ORDINANCE NO. **7963**

AN ORDINANCE RENAMING CATALUÑA STREET IN THE FOURTH DISTRICT OF MANILA TO G. M. TOLENTINO STREET.

WHEREAS, Gerino Modesto Tolentino was born and grew up in Cataluña Street, Sampaloc, Manila;

WHEREAS, he served as City Judge of the Metropolitan Trial Court (MTC) of Manila for fifteen (15) years from 1968 to 1983;

WHEREAS, a younger brother of former Senator Arturo M. Tolentino, he served as City alderman for six (6) consecutive years or two (2) successive terms;

WHEREAS, as a councilor he sponsored several resolutions and ordinances that primarily benefited his constituents in the Third (now Fourth) District;

WHEREAS, he was also the principal author of measures that provided free textbooks to students in public schools and the removal of matriculation/tuition fees in all public elementary and high schools, thus granting complete free education in Manila: NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of Manila, THAT:

SECTION 1. Cataluna Street in the Fourth District of Manila is hereby renamed G. M. Tolentino Street.

SECTION 2. The City Engineer is hereby directed to replace or cause the replacement of the present street signs installed at strategic places thereat, as follows:

G. M. TOLENTINO STREET (formerly Cataluña Street)

SECTION 3. Copies of this Ordinance be furnished the Office of the President, the Office of the Representative of the Fourth District of Manila, the National Historical Institute, the Philippine Postal Corporation and the City Engineer's Office.

SECTION 4. Effectivity Clause - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

Enacted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session today, February 2, 1999.

Approved by His Honor, the Mayor on February 26, 1999.

APPROVED:

City of Manila

DANILO B. LACUNA

Vice-Mayor and Presiding Office

City Council, Manila

ATTESTED:

EMMANUEL R. SISON

Secretary to the Mayor

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