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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 1 558, S-2001

A RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING PRESIDENT GLORIA MACAPAGAL ARROYO TO BAN THE PRODUCTION, AIRING ON RADIO AND TELEVISION, SALES AND DISTRIBUTION OF SEX SONGS IN THE MARKET.

Introduced by Councilor ANTHONY C. CASTELO.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Vincent P. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, George M. Canseco, Rommel R. Abesamis, Godofredo T. Liban II, Eric Z. Medina, Jorge L. Banal, Jesus C. Suntay, Marcel C. Rillo, Ramon G. Mathay, Alma F. Montilla and Bayani V. Hipol.

WHEREAS, we express full support for the administration's move to ban the exhibition and showing of the controversial movie "Live Show" in movie theaters;

WHEREAS, studies have shown that sex and violent movies including sex songs aid in the commission of heinous crimes, such as incestuous rape, sex gang rape, murder, etc.;

WHEREAS, in the production, airing on radio and television, sales and distribution of the said sex songs in the market, there is an apparent violation of Chapter Two, Article 201 of the Revised Penal Code;

WHEREAS, while we respect the opinion of some members of the film and recording industries regarding freedom of expression, we believe that there is an excessive proliferation of this kind of lewd entertainment products in the market;


WHEREAS, while we recognize the outstanding accomplishment of the film and recording industries in helping promote Pilipino, the Philippine national language throughout the country, and their contribution to national development, this resolution seeks to encourage the production of more values oriented movies and recording products for the Filipino society something that can help effect positive behavioral and attitudinal changes withing the person, such as films and songs about nationalism, love of country and people which we truly have a shortage of;

NOW, THEREFORE,


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby strongly urge, President Gloria Macapagal Arroyo, to ban the production, airing on radio and television, sale and distribution of sex songs in the market.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to all parties concerned.

ADOPTED: March 27, 2001.


CONNIE S. ANGELES
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution which was included in the agenda on March 27, 2001 and approved on Second Reading under SUSPENDED RULES on the same date was confirmed by the City Council on April 17, 2001.


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary