



Republic of the Philippines  
**CITY COUNCIL**  
Quezon City  
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RESOLUTION NO. SP-**2177**, S-2003

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING SENATE BILL NO. 666, ENTITLED:  
"AN ACT TO PROTECT CHILDREN AND OTHER VULNERABLE  
SUB-POPULATIONS FROM EXPOSURE TO CERTAIN  
ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTANTS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES,"  
INTRODUCED BY SENATOR LOREN LEGARDA-LEVISTE.

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Introduced by Councilors BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY,  
VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, RAMON  
P. MEDALLA, ERIC Z. MEDINA, MARY ANN L.  
SUSANO, JORGE L. BANAL, FRANZ S.  
PUMAREN, WENCEROM BENEDICT C.  
LAGUMBAY, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR. and JANET  
M. MALAYA.

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WHEREAS, the right of the people to a balanced and healthful ecology is upheld by the Constitution, it is, therefore, the mandate of the State to safeguard this right and to provide the resources to implement this policy for the benefit of all citizens;

WHEREAS, public health and safety greatly depends on the awareness of citizens and local officials of the toxic dangers that exist in their homes, communities and neighborhoods, of all sectors in society, it is the children and other vulnerable subpopulations like pregnant women, the elderly, and individuals with a history of serious illness who are at great risks from environmental pollutants;

WHEREAS, more than adults, they face unique health threats that need special attention, however, our current standards for environmental pollutants fail to protect or even consider risks to children and other vulnerable sub-populations;

WHEREAS, there is a need to clearly differentiate between the risks to children and other vulnerable sectors in the setting of environmental and public health standards, it is also important that such standards be made known and understood by the target sector for their own protection.

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NOW, THEREFORE,


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to support, as it does hereby support, Senate Bill No. 666, entitled: "An act to protect children and other vulnerable sub-populations from exposure to certain environmental pollutants, and for other purposes," introduced by Senator Loren Legarda-Leviste.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish Senator Loren Legarda-Leviste, the Senate President, and the Senate Majority Floor Leader, with copies of this Resolution.

ADOPTED: September 2, 2003.


  
RAMON P. MEDALLA  
City Councilor  
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Council Secretary

CERTIFICATION

*This is to certify that this Resolution which was APPROVED on Second Reading on September 2, 2003, was CONFIRMED by the City Council on September 16, 2003.*

  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Council Secretary

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