BELMONTE NAMES INTON AS TRAFFIC CZAR

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QUEZON City Mayor Josefina "Joy" Belmonte has appointed transport reform advocate and former city councilor Ariel Inton as the city's new traffic czar through QC Executive Order 9–2019. The QC Traffic Task Force will take over traffic management duties from the city's Department of Public Order and Safety. "The Task Force for Transport and Traffic Management shall implement the Traffic Management Code and the Road Safety Code of Quezon City, with specific focus on: the regulation of tricycles and pedicabs; the orderliness and safety of all forms of public utility vehicle terminals including identified loading and unloading points and the management of vehicular traffic," the executive order read. The task force will remain in place until a new body, the Quezon City Department of Traffic and Transport Management, gets created and become fully operational.