

Republika ng Pilipinas Lungsod Quezon SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD (City Council)

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A RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS TO PASS A LAW ABOLISHING THE PRESIDENTIAL COMMISSION ON GOOD GOVERNMENT (PCGG).

Introduced by Councilor WILMA AMORANTO-SARINO.

WHEREAS, the Presidential Commission on Good Government (PCGG) which was created after the EDSA Revolution and during the administration past President Corazon C. Aquino tasked to locate, identify and recover the ill-gotten wealth of deposed late President Ferdinand E. Marcos including that of his cromies and dummies was never successful, since its creation, in bringing back to the Philippine government all questionable properties, money and wealth;

WHEREAS, no less than His Excellency, Joseph Ejercito Estrada, President of the Republic of the Philippines, was disappointed by the performance of PCGG, as manifested by the recent replacement of its Chairman due to the inconceivable act committed which was considered as disadvantageous to the government;

WHEREAS, there is no better alternative and wise move but to abolish the said commission to give a free hand to the Office of the President to ascertain/determine, recover and dispose of the properties illegally acquired, thus erase any cloud of doubt and clean the air of suspicion of internal arrangement;

WHEREAS, there is a public perception that PCGG has not done much during its 12 years of existence to achieve its mandate;

WHEREAS, allegedly, nominees and agents of PCGG are receiving fat allowances in terms of fees, representation and transportation allowances much often amount which they may have been able to reimburse from the sequestered corporation much even worst enriching themselves out of their jobs;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby strongly urge, both Houses of Congress to pass a law abolishing the Presidential Commission on Good Government.

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RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the office of President Joseph Ejercito Estrada, and both Houses of Congress for their information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED:

February 2, 1999.

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ATTESTED:

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