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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **3253** , S-2023

AN ORDINANCE ACCREDITING THE NINE HUNDRED THIRTEEN (913) NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATIONS, AND OTHER CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF 1991, AND ITS IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS, IN RELATION TO MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2022-083 OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DILG)

Introduced by Councilor ATTY. ANTON L. REYES

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Fernando Miguel "Mikey" F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Ram V. Medalla, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Jhon Angelli "Sami" C. Neri

WHEREAS, Section 34 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that local government units shall promote the establishment and operation of Non-Government Organizations (NGOs) and People's Organizations (POs) to become partners in the pursuit of local autonomy;

WHEREAS, Article 62, Rule XIII of the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of RA No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, mandates local government units to promote the establishment and operation of POs, NGOs, and private sector, to make them active partners in the pursuit of local autonomy, and to directly involve them in the plans, programs, projects or activities of the local government unit, such as, but not limited to, membership in local special bodies (LSBs) and involvement in the delivery of basic services and facilities;

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WHEREAS, Article 64 of the same IRR of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that the local Sanggunian concerned shall accredit the NGOs and POs subject to the criteria and procedures provided therein for membership in the local special bodies;

WHEREAS, by virtue of the provisions of the Local Government Code of 1991, and its IRR, Ordinance No. SP-23, S-92 was enacted creating the NGO and PO Accreditation Committee to process the applications for accreditation of NGOs and POs;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid Local Government Code of 1991 and its IRR, DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2022-083 and Ordinance No. SP-23, S-92, as supplemented by Ordinance No. SP-1494, S-2005 and Ordinance No. SP-1942, S-2009, a call for accreditation was made by the Quezon City Government through the City Vice Mayor, Honorable Gian G. Sotto;

WHEREAS, 913 NGOs, POs and other Civil Society Organizations have applied for accreditation with the Quezon City Council, through the Barangay and Community Relations Department (BCRD);

WHEREAS, the applications of said organizations were processed and evaluated by the NGO and PO Accreditation Committee which favorably recommended for their accreditation to the Quezon City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. The 913 Non-Government Organizations (NGOs), People's Organizations (POs), and Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), are hereby accredited pursuant to the provisions of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR), in relation to DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2022-083.

SECTION 2. The 913 accredited organizations shall, within 30 days from the approval of this Ordinance, inform the Quezon City Council, through the Office of the Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod (OSSP), with copy furnished to the Barangay and Community Relations Department (BCRD), of any major changes in their organization, particularly with respect to their officers and office address.

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SECTION 3. The Quezon City Government, through the OSSP and in coordination with the BCRD, shall prepare and issue a Certificate of Accreditation to the herein accredited organizations, duly signed by the City Mayor, the City Vice-Mayor, and the Chairperson of the NGO and PO Accreditation Committee, and attested by the Secretary to the Sanggunian.


SECTION 4. The Official List of the said 913 accredited organizations are hereby attached, forming an integral part of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: November 20, 2023.


GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:



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

APPROVED: JAN 18 2024


MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on November 20, 2023 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on November 28, 2023.


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

