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ORDINANCE NO. SP-**1319**, S-2003

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE QUEZON CITY COUNCIL OF CULTURE AND ARTS (QCCCA), DEFINING ITS COMPOSITION, FUNCTIONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilors BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, DANTE M. DE GUZMAN, VINCENT P. CRISOLOGO, MARY ANN L. SUSANO, JULIAN M.L. COSETENG, DIORELLA MARIA SOTTO- DE LEON, JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY, JANET M. MALAYA, RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN and XYRUS L. LANOT.

WHEREAS, as per DILG Memorandum Circular dated May 17, 2002, all provinces, cities, and municipalities, through their respective sanggunian, are encouraged to create the City Council for Culture and Arts;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that local government units play an important role in the development, promotion and preservation and enrichment of culture xxx encourage and support the development and preservation of Filipino identity;

WHEREAS, likewise, Sections 447 (5) (xvi), 458 (5) (xvi) and 468 (4) (viii), of the same Code, vest upon local sanggunians the power to establish local council whose purpose is the promotion of culture and the arts, coordinate with government agencies and non-governmental organizations and, subject to the availability of funds, appropriate funds for the support and development of the same.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Title. - This ordinance shall be known as the "Quezon City Culture and Arts Council" (QCCCA).

SECTION 2. Declaration of Policy. - In order to promote the Filipino culture, instill national and cultural unity, and raise the level of consciousness of the people on cultural values, the conservation of historical and cultural heritage and resources must be done to remind us of our national culture and identity.

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