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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 1529, S. 2001

A RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO ENACT MEASURES THAT WILL REQUIRE THE MANDATORY TEACHING OF DISASTER AWARENESS, DISASTER PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MITIGATION IN PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Introduced by Councilors JESUS C. SUNTAY, ANTONIO L. SIOSON, VINCENT P. CRISOLOGO, ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE, GEORGE M. CANSECO, ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, WINSTON "Winnie T. CASTELO, MA. FRESCA M. BIGLANG-AWA, GODOFREDO T. LIBAN II, MARCIANO P. MEDALLA, ERIC Z. MEDINA, JORGE L. BANAL, EUFEMIO C. LAGUMBAY, ANTHONY C. CASTELO, NANETTE CASTELO DAZA, RAMON G. MATHAY, ALMA F. MONTILLA, WILMA AMORANTO-SARINO and ALMARIO E. FRANCISCO.

WHEREAS, the Philippines is one of the most disaster-prone country in the world and is considered to be within the Pacific Rim of Fire;

WHEREAS, as a result of the country's geologic and geographical condition, the Philippines is particularly susceptible to volcanic eruption, earthquake, typhoon tsunami, flood, as well as drought;

WHEREAS, the Filipinos, as a people, are perceived to be more reactionary than anticipatory, specially in the campaign against natural calamity and natural disasters;

WHEREAS, the House of Representatives is mandated by law to enact legislative measures that will advance the health, safety and security of every Filipino.


NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, Congress to enact measures that will require the mandatory teaching of disaster awareness, disaster preparedness and disaster mitigation in primary and secondary schools.

ADOPTED: February 20, 2001.

ATTESTED:

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JORGE L. BANAL
President Pro-Tempore
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