



ORDINANCE NO. SP: 1117, S-2002

AN ORDINANCE TO DECLARE THE FIRE THAT DESTROYED MORE OR LESS, TWO HUNDRED (200) HOUSES AT GANA COMPOUND, BARANGAY UNANG SIGAW, DISTRICT II, THIS CITY, WHICH RENDERED MORE OR LESS, SIX HUNDRED (600) FAMILIES HOMELESS AS A CALAMITY.

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WHEREAS, the fire that occurred last February 23, 2002, at Gana Compound, Barangay Unang Sigaw, District II, this city, has destroyed more or less two hundred (200) houses and rendered, more or less, six hundred (600) families homeless;

WHEREAS, Section 3 (a) of the Rules and Regulations Implementing Republic Act 8185, defines calamity as "a state of distress or misfortune produced by some adverse circumstances or events or any great misfortune or cause or loss or misery caused by disaster causing widespread loss of and/or extreme damage to human lives, livestock, crops and properties;

WHEREAS, the Social Services Development Department (SSDD) has proposed the putting up of relief and evacuation centers to assist the victims and evacuees;

WHEREAS, it is incumbent on the city government to provide the basic needs of the affected families such as food, shelters and clothing;

WHEREAS, there is a need to authorize the City Mayor to cause the release of the required funds to cover the expenses for the relief and assistance to be extended to the said victims of calamity;

NOW, THEREFORE,

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


SECTION 1. The fire that occurred last February 23, 2002 at Gana Compound, Barangay Unang Sigaw, District II, this city, which destroyed, more or less, two hundred (200) houses and rendering, more or less, six hundred (600) families homeless, is hereby declared as a calamity.

SECTION 2. The Honorable Feliciano R. Belmonte, Jr., City Mayor, is hereby granted the authority to cause the release of the amount of Nine Hundred Sixty Eight Thousand Three Hundred Pesos (Php 968,300.00) from the calamity fund in the city annual budget for the year 2002, to be used for the relief operations being undertaken by the city government for the calamity victims.


SECTION 3. The funds to be released, will directly and exclusively used to cover the emergency purchases for the relief/assistance of the calamity victims to be undertaken by the SSDD.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

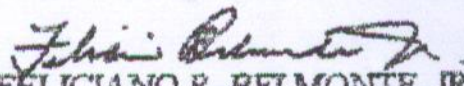
ENACTED: March 12, 2002.

  
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President Pro-Tempore  
Acting Presiding Officer

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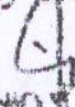
  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Council Secretary

APPROVED: April 2, 2002

  
FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR.  
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance which was APPROVED on Second Reading on March 12, 2002, was finally PASSED by the City Council on March 19, 2002.

  
EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Council Secretary