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70th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- **9718**, S-2024

A RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF THE RENOWNED ARTIST, ARACELI "CHELOY" LIMCACO-DANS, AND EXPRESSING DEEPEST SYMPATHIES AND CONDOLENCES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILY OVER HER PASSING

Introduced by Councilor JOSE MARIA M. RODRIGUEZ

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WHEREAS, Araceli "Cheloy" Limcaco-Dans was born on December 9, 1929. She finished her degree in Painting from the UP College of Fine Arts in 1950 which took her only three years to graduate;

WHEREAS, she was mentored by then-Dean and national artist Fernando Amorsolo himself and has shared her talent in the arts as a teacher, mentor and a friend to more than a hundred artists and conducted numerous group and solo exhibitions;

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WHEREAS, she founded the Department of Fine Arts of the Philippine Women's University in 1950 and reorganized the art program of the Ateneo Grade School Department in 1963. Moreover, she worked as a studio teacher at the Ateneo Educational Television from 1964 to 1968, and co-founded the Philippine Art Educators Association in 1968;

WHEREAS, she was one of the awardees of the 10th Gawad Parangal which was given during the 73rd Founding Anniversary of Quezon City, together with other remarkable and outstanding QCitizens;

WHEREAS, on October 24, 2018, she was awarded the Presidential Medal of Merit during the National Artists Ceremony held at the Malacanang Palace;

WHEREAS, her works of art illustrate life in her paintings making her a true exemplar in the field of visual arts;

WHEREAS, Quezon City mourns the passing of a renowned artist whose lifelong commitment and passionate dedication to the arts leave a significant ink in the Philippine visual arts community. Her colourful contribution will always be treasured;

WHEREAS, the untimely demise of Araceli "Cheloy" Limcaco-Dans is a great loss to all her colleagues, friends, family and Quezon City.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to honor, as it does hereby honor, the life and legacy of the renowned artist, Araceli "Cheloy" Limcaco-Dans, and expressing deepest sympathies and condolences to the bereaved family over her passing.

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the bereaved family, the Office of the City Mayor and the Quezon City Tourism Department.

ADOPTED: June 18, 2024.



JOSEPH JOE VISAYA
Acting City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(City Council Secretary)

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on June 18, 2024 and was CONFIRMED under Suspended Rules on the same date.


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(City Council Secretary)

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