano R. Belmonte, Jr., the Sports Development Council (SDC) is tasked to "plan and supervise an integrated sports promotion and development program in the grassroots level and to monitor and ensure that the concerned offices/ units organized by the SDC implement their respective sports programs for the City x x x."

