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ORDINANCE NO. 2050, S-2010

AN ORDINANCE PROMOTING CRIME AWARENESS AND SECURITY IN CAMPUSES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilor PAQUEL S. MALANGEN
Co-Introduced by Councilors Francisco A. Calalay, Jr., Dorothy A. Delarmente, Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Ricardo T. Belmonte, Jr., Joseph P. Juico, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Alfredo D. Vargas III, Eden "Candy" A. Medina, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Roderick M. Paulate, Godofredo T. Liban II, Julian Ml. Coseteng, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Jorge F. Borres, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Edcel B. Lagman, Jr., Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Jessica Castelo Daza, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Marvin C. Rillo, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica and John Ansell R. De Guzman.

WHEREAS, Section 458 (a) sub-paragraph (I) (ii) of the Local Government Code of 1991 empowers the Sangguniang Panlungsod to enact measures to prevent and suppress lawlessness, disorder, riot, violence, rebellion, or sedition and impose penalties for the violation of said ordinances;

WHEREAS, it shall be the policy of this City to provide a safe and healthy environment for students;

WHEREAS, crime occurrence in campuses has steadily risen in the past few years, majority of which are fraternity related;

WHEREAS, incidents of frat wars, death, physical harm and incapacity inflicted to members and non-members continue to hound the public, more so, the families victimized by fraternity related violence;

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WHEREAS, there is a need for parents and guardians to be informed of crimes that occurred in a particular institution and of its security policies and procedures.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Campus Security Ordinance of 2010."

SECTION 2. The term "Campus" for the purpose of this Ordinance, shall mean any building of property owned or controlled by an institution of higher education with the same reasonably contiguous geographic area and used by the institution in direct support of or related to its education purposes; or any building or property owned or controlled by student organizations recognized by the institution.

In cases where branch campuses of an institution of higher education schools within an institution are not reasonably contiguous in geographic area, such entities shall be considered separate campuses for purposes of the reporting requirements of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. Upon the effectivity of this Ordinance, each eligible campus shall begin to collect this year and every year thereafter, prepare, publish, and distribute through appropriate publications, to all current students and employees, and to any applicant for enrollment or employment upon request, an annual security report containing at least the following information with respect to the campus security policies and campus crime statistics of that institution:

a. A statement of current campus policies regarding procedures and facilities for students and a report on criminal actions emergencies occurring on campus, including policies concerning the institution's response to such reports;

b. A statement of current policies concerning security and access to campus facilities including dormitories inside the campus, and security consideration used in the maintenance of said facilities;

SECTION 6. No institution shall deny to an alleged victim of any crime of violence, the result of any disciplinary proceeding conducted by the institution against the alleged perpetrator with respect to such crime.

SECTION 7. If any provision or part hereof, is held invalid, the remainder of the Ordinance or the provisions not otherwise affected shall remain valid and subsisting.

SECTION 8. Any Ordinance, Executive Order, Rules or Regulations contrary to or inconsistent with the provision of this Ordinance is hereby repealed, modified or amended accordingly.

SECTION 9. This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen days after its publication.

ENACTED: February 28, 2011.

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary

APPROVED: 25 April 2011

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 28, 2011 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on March 7, 2011.

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA
City Secretary