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RESOLUTION NO. SP- **10522**, S-2026

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE STRONG SUPPORT OF THE QUEZON CITY COUNCIL FOR VARIOUS EDUCATION, STUDENT WELFARE, AND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT MEASURES FILED BY SENATOR PAOLO BENIGNO "BAM" AQUINO IV IN THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AND URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES TO PRIORITIZE THEIR PASSAGE INTO LAW

Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JHON ANGELLI "Sami" C. NERI, ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN "Tope" LIQUIGAN, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY, DON S. DE LEON, AIKO MELENDEZ and CANDY A. MEDINA

Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Joseph P. Juico, Charm Ferrer, CPA, MPA, JD, Nicole "Nikki" V. Crisologo, Mikey F. Belmonte, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo "Bong" Liban III, Dave C. Valmocina, Ranulfo "Tatay Rannie" Z. Ludovica, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Luigi D. Pumaren, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor "Vic" D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey "Cocoy" A. Medina, and Jose Maria "Mari" M. Rodriguez

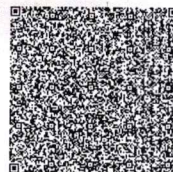
WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government recognizes that education is a cornerstone of nation-building and sustainable development, and remains one of the most effective means of uplifting communities and providing opportunities for future generations;

WHEREAS, Quezon City is widely recognized as one of the largest educational centers in the Philippines, hosting numerous public and private elementary and secondary schools, colleges, universities, and technical institutions serving hundreds of thousands of students annually;

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WHEREAS, several of the Country's leading universities are located in Quezon City, including the University of the Philippines Diliman, Ateneo de Manila University, and Miriam College;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government has consistently prioritized policies and programs that promote educational access, youth empowerment, workforce readiness, and inclusive opportunities for learners and educators;

WHEREAS, several legislative measures have been filed in the Senate of the Philippines aimed at strengthening educational access, reducing financial barriers to learning, improving teacher welfare, and expanding employment opportunities for the Filipino youth;

WHEREAS, these measures have been filed by Senator Paolo Benigno "Bam" Aquino IV whose legislative initiatives seek to expand opportunities for Filipino learners, educators, and workers;

WHEREAS, these proposed measures include the following Senate Bills:

- Senate Bill No. 122 – E-Textbook Para sa Lahat Act
- Senate Bill No. 123 – Libreng RLE Act
- Senate Bill No. 124 – Bayanihan Work Program Act
- Senate Bill No. 125 – School-to-Employment Program (STEP) Act
- Senate Bill No. 126 – Student Discount Para sa Load Act
- Senate Bill No. 127 – Angat Sweldo Para sa Guro Act
- Senate Bill No. 128 – Private Education Voucher Expansion (PEVE) Act
- Senate Bill No. 129 – Adopt-A-School Act of 2025
- Senate Bill No. 130 – Amendments to Republic Act No. 10931
- Senate Bill No. 1482 – Classroom-Building Acceleration Program (CAP) Act

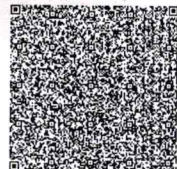
NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to express, as it does hereby express, the strong support of the Quezon City Council for various education, student welfare, and youth employment measures filed by Senator Paolo Benigno "Bam" Aquino IV in the Senate of the Philippines, and urging the Congress of the Philippines to prioritize their passage into law.

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Quezon City Government, through relevant offices including the Schools Division Office-Quezon City, the Public Employment Service Office (PESO), and the Youth Development Office, is encouraged to support initiatives that promote educational access, youth development, and employment opportunities consistent with the objectives of these measures.

RESOLVED FURTHERMORE, that barangays in Quezon City are encouraged to support community-based programs that assist students, teachers, and youth employment initiatives in coordination with local schools and government agencies.

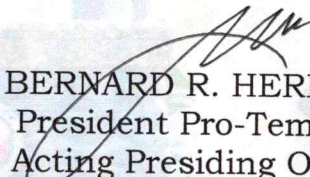
RESOLVED FURTHERMORE, that schools, universities, and educational institutions within Quezon City are encouraged to strengthen partnerships with industries and employers to support education-to-employment pathways and internship opportunities for students.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that the Secretary to the Sanggunian be directed to transmit copies of this Resolution to the Senate of the Philippines, the House of Representatives, and Senator Paolo Benigno "Bam" Aquino IV for their information and appropriate action.

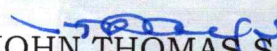
ADOPTED: June 1, 2026.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was ADOPTED by the City Council on Second Reading on June 1, 2026 and was CONFIRMED on June 15, 2026.


BERNARD R. HERRERA
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(Secretary to the Sanggunian)





