



Republic of the Philippines
QUEZON CITY COUNCIL
Quezon City
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RESOLUTION NO. SP-**4334**, S-2008

A RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING ALL BARANGAYS IN QUEZON CITY TO STRICTLY IMPLEMENT REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9262, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ANTI-VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN ACT OF 2004."

Introduced by Councilor DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Francisco A. Calalay, Jr., Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Ramon P. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Eden "Candy" A. Medina, Jorge B. Banal, Jr., Franz S. Pumaren, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jaime F. Borres, Antonio E. Inton, Jr., Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Janet M. Malaya, Edcel B. Lagman, Jr., Bayani V. Hipol, Concepcion S. Malañgen and Alexis Grace R. Matias.

WHEREAS, it is a declared policy of the state to value women and children and guarantee full respect for human rights and that it also recognizes the need to protect the family and its members particularly women and children from violence and threats to their personal safety and security;

WHEREAS, on March 8, President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo signed the Anti-Violence Against Women and their Children Act (Republic Act No. 9262) which penalizes men who abuse their female partners or their children with up to sixteen (16) years in jail and will be penalized by a fine of P100,000.00 to P300,000.00 and will undergo psychological counseling or psychiatric treatment;

WHEREAS, the said law not only increases the prison term for violators from six (6) to sixteen (16) years but also include the payment of compensatory moral and exemplary damages to the victims;

WHEREAS, it is imperative to absolutely implement the said law in the barangay level in order to closely monitor and prevent any violation of the same;

WHEREAS, to carry out the aforementioned objectives, it is necessary to strictly implement Republic Act No. 9262 so as to ensure the safety of our women and children from any forms of violence and harassments.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge all barangays in Quezon City to strictly implement Republic Act No. 9262, otherwise known as the "Anti-Violence Against Women and their Children Act of 2004."

ADOPTED: October 20, 2008

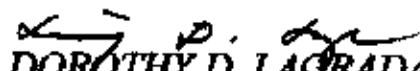

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on October 20, 2008 and was CONFIRMED under Suspended Rules on the same date.


DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III
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