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RESOLUTION NO. SP- **5972**, S-2014

A RESOLUTION URGING THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) TO REQUIRE ALL OWNERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO INDICATE IN THE APPLICATION FOR THE ANNUAL RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION THE TRUE AND CORRECT ODOMETER READING OF THEIR MOTOR VEHICLES AND TO INDICATE SUCH INFORMATION IN THE LTO VEHICLE VERIFICATION INFORMATION DATA.

Introduced by Councilor ALEXIS R. HERRERA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Dorothy A. Delarmente, Lena Marie P. Juico, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Roderick M. Paulate, Ramulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Franz S. Pumaren, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Marvin C. Rillo, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Raquel S. Malanjen, Jessica Castelo Daza, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Julianne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Candy A. Medina, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Marivio Co-Pilar, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr. and Donato C. Matias.

WHEREAS, there are some dealers of used and second hand motor vehicles who are making misrepresentation as to the true, correct and actual mileage of the motor vehicles they are selling to the general public;

WHEREAS, Odometer fraud, also referred to as "busting miles" or "clocking" in United Kingdom and Ireland, is an illegal practice of rolling back odometers to make it appear that vehicles have lower mileage. Odometer fraud occurs when the seller of a vehicle falsely represents the actual mileage of a vehicle to the buyer;

WHEREAS, the United States Federal Odometer Act was enacted way back in 1972. The United States Department of Transportation considers odometer tampering as a serious crime and an important consumer fraud issue that they even created the Office of Odometer Fraud Investigation;

WHEREAS, there is a need for the Land Transportation Office to find ways that will provide safeguards and protection to buyers of second hand motor vehicles from dealers of motor vehicles with altered or reset odometers;

WHEREAS, the annual odometer records of a motor vehicle with the Land Transportation Office (LTO) will protect used car buyers against sellers who intentionally tamper with an odometer to misrepresent the actual mileage an automobile has been driven.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge the Land Transportation Office (LTO) to require all owners of motor vehicles to indicate in the application for the annual renewal of registration the true and correct odometer reading of their motor vehicles and to indicate such information in the LTO Verification Information Data.

ADOPTED: June 16, 2014.



ANTHONY PETER D. CRISOLOGO
Acting Vice Mayor
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
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 June 16, 2014 and was CONFIRMED on June 23, 2014.


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't Asst. Dept. Head III 