

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 21st City Council

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61st Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- **8518**, S-2021

A RESOLUTION URGING ALL PUNONG BARANGAYS, THE DIRECTOR OFTHEQUEZON CITY POLICE DISTRICT (QCPD) ANDTHEDEPARTMENT/OFFICE HEADS OF THE LAW AND ORDER CLUSTER OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT TO STRICTLY ENFORCE THE LIMITED MOVEMENT OR QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS OF PERSONS BELOW EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OLD AND ABOVE SIXTY-FIVE (65) YEARS OLD, INCLUDING PREGNANT WOMEN AS ENUNCIATED IN RESOLUTION NO. 104 OF THE INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES (IATF-MEID) AND CONTAINED IN THE MEMORANDUM OF THE CITY MAYOR DATED APRIL 13, 2021.

Introduced by Councilor JORGE L. BANAL, SR.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Lena Marie P. Juico, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Nicole Ella V. Crisologo, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Atty. Bong Liban, Eden Delilah "Candy" A. Medina, Ramon P. Medalla, Mikey F. Belmonte, Estrella C. Valmocina, Franz S. Pumaren, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Matias John T. Defensor, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo, Marra C. Suntay, Irene R. Belmonte, Resty B. Malañgen, Ivy L. Lagman, Hero M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Castelo, Patrick Michael Vargas, Shaira L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto-Antonio, Donato "Donny" C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

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WHEREAS, Section 15, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution states that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;



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WHEREAS, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte issued Proclamation No. 922, "Declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines" in response to the COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, the National Capital Region (NCR) was placed under different quarantine categories/classifications from the most stringent Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ), the Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine (MECQ) and subsequently to the less restrictive General Community Quarantine (GCQ);

WHEREAS, the Department of Health (DOH) received reports regarding a new variant of the SARS-COV-2 spreading in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and another variant identified in South Africa;

WHEREAS, records show that there is a spike or rising cases of COVID-19 in the National Capital Region and contiguous provinces of Bulacan, Cavite, Laguna and Rizal which prompted the government to revert the quarantine classification to ECQ from March 22, 2021 to April 4, 2021 which was extended for another week, to MECQ until April 30, 2021;

WHEREAS, there is a need for a more vigorous action in enforcing health standards even beyond April 30, to lessen the infected cases of COVID-19 in the country, hence, adoption of this Resolution is imperative.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, all Punong Barangays, the Director of the Quezon City Police District (QCPD) and the Department/Office Heads of the Law and Order Cluster of the Quezon City Government to strictly enforce the limited movement or quarantine restrictions of persons below eighteen (18) years old and above sixty-five (65) years old, including pregnant women as enunciated in Resolution No. 104 of the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-MEID) and contained in the Memorandum of the City Mayor dated April 13, 2021.

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the concerned officials for information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED: April 26, 2021.

GIAN G. SOTTO City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S ALFEROS III
City Government Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on April 26, 2021 and was CONFIRMED under Suspended Rules on the same date.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S, ALFEROS III City Government Dept. Head III

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