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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL
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ORDINANCE NO. SP-2679, S-2018

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-723, S-98, ENTITLED, "AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO ANY OFFICIAL OR EMPLOYEE OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT, IRRESPECTIVE OF THE STATUS OF APPOINTMENT, WHO MAY BE A VICTIM OF A FIRE WHEREIN HIS HOUSE OR PLACE WHERE HE IS ACTUALLY LIVING WITH HIS FAMILY HAS BEEN GUTTED BY FIRE, AT THE SUM OF TEN THOUSAND PESOS (PHP10,000.00), THE FUNDING REQUIREMENT THEREFOR TO BE TAKEN FROM GRANTS, AIDS AND SUBSIDIES OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT".

Introduced by Councilor ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE.
Co-Introduced by Councilors Lena Marie P. Juico, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Oliviere T. Belmonte, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Ramon P. Medalla, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Kate Abigael G. Coseteng, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Marvin C. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Marra C. Suntay, Hero Clarence M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co-Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, the City Council passed an Ordinance No. SP-723, S-98 on May 28, 1998 and approved by the Honorable City Mayor, Ismael A. Mathay, Jr. on July 28, 1998, granting financial assistance in the sum of Ten Thousand Pesos (Php10,000.00) to any employee of the City Government, irrespective of the status of appointment, who was a victim of fire, in order to help alleviate their grief, sorrow and sufferings with the loss of properties and lives;

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WHEREAS, it has been nineteen (19) years since the ordinance was passed and considering the length of time, the cost of living has risen and the sum of Ten Thousand Pesos (Php10,000.00) is not enough to rebuild the life of the fire victim;

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the financial assistance be increased to give the fire victims the funds to rise up from the calamity.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. SP-723, S-98 is hereby amended as follows:

> *"Any official or employee of the Quezon City Government who may be a victim of fire and whose house or place where he is living with his family, has been gutted by fire shall receive financial assistance in the sum of Thirty Thousand Pesos (Php30,000.00) from the City Government."*

SECTION 2. Section 2 of Ordinance No. SP-723, S-98 is hereby amended to read as follows:

> *"The amount of One Billion Pesos (Php1,000,000.00) shall be included in the City's Annual Budget for the year 2018 and the succeeding years under the same funding requirements."*

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SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: February 12, 2018.

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Secretary

APPROVED: 22 MAR 2018

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 12, 2018 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on February 26, 2018.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Secretary

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