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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-1718, S-2006, AS TO EXTEND THE TAX HOLIDAY FOR THE SHOWING OF LOCAL FILMS IMPOSED UNDER SECTION 39 (A) (1) OF THE QUEZON CITY REVENUE CODE, AS AMENDED, FOR PURPOSES THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilors ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR., BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, VICTOR V. FERRER, JR., JOSEPH P. JUICO, RICARDO T. BELMONTE, JR., WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO, RAMON P. MEDALLA, ALLAN BUTCH T. FRANCISCO, VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, EDEN "Candy" A. MEDINA, AIKO S. MELENDEZ, JORGE B. BANAL, JR., FRANZ S. PUMAREN, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY, DANTE M. DE GUZMAN, DIORELLA MARLA G. SOTTO, JAIME F. BORRES, JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY, JANET M. MALAYA, EDCEL B. LAGMAN, JR., VINCENT DG. BELMONTE, BAYANI V. HIPOL, CONCEPCION S. MALAÑGEN and ALEXIS GRACE R. MATIAS.

WHEREAS, the Philippine film and movie industry has experienced a substantial decrease in the number of locally produced motion pictures from over 200 films in the 1970's to the 1980's to an average of only 82 films from 2000 to 2003, only 56 films in 2004 and continuously decreasing its number;

WHEREAS, such a decline in the number of motion picture productions may be directly attributed to onerous taxation by both the national and local government, and film and other intellectual property piracy, thereby limiting its potential profitability;

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