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To help quell NPA and ensure peaceful balloting

More troops to be deployed to Samar Island

JOEY A. GABIETA



AUGMENTATION OF TROOPS. The Visayas Command announced of additional troops to be deployed on Samar Island to help end the decades-long insurgency problem on the island and also ensure a peaceful conduct of balloting in the area.
(VISAYAS COMMAND)

TACLOBAN CITY- Soldiers assigned on Samar Island will get another boost with the deployment of additional troops.

The soldiers to be deployed on the island, consisting of Samar, Eastern Samar, and Northern Samar, will come from the 3rd Infantry Battalion under the command of Col. Juvenal Mark Tayamen, the Visayas Command said in a statement.

The soldiers, who were assigned in the hinterlands of Davao City for the past six years, are expected to arrive this weekend in Samar, are not only to help in the fight against the members of the New People's Army (NPA) but also to ensure peaceful conduct of elections this May 9.

Aside from the presence of rebels, several parts

of Samar Island has been identified in past elections as among Eastern Visayas areas of concern.

The Commission on Elections (Comelec) in the region, however, has yet to release areas in the region it deems to be areas of concern or 'hot spots' relative to the forthcoming balloting.

Lieutenant General Robert Dauz, the commander of the Visayas Command based in Cebu City, said that the deployment of troops on the island will help quell its insurgency problem.

"The addition of this unit only manifests the sincerity of our government to eradicate the menace of the communist terrorists in this

part of the country, and sustain the people's democratic way of life," he said in a statement.

In a media interview, Major Gen. Edgardo de Leon, the commanding general of the 8th Infantry Division based in Catbalogan City, said that the troops will arrive this Saturday and will temporarily be headquartered in Calbayog City.

He added that these soldiers will be deployed in other parts of Samar Island if there is a need.

It was learned that de Leon himself has requested for the augmentation of government troops to the region.

Leaves the discretion to mayors

Gov. Petilla not inclined to impose province-wide the 'no vax, no entry policy'



Leyte Governor Leopoldo Dominico Petilla leaves to the mayor on the enforcement of 'no vax, no entry' policy as he maintains that he will not endorse to make it a province-wide policy. Also in photo is board member Raissa Villasin (2nd district). (ROEL T. AMAZONA)

TACLOBAN CITY - no entry' or a 'no vaccination card - no ride policy' in the province. However, he said that this policy could be en-

forced by the mayors in their respective areas.

"It has no effect. If you are vaccinated you are protected, you are protected from getting hospitalized," Petilla said.

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Tacloban City Mayor Alfred Romualdez joined by his son, Raymund, led in welcoming presidential daughter and vice presidential aspirant Sara Duterte who was in the city on Thursday as part of her 'Mahalin Natin Ang Pilipinas' caravan. Among those seen during the event were Leyte Rep. Ferdinand Martin Romualdez, former senator Jinggoy Estrada, and Councilors Elvira Casal and Aimee Delgado Grafil.
(ALFRED ROMUALDEZ Facebook account)



Leyte Governor Leopoldo Dominico “Mic” L. Petilla, joined by his staff, conducted a relief operation last Jan.30 in sitio Kauswagon of Brgy.Himay-angan, Lilion, among the hard-hit areas in Southern Leyte due to Typhoon ‘Odette.’ The group of Gov. Petilla distributed food packs and water to the 75 families residing in the said area.Candies, biscuits and energy drinks were also distributed to 150 children of the said sitio. (GINA P. GERESZ)

In Northern Samar

Catubig town confirms presence of ASF infection

TACLOBAN CITY- The town of Catubig in Northern Samar has reported its first-ever case of African Swine Fever (ASF) infection.

Anita Estudillo, municipal agriculturist officer, however, was quick to say that the municipal government immediately imposed measures to ensure that the infection will not spread to the 46 other barangays of the town.

Estudillo, in a phone interview, said that the ASF case in the town was detected in Barangay Guibwangan, about 1.5 kms away from the town proper, on Jan.18 involving one pig.

She said that the infected pig and three others, all of the same backyard owners, were culled as part of the protocol.

The presence of the ASF infection in the village was reported to them just last Jan.25.

“We have yet to really determine what could be the reason why ASF infection entered Guibwangan. But one of the possibilities is that hog sellers from other areas which were ASF-infected could have entered the Guibawangan,” Estudillo said.

It was learned from Estudillo that there were 45 pigs being raised in Guibawangan wherein most of these pigs were slaughtered by the owners and sold within the community.

A checkpoint is now in place in the village to ensure that no pigs will enter or exit the area.

She also said that the municipal government has also temporarily banned the selling of other processed meats to ensure that ASF will be contained.

“This is our first-ever AF case,” Estudillo said.

Catubig is now the eighth municipality in Northern Samar to have ASF confirmed cases.

The first ASF case in the province was in Lope de Vega reported on March 15, 2021.

Aside from Lope de Vega and Catubig, the other towns which have ASF cases were the municipalities of Mondragon, Pambujan, Las Navas, Bobon, Silvino Lubos, and Catarman, the provincial capital.

As of Jan. 27 of this year, about 374 backyard owners were affected by the infection that infected 801 hogs, the Provincial Veterinary Office (PVO) said.

“We are not yet out of the woods. ASF continues to be a threat to our respective municipalities. But there are things we can do to stop the entry or eradicate the disease in our areas,” Dr. Jose Luis Acompanado, provincial veterinarian, said in a statement.

Among the measures instituted by the PVO include the training of barangay biosecurity officers for quick surveillance and monitoring and the distribution of information materials in the villages and the establishment of border control and checkpoints.

(JOEY A. GABIETA)

U.S. provides additional P51 Million for Typhoon ‘Odette’ assistance

Manila—The United States government, through the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), is providing an additional P51.1 million (\$1 million) in humanitarian assistance to help communities affected by Typhoon ‘Odette’, bringing total U.S. support for this response to more than P1.08 billion (\$21.2 million).

With this new assistance, USAID will strengthen its partnership with the United Nations World Food Programme (WFP) to provide additional logistics support to communities hit by Typhoon Odette.

“As friends, partners, and allies, we will continue to support the Philippines in its post-typhoon recovery,” said U.S. Embassy in the Philippines Chargé d’Affaires ad interim Heather Variava. “This additional assistance will help deliv-

er food and other essential items to communities devastated by the typhoon.”

In coordination with the Office of Civil Defense (OCD), USAID and WFP will deploy an additional 300 trucks to transport food and other supplies to typhoon-affected areas. This partnership will also support OCD in delivering relief supplies to remote municipalities and barangays.

Sarah Charles, Assistant to the Administrator of USAID’s Bureau for Humanitarian Assistance, announced this additional support at a virtual UN briefing on February 2.

This new funding builds on the U.S. government’s assistance of P1 billion (\$20.2 million) announced in December to provide food; water, sanitation, and hygiene programs; shelter assistance; and logistics support to typhoon-affected

Senate approves on final reading creation of the Samar Island Medical Center

TACLOBAN CITY- The Senate has approved on Tuesday (Jan.31) on third and final reading the creation of the Samar Island Medical Center (SIMC) principally authored by Rep. Yedda Marie Romualdez of the Tingog party-list representative.

Romualdez said the establishment of the SIMC is part of Tingog party-list’s mission to improve the delivery of health medical care

system.

“With the goal of improving the health care system in the entire Eastern Visayas, the SIMC is one of the priority hospital bills that Tingog party-list has lobbied in its first term in Congress, along with other bills that have already been passed into laws,” she said.

Aside from authoring the creation of the SIMC, as contained under House Bill 8195, Rep. Romualdez has also authored measures upgrading the Eastern Visayas Medical Center, the biggest government-run medical hospital in the region located in Tacloban City, and the Schistosomiasis Hospital based in Palo, Leyte.

The House of Representatives has approved the measure last January 20, 2021.

Romualdez said that with the creation of the SIMC, which is to be located in Calbayog City, people

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Rep. Tan explains why she did not cast vote in the creation of the Samar Island Medical Center

TACLOBAN CITY- Samar Rep. Sharee Ann Tan said that she did not cast her vote on the measure pertaining on the creation of the Samar Island Medical Center (SIMC) as she has authored almost a similar measure that is still pending at the Lower House.

The lawmaker explained that she did not cast a vote of the SIMC creation on grounds that she has submitted earlier a bill seeking for the creation of 'Ospital Han Samar'.

Tan, however, stressed that she is not against the creation of the SIMC emphasizing that its eventual



REP. SHAREE ANN TAN

operations will benefit the people of Samar and even the neighboring provinces of Northern Samar and Eastern Samar.

The SIMC, principally authored by Tingog party-list Rep. Yedda Marie Romualdez and husband

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Lakas-CMD Vice Presidential aspirant and Davao City Mayor Sara Duterte (center) with Lakas-CMD Party President and House Majority Leader Martin Romualdez (3rd right) HNP Campaign Manager Gov. Claude Bautista (3rd left) Tingog Party List 2nd Nominee Jude Acidre (2nd right), Zamboanga City Rep. Manuel Mannix Dalipe (2nd left), Tingog Party List President Mark Jimenez(left) flashes a Tibay at Puso sign together with all Mayors, Vice-Mayors, Councilors and Barangay Chairmen of the First District of Leyte. photo by Ver Noveno

Murder charge filed against 2 suspects in the killing of journalist in Calbayog City

TACLOBAN CITY- The murder of journalist Jose Malabanan is now considered as case closed as a case for murder was filed before the Office of City Prosecutors in Calbayog City, Samar Wednesday afternoon.

Police Lt. Aileen Velarde, information officer of the Samar Police Provincial Office, said that the murder rap was filed against the suspects identified as Aries Solomon and Jerry Trinidad.

The suspects, she said, were identified based on the testimonies of the witnesses and the footage from the closed-circuit television cameras located in the area.

Solomon was said to be the triggerman while Trinidad was the driver of the motorcycle. Both remain at-large.

"We can now say that

the case involving journalist (Jose) Malabanan is now a case close a case for murder has been filed against the suspects at the City Prosecutor's Office in Calbayog City Wednesday afternoon," Velarde, who is also the spokesperson for media security in Samar province, said in a phone interview.

She also stressed that the killing of Malabanan, 58, was not related to his being a journalist.

"Based on our investiga-

tion, his killing was not related to his being a journalist but due to land dispute that resulted in personal grudge," Velarde said.

She, however, could not say if the two suspects were members of gun-for-hire or personally involved in the said land dispute.

According to her, Malabanan assisted some individuals in Barangay San Joaquin, Tinambacan District who were involved to a land problem.

Velarde said that once the City Prosecutor's Office finds probable cause on the complaint and forward it to the court, a warrant of arrest will be issued against the two suspects.

Malabanan, who worked as a journalist in Pampanga, was gunned down while he was manning their variety store located in Brgy. San Joaquin, Calbayog City last Dec. 8, 2021.

(JOEY A. GABIETA)

As ASF continues to hound the province, N. Samar strengthen measures to contain further spread of hog infections

TACLOBAN CITY - The provincial government in Northern Samar continues to beef up measures against further spread of the African Fever Swine (ASF) as another town confirmed a case of hog infection.

The town of Catubig is

among the latest area in the province to have a confirmed ASF case.

With this development, a coordination meeting was held headed by the Provincial Veterinary Office (PVO) with the Department of Agriculture Regional Field Office 8 (DA RFO 8), the Bureau of Animal Industry (BAI), and the Philippine Crop Insurance Corporation (PCIC) for heads and representatives of Municipal Agriculture Offices (MAOs).

Recommendations and strategies were made and given to the Provincial ASF Task Force on how to control or prevent the spread of ASF in their respective municipalities.

Among the recommendations made by provincial veterinarian Dr. Jose

Luis Acompañado, were the strict implementations of biosecurity measures in the barangays and border checkpoint and monitoring of live pigs and pork products in the municipalities.

"We're not yet out of the woods. ASF continues to be a threat to our respective municipalities. But there are things we can do to stop the entry or eradicate the disease in our areas," he Acompañado said.

Meanwhile, Board Member Albert Lucero, chairperson of the committee on agriculture and food security at the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, assured the local agriculturists and veterinarians that the provincial government will support the programs to combat the threat of ASF against the hog industry.

DSWD continues to distribute food assistance to Typhoon 'Odette' victims; asks residents to coordinate with their LGUs

TACLOBAN CITY- The Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) in the region asked victims of Typhoon 'Odette' to coordinate with their respective local governments for them to receive food aids from their office.

The appeal of the DSWD was made as it continues to provide relief assistance to the typhoon

victims, particularly in Southern Leyte and parts of Leyte.

It said that their office has released 1,178 family food packs on January 30 as part of their continued relief operations for the people affected by the typhoon.

It further added that from the number of food packs, 500 packs were allocated for Inopacan, Leyte, and 678 packs for Libagon, Southern Leyte.

On Friday (February 4), an additional 1,500 food packs were transported to Bato, Leyte.

And as of February 2, DSWD-8 was able to distribute 185,109 food packs worth more than P107.28 million.

The food packs distributed by DSWD to typhoon victims include six kilos of rice, 10 pieces of canned goods either corned beef, beef loaf, tuna flakes and sardines, five pieces of coffee in a sachet, and five pieces of energy drinks.

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Live with it

The decision of the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) that it is now up to local government officials to decide whether or not to ease restrictions on unvaccinated persons is not just a wise move; it is also a welcome development.

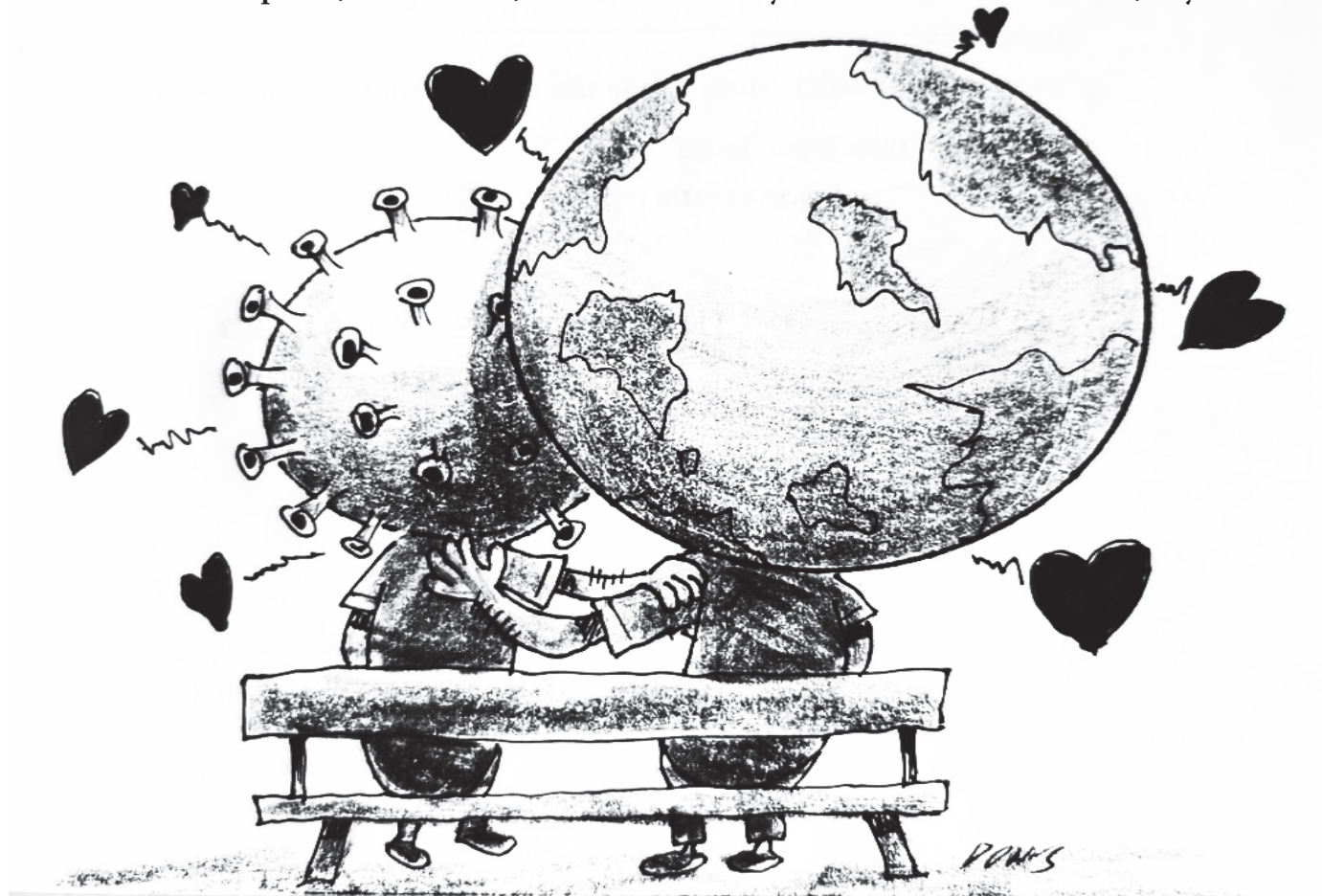
This announcement came with the lowering of alert levels in areas where new COVID cases are decreasing. Accordingly, stay-at-home orders and the implementation of the "no-vaccine, no-ride" or "no-entry" policy now depend on local chief executives. Why is this wise? Well, each locality has virus-related situations that differ from other locations, hence the wisdom of a localized, diversified imposition of protocols.

Majority of people no doubt welcomes this development, knowing that local situations vary and cannot be addressed similarly from the national level. There are places, for instance, where the

Covid-19 cases are so high, requiring strict quarantine protocols to contain the spread of the virus. But there are also localities where virus infections are rare and should not be subjected to lockdowns.

To cite examples, we have Metro Manila, Cavite, Bulacan, Rizal, Batanes, Biliran and Southern Leyte that were downgraded to Alert Level 2 from Feb. 1 to 15. But the DILG had earlier suggested for local government units (LGUs) to pass ordinances imposing strict measures in other places where more people are trooping to malls and other public places with the easing of alert levels.

With the extending coronavirus pandemic, people's mobility has become unstoppable. They have graduated from that lockdown mentality. So it is a better option, that instead of locking down communities, an intensified vaccination be imposed to finally stop the virus from spreading. If other countries had already learned to live with the virus, why can't we?



**Didactic
Tales**

DOMS PAGLIAWAN

Plagued with fumes

I have been contemplating on whether I should elevate a complaint to our Barangay Hall or not. Mine is for us and an immediate neighbor to live peacefully, without having to clash every now and then.

Just last year, we came to have this new neighbor who bought the house

across the street that had been abandoned after Yolanda's onslaught. They have a car, an SUV, but they don't have a parking space inside so they just park on the street in front of their house. Problem is, its muffler or exhaust faces our house and bombards us with engine fumes every

time it is turned on.

Every day, especially early in the morning, their man in the house who also serves as their driver turns this vehicle on and leaves its engine running for several minutes, the dark, odorous fumes settling inside our house. So one time, I politely requested this man not to prolong this ritual, or let the exhaust face elsewhere, away from our house.

But my request merely fell on deaf ears. He seemingly did not heed it as his practice continued, and even worsened at will. In fact, last February 1, at around 8:20 in the evening, they arrived home from a trip, but after driving the car to its parking spot, he still did not stop the engine. It still kept on running for

no obvious reason except to irritate me all the more. We have been fed up with closing our glass windows just so the smoke won't come in. So I then went outside, got near him calmly, and asked why he was not putting the engine off. But he just flared up and lost his temper, raising his voice loudly in that quiet neighborhood. He was at fault, but he still was the one that got angry. I then forgot my manners and joined him in a shouting spree.

For us to arrive at a harmonious settlement, I guess we need to bring this matter to the barangay level. I got my reasons for complaining. First,

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**KBP Forum 2022
Takeaways**

The very first word in the 1987 Philippine Constitution is a two-letter word that includes all of the Filipinos. It encompasses the collective yearnings, future and lives they will live in the next six years. The word is WE, not ME, not I not even the specific supporters of any candidate, its WE, because it must be comprehensive and inclusive.

The recently finished Kapisanan ng mga Broadcasters sa Pilipinas Town Hall Presidential Forum held today February 4, 2022 from 9 to 12 PM is not just an eye-opener it's the Catalyst that would speed up

the framing of the choice of the Filipino people.

The closing statements of the candidates poignantly gives us the heart and soul of their vision, plans and to-do lists. Bakit nga ba sila ang karapat dapat na maging pangulo ng Pilipinas? Why we shall vote for them?

Here are their closing statements; Ka Leody de Guzman ako ang dapat na mahalal na Pangulo dahil nakita natin ang lahat ng Pangulo may Bilyonaryo, Elitista at ang bansa ay hirap na hirap pa rin . Ka Leody in effect is saying that given the fact that we have chosen rich, powerful and upper class Presidents in the past

we are never better off than where we were as a people. In a nutshell he offers an alternative path and alternative leadership.

Isko Moreno had identified himself with Senator Pacquiao, Ka Leody as poor boy who did well and exceeded expectations. Isko went further and said that I can get things done, mabilis na aksyon at solusyon.

As the dust settles in the warzone after the battle, I sincerely hope that I have presented myself, with competence, qualified and with wealth of experience That after his term there shall be no doubt that we shall have trust in the government than ever before. This was the final statement of Senator Ping Lacson.

The Pacman said it poignantly, ramdam ko ang pinag daanan ng bayan, kung paano ko pinangarap ang maiahon ang Pilipinas sa kahirapan, at gusto kong Makita ang mga nagnanakaw sa bayan na sa kulungan. Senator Pacquiao knows how it feels to be poor and knows how to overcome poverty ultimately Pacman wants to

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**DA tackles food system
as year 2022 starts**

A turn-around in the Department of Agriculture strategy aimed to lower prices is set for implementation in 2022. It is all about shifting focus to food system. The D A's policy and planning undersecretary, to craft a strategy that would be a departure from mainly increasing production. It needs to be involving the entire food system from production, processing, transportation to marketing. It shall take the following steps. Thus:

First, food system serving as an integral part of the strategic plan under its OneDay agenda - There is need to ensure that agri-

cultural products are at the prices;

Second, full utilization of the Department's annual budget allocation, starting from the central office down to the regional offices, with a mandate to realign unutilized funds to the department's priority focus areas;

Third, to improve the use of D A budget for the Senate and Congress to see that the department deserves a much higher budgetary allotment subsequently. Short of telling all its agencies allied and under it to step up their efforts "for it to be entrusted with an increased budget" in the

coming years.

I believe that the fisheries sector should be given the proverbial 'bigger bucket' to attend to an strategized fish production, processing, transportation and marketing of fish, shellfish and seaweed products. It has been long observed that the fisheries side of DA has been receiving miniscule budget to implement its modernization plans needed mainly to increase production through pre- and post- harvest technologies usages. This way importation and/or smuggling of marine products are averted.

It's a sad reality that after typhoon Yolanda, veggie seeds given to farmers were successfully planted, bore fruits, but farmers were not assisted in the processing and marketing of the harvest, e.g. *kalabasa, naranhita*, high end veggies like lettuce, broccoli, cauliflower, beautifully and bountifully grown in the upland/ mountain barangays of my town Burauen, Leyte.

Did personally relayed this observation to the pro-

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**What's New
Mr. Q?**
TENTE U. QUINTERO

Guanzon vs Ferolino

Because of the harsh words exchanged by Two (2) commissioners of the Commission on Elections, wherein their occasional outbursts were becoming "top tunes among the known "Marites(es) -- the newly-coined word for "tsismosas" -- because of their usual opening lines being "Mare, ano ang latest" (tsismis) ... so this Columnist started to do research...

Commissioner Ma. Rowena V. Guanzon, born 64 years ago in Cadiz City, Negros Occidental, is/was

slated to retire ib 02 FEB 2022; and complete her 7-year service as commissioner.

By the time this Article sees print in the *Leyte-Samar Daily Express*, Commissioner Guanzon would already be considered "past tense" as a commissioner.

This Columnist's media sources in Metro Manila declared that at the Comelec, Commissioner Guanzon was noted for her "undying loyalty" to the "dilawan or Pinklawan group" -- she being the last appointee of President

Noynoy Aquino in the 7-man Commission on Elections.

Early in mid-January, Guanzon was already rumored at Comelec "to do last-minute maneuvers" in order to disqualify the usual survey topnotcher Ferdinand Bongbong Marcos Jr. to stop him from pursuing his presidential candidacy in the forthcoming May elections; thus opening another possibility for their candidate to do another winning trick.

The rumored plan was for Commissioner Guanzon to get the support of at least one other commissioner -- preferably Atty. Aimee Ferolino -- a woman in their First Division, in order to form the majority decision, so Bongbong Marcos gets disqualified at their level as a presidential candidate.

The "Pinklawan group" figured that a successful maneuver *see Guanzon /page 9...*



Commentary
FR. ROY CIMAGALA

**The Presentation
of the Lord**

FEBRUARY 2 liturgically celebrates the feast of the Presentation of the Lord. It commemorates the occasion when Our Lady, in obedience to Jewish law, went to the Temple in Jerusalem both to be purified 40 days after the birth of her son, Jesus, and to present him to God as her firstborn. (cfr. Lk 2,22-38)

Many precious lessons can be derived from this feast, among them the fact that Our Lady, who clearly would have no need to submit to that law, just went ahead with it, without taking advantage of the privilege she clearly enjoyed, and avoiding any sense of entitlement.

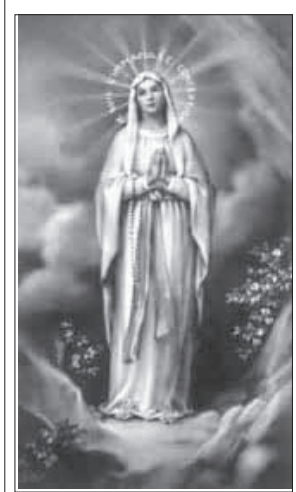
It is something worth

emulating, since this is a clear expression of humility, an indispensable virtue that would enable us to stick with God and his will and ways. We have to be most

wary when we happen to enjoy some privileged positions or status in life because we tend to think that we deserve more entitlements. And not only would we expect them. We may even demand them for us. Without this humility, we in the end would separate ourselves from God.

Let's be reminded that whatever privileges, favors and blessings we may enjoy in life are meant for us to strengthen our desire to serve God and others, and not to be served. But as it is, we should try to

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Pray the Holy Rosary daily
for world peace and conversion of sinners
(The family that prays together stays together)

**Prayer for the Nation and
for Those who Serve in
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God, our Father, you guide everything in wisdom and love. Accept the prayers we offer for our nation, by the wisdom of our leaders and integrity of our citizens, may harmony and justice be secured and may there be lasting prosperity and peace.

Almighty and eternal God, You know the longings of our hearts and You protect our rights in your goodness, watch over those in authority, so that people everywhere may enjoy freedom, security and peace.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever, Amen. (Courtesy of Daughters of St. Paul)

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EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that ORLANDO D. MANUEL executed an Extrajudicial Settlement over 26 months pension differential and heirs RAUL, MARISSA, MELCHOR AND MARITA all surnamed MANUEL hereby WAIVED AND RELINQUISHED all rights, participation and interest over the above estate in favor of MARIFE MANUEL. Per Doc No. 20914, Page No. 50, Book No. XXXII, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Pedro M. Labid.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late ANGELES ENCINA MORA extrajudicially settled and adjudicated over a pension with Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP), Tacloban City under savings account no. 5089797754. Per Doc No. 370, Page No. 75, Book No. XXXX, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Jessica Joy U. Bendoy.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

AFFIDAVIT OF LOSS AND UNDERTAKING

NOTICE is hereby given that PAOLO PICA executed an Affidavit of Loss and Undertaking, that I am a plan holder / beneficiary / next of kin of LOYOLA PLANS CONSOLIDATED, INC. having been issued a Contract No. 10042435 with Certificate of Ownership/Full Payment No. 21064842. That said said contract was inadvertently lost due to Typhoon Yolanda. That I have executed this Affidavit and Undertaking for the purpose of attesting to the veracity and truth of all the facts herein above-mentioned and I freely and voluntarily agree to the above undertakings as a condition to the issuance of a contract or Certificate of Ownership / Full Payment in my name. Per Doc No. 228, Page No. 47, Book No. II, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Jerry S. Uy.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

R.A. Form No. 10.1 (LCRO)

Republic of the Philippines
Local Civil Registry Office
Province: **NORTHERN SAMAR**
City/Municipality: **Laoang**

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

In compliance with Section 5 of R.A. No. 9048, a notice is hereby served to the public that **HECTOR L. LABARNES** has filed with this Office, a petition for Change of First Name from **“AXEQUEL”** to **“ABEGAIL”** in the certificate of live birth of **AXEQUEL ACEBUCHE LABARNES** who was born on **MAY 19, 2004** at **LAOANG, NORTHERN SAMAR** and whose parents are **HECTOR LAGARTO LABARNES** and **MARIBEL MIRA ACEBUCHE**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this office not later than **16 FEBRUARY, 2022**.

(Sgd.) **MANUEL D. ATENCIO**
City/Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

Publication Notice
R.A. 10172

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

CCE-0001-1022-RA 10172 Date: **17 JANUARY 2022**

In Compliance with the publication requirement and pursuant to OCRG Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 Guidelines in the Implementation of the Administrative Order No. 1 Series of 2012 (IRR on R.A. 10172), Notice is hereby served to the public that **AXEQUEL ACEBUCHE LABARNES** has filed with this Office, a petition for correction of entry in sex from **“MALE”** to **“FEMALE”** in the certificate of live birth of **AXEQUEL ACEBUCHE LABARNES** at Municipality of **LAOANG, NORTHERN SAMAR** and whose parents are **HECTOR LAGARTO LABARNES** and **MARIBEL MIRA ACEBUCHE**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this office not later than **16 FEBRUARY, 2022**.

(Sgd.) **MANUEL D. ATENCIO**
City/Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late JORGE DE GRACIA GACO extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land knowns as Lot No. 26, Psd-87615 located at Brgy. 63, Sagkahan, Tacloban City covered by TCT No. T-37912 containing an area of 250sq.m., A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of SPS. RAUL S. CANAS AND MERLITA D. CANAS as vendees of the above-described property, free from all liens and encumbrances. Per Doc No. 435, Page No. 86, Book No. 30, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Reginildo R. Cañas.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late VICENTE MONTERA extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 11203, Ass Lot No. 019, situated at Brgy. Ba-as, Hilongos, Leyte containing an area of 2,186.96sq.m.,under TD No. 99-14006-00219. A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of CAESAR JAMES CANDIDO as vendee of the above-described property free from and clear of all liens, encumbrances or claims whatsoever. Per Doc No. 18, Page No. 4, Book No. VIII, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Montera Cubio.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH WAIVER

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late VIRGIE S. LLOSA extrajudicially settled over a Honda Motorcycle with Plate No. HZ7-451 which is a Motorcycle for Hlre (MCH) with Mayor’s Business Permit with No. 20210143 in the name of Virgie S. Llosa with issued a Police Number 0027 by the City Government of Tacloban and heirs, AIZA LLOSA BALDICANO AND FRANCISCO S. LLOSA, SR. hereby WAIVED all rights and interest over the said motorcycle unto FRANCISCO S. LLOSA. Per Doc No. 385, Page No. 78, Book No. 18, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Rafael Antonio M. Acebedo.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH ADJUDICATION AND ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late GREGORIO ARIZO extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 984, Cad 667 situated at San Pedro, Tunga, Leyte containing an area of 4,222sq.m., covered by OCT No. OC-10589. A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of JERRY Y. MILAGROSA as vendee of the above described property free from all liens and encumbrances. Per Doc No. 272, Page No. 56, Book No. 39, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. David G. Apostol.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

Publication Notice
RA 10172

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Date: January 24, 2022

CFN-
CCE-00155-2022

In compliance with the publication requirement and pursuant to OCRG Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 Guidelines in the implementation of the Administrative Order No. 1 Series of 2012 (IRR on R.A. 10172), Notice is hereby served to the public that **MARIVIC RAMOS ESPIA** has filed with this office, a petition for correction of entry in the date of birth from: **“December”** to **“October”** in the certificate of live birth of **MARIVIC RAMOS ESPINA** at **Tolosa, Leyte** and whose parents are **VICTOR BERINGUEL ESPINA** and **THELMA BASALO RAMOS**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this Office not later than **February 10, 2022**.

(Sgd.) **BASILIO C. RAZ**
Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

Publication Notice
R.A. 10172

Republic of the Philippines
Local Civil Registry Office
Province of Northern Samar
Municipality of San Isidro

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Date: January 21, 2022

CFN-0001-2022
CCE-0001-2022

In compliance with the publication requirement and pursuant to OCRG Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 Guidelines in the Implementation of the Administrative Order No. 1 Series of 2012 (IRR on R.A. 10172), Notice is hereby served to the public that **MERALYN C. CALOSOR** has filed with this office, a petition for Change of First Name from **“ELEIL”** to **“MERALYN”** and correction of entry in sex from **“MALE”** to **“FEMALE”** in the Certificate of Live Birth of **ELEIL CALOSOR** at **SAN ISIDRO, NORTHERN SAMAR** and whose parents are **ERLINDA COMEDIA** and **ESMERALDO CALOSOR**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this office not later than **February 10, 2022**.

(Sgd.) **EULALIO O. SOLA**
Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

DEED OF DONATION

NOTICE is hereby given that GREGORIO P. CATENZA, and his younger brother Graciano P. Catenza Jr. and deceased mother Isidora P. Catenza are the absolute owner of Agricultural land, Cad. Lot No. 1048, situated at Brgy. San Pedro, Tunga, Leyte, containing an area of 1.9595 has., with assessed value of P19,484.00, under Tax Dec. No. 02-40003-00267. That MARTINA TRINIDAD U. CATENZA AND MARIA ANA U. CATENZA is the owner of one-half (1/2)share of the above described property, That herein Martina Trinidad Catenza and Maria Ana U. Catenza executed a Deed of Donation in favor of THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION represented herein by AURORA AQUINO-VILLAR-ENTE, the Schools Division Superintendent, a portion of the above-described property which is one hectare, and the Donee is Tunga National High School which occupies the land subject-matter of this Donation shall named to GREGORIO C. CATENZA MEMORIAL NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL and the remaining of the above property which is .9595 hac. can be used by the school for its food production project; per Doc. No. 135, Book No. 28, Book No. X, Series of 2003 of Notary Public Atty. Virgilio A. Buñales.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late MARIETTA I. LUMASAC extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over 2 properties particularly described as; **1)** A Condominium Unit No. 2-B located at G. Tolentino Street, Sampaloc, Manila; **2)** A bank deposit in Metrobank Catarman Branch, Catarman, Northern Samar particularly Savings Account No. 346-3-34623406-8 with an outstanding balance of deposit of Php840,199.71. Per Doc No. 152, Page No. 31, Book No. I, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Johannes S. Monje.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

SELF-ADJUDICATION OF REAL ESTATE WITH SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that PASCUALA JABIEN SUNGA, heir of the late ALEJO JABIEN executed a Deed of Self-adjudication over a parcel of agricultural land denominated as Lot 665, Pls-658-D situated at Brgy. Bayog, Motiong, Samar under TD No/ARP No. 00076 PIN No. 036-11-005-02-012 covered by OCT No. 9032 containing an area of 3-77-64 hectares. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of VIRGINIA MABINI IGDALINO, ANITA MABINI AGUILAR, DOLORES MABINI SANTOS, ESTERLITA MABINI BALORON, BELLA MABINI PRADO, OFELIA JABIEN MABINI AND JOAQUIN JABIEN MABINI as vendees of the above-described property. Per Doc No. 444, Page No. 85, Book No. 59, Series of 2020. Notary Public Atty. Edilberto G. Morales.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

RA Form No. 10.1 (LCRO)

Republic of the Philippines
Local Civil Registry Office
Province of Leyte
Municipality of Babatngon

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

In compliance with Section 5 of R.A. No. 9048, a notice is hereby served to the public that **MA. TERESA OBERA DEL VALLE** has filed with this Office a petition for change of first name from **“MARIA THERESA”** to **“MA. TERESA”** in the birth certificate of **MARIA THERESA OBERA DEMILLO** who was born on OCTOBER 18, 1975 BABATNGON, LEYTE and whose parents are FRANCISCO BEDILLA SELVERIA and MIRASOL DEMILLO OBERA.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file written opposition with this Office not later than **February 7, 2022**.

(Sgd.) **NILO C. CAÑETE, JR.**
Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

Publication Notice
RA 10172

Republic of the Philippines
City Civil Registry Office
Province of Eastern Samar
City of Borongan

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

In compliance with Section 7 of R.A. 9048, a notice is hereby served to the public that **JOEL NABLE MONTANO** has filed with this office, a **Petition for Change of Child’s first name** from: **JOSE JOEL** to **JOEL** in the Certificate of Live Birth of **JOSE JOEL NABLE MONTAÑO** who was born on **12 June 1965** at **Tabunan, Borongan, Eastern Samar** and whose parents are **GERONIMO C. MONTAÑO** and **INES C. NABLE**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this Office not later than **10 February 2022**.

(Sgd.) **MA. LUISA M. AZUL III**
City Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

San Juan mayor commends NSSDEO QRT



NSSDEO, Brgy. Bu-rabud, Laoang, North-ern Samar-As a way of showing gratitude to the DPWH-Northern Samar Second District Engineer-ing Office (NSSDEO), the municipality of San Juan, Southern Leyte under Mayor Virgilio A. Mort-era passed Sangguniang Bayan Resolution No.



03, series of 2022 com-mending the effort of NS-SDEO Quick Response Team (QRT) headed by OIC-District Engineer Charlito S. Carlobos. The area was one of devastated and hardest hit by the said typhoon last December 16, 2021 resulting to massive dam-ages to livelihood and

property. The NSSDEO QRT has immediately deployed maintenance personnel headed by Chief Engineer Francisco Tañala to conduct road clearing op-erations in the towns of San Juan, St. Bernard and Liloan, all in Southern Leyte.

Rep. Tan...

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Leyte Rep. and majority floor leader Martin Ro-mualdez, is to be located in Calbayog City while the proposed Ospital Han Sa-mar is to be built in Catba-logan City.
“I did not vote yes, and neither a no because I have a pending House Bill filed - HB 7448, with Rep. Yedda and Rep. Martin (Romual-dez), on the establishment of Ospital Han Samar,” Tan explained.
“Hence, I did not cast an affirmative or negative vote, and it’s OK with me if it gets approved,” she added.
The Samar solon clar-ified that she is not against the establishment of the SIMC as she is aware of its

importance and will benefit all the people of Samar Is-land.
She, however, said that the creation of the SIMC will have an impact on fu-ture plans in the upgrading of province-run hospitals, including the Samar Pro-vincial Hospital.
Under the proposed measure of Tan, it seeks for the upgrading and integra-tion of all province-admin-istered hospitals into a sin-gle network medical facility with a total 850-bed capac-ity, and aims to upgrade the Samar Provincial Hospital as a tertiary level medical facility.
The proposed measure also aims to upgrade both the Calbayog and Basey District Hospitals to level II, and the Tarangnan and

commendation, Mainte-nance Section Chief Engr. Francisco Y. Tañala said, “On behalf of the NSSDEO Quick Response Team, we would like to thank the Lo-cal Government Unit of San Juan, Southern Leyte for the resolution commending our efforts in clearing the thoroughfares of their mu-

nicipality in response to the marching order of the Hon. Secretary Roger G. Mer-cado to clear all national roads in So. Leyte, doing public service without hes-itation.”

Before going to San Juan, the team also provid-ed sacks of rice to South-ern Leyte DEO as an aug-mentation to its disaster relief operations in differ-ent parts of the province. They contributed 100 packs of relief goods in the municipality of San Juan, Southern Leyte. Each pack contained a 3-kilogram bag of rice and other ba-sic commodities such as canned goods, milk, noo-dles, coffee, and biscuits. (LYCA MAE T. QUILICOL, PIO Alternate/PR)

Gandara Community Hos-pitals to level I.
“This is what we envi-sion for Samar- a tertiary hospital wherein our peo-ple will no longer com-pete for bed spaces at the EVMC,” Rep. Tan said.
She said that she re-mains optimistic that her measure will also get the support and approval of both chambers of Congress.
The SIMC is proposed as a 300-bed tertiary hos-pital to be located in Cal-bayog City and will accept referrals from those coming from the Samar provinces.
It is also targeted to help decongest patients at the EVMC, the biggest govern-ment-run hospital in the region that is located here in the city. (JOEY A. GABIETA)

Republic of the Philippines
LEYTE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT
LMWD Compound, Brgy. 74, Nulatula, Tacloban City
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E-mail Add: lmwd.ogm@yahoo.com/pr@lmwd.gov.ph

INVITATION TO BID

LDC-ITBid No.: **2022-01-001**
Date : **February 9, 2022**

The Leyte Metropolitan Water District, through its LMWD Disposal Committee (LDC) wishes to announce to the public and all interested buyer/s to join the sale through Public Bidding of Unserviceable Properties on “**AS IS, WHERE IS**” basis located at Leyte Metropolitan Water District Compound, Brgy. 74, Nula-Tula, Tacloban City.

Please quote your offer price for the item/s indicated below and submit your proposals print-ed in your company’s/firm’s or personal letterhead with your name, signature, company name (if any), address and contact numbers. Submit the duly accomplished proposals on or before **February 21, 2022, 10:00 a.m.** Place your proposals together with the bid bond amounting to **Php 51,893.66** and Guarantee Certificate of Cash Deposit in a bank located in Tacloban City equivalent to 10% of estimated value of the item to be bid, in a sealed envelope with the ITBid No. above, your name, address and contact numbers. Unsigned proposals, proposals below the floor price and those without the corresponding bid bond shall be disqualified.

Item Name/Description	Floor Price
1 lot Unserviceable properties consisting of: -Vehicles -Steel Filing Cabinets -IT Equipment -Stainless Tank -Water Meters -Tires -Batteries -Plastic	Php 518,936.57

It is understood that (1) your quoted price is good for sixty (60) calendar days from bid open-ing; (2) LMWD reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, including that of a single eligible bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **February 14-21, 2022 at 8:00a.m. - 5:00p.m.** at **LMWD Compound, Brgy. 74, Nula Tula, Tacloban City** and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents in the amount of **Five Hundred Pesos (Php 500.00).**

Very truly yours,

GERUNDIO N. CALABIA
Chairman, Disposal Committee

The Presentation...

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avoid them, since they tend only to spoil and corrupt us. Rather, we should try to follow what Christ himself once said—that we enter by the narrow gate instead of preferring the wide gate and the broad road that can only lead us to our destruction. (cfr. Mt 7,13-14)

This is also the example of Christ himself who, as St. Paul noted in one of his epistles, being God emptied himself to become man and went all the way to offer-ing his life for all our sins. (cfr. Phil 2,7) This was also shown when Christ went ahead to pay temple tax when he obviously would have been exempted from it. (cfr. Mt 17,24-27) Seem-ingly impossible for us to do, we should just try our best to imitate that example, relying on God’s grace and on our all-out effort.

The Feast of the Pre-sentation of the Lord also reminds us that we have to give not only the best that we have to God first, but also everything that we have. We have to remem-ber that our life ought to be spent as an offering. It

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for and respond to natural disasters. Through existing programs, in response to Typhoon Odette, USAID’s partners have transport-ed relief supplies, helped manage evacuation shelters, deployed mobile opera-tions vehicles to support emergency telecommu-nications, and provided heavy-duty plastic sheeting to meet the shelter needs of 4,800 families.

The United States will continue to partner with the Philippines to respond to natural disasters and support Filipinos in their recovery efforts.
Since 2010, USAID has provided more than Php17.5 billion (\$342 mil-lion) in disaster relief and recovery aid, and boosted the disaster risk reduction capacity of over 100 cities and municipalities in the Philippines. (PR)

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vincial government, es-pecially on the marketing of agri-products, at least in Tacloban City’s wet markets and big grocery stores as well as process-ing of excess produce. Here the DOST could be ap-proached for their process-ing and canning/bottling technologies!
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NEXT TOPIC : “RP’s Pharma Firms Need to Ven-ture on Anti-covid Drug”
SHARE S & T THOUGHTS through E-mail: drpacjr@yahoo.com.

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH WAIVER AND RENUNCIATION OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late TIBURCIO VIRTUDES, SR. extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of Commercial lot together with the improvements thereon (building) covered by TD No. with ARP No. 2012-06003-00129 with PIN 035-06-003-01-063 situated at Corner J.P. Rizal St. & Aguinaldo St., Brgy. Calachuchi, Catarman, Northern Samar with an area of 137.75sq.m., and heirs hereby WAIVED and RENOUNCED all rights, shares and participation over the above-described property in favor of ARNIZA E. VIRTUDES-OSIDO. Per Doc No. 360, Page No. 73, Book No. XIX, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Franco Archie N. Tonog.
LSDE: Jan. 22, 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT/PARTITION OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late SPS. MARCIANO MONJAS AND VICTORIA MONJAS extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a portion of a parcel of land known as Lot No. 12102, Psc-5 with improvements thereon situated at Baybay, Leyte with a total land area of 9,231sq.m., more or less embraced by TCT No. TP-11435. Per Doc No. 266, Page No. 54, Book No. L, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Eden B. Chavez-Butawan.
LSDE: Jan. 22, 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late JULIA P. BABULA extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land designated as Lot 916-D-3-B of the subdivision plan Psd-08-006099 being a portion of Lot 916-D-3, Psd-08-001255 covered by TCT No. T-34921 located at Sagkahan, Tacloban City containing 171sq.m., Per Doc No. 512, Page No. 104, Book No. 12, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Vicente B. Cañas.
LSDE: Jan. 22, 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late GLORIA M. SUAREZ extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 11190, Case 33, Cad 566-D situated at Brgy. Ba-as, Hilongos, Leyte containing an area of 9,957sq.m.,under OCT No. P-34055. A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of CAESAR JAMES CANDIDO as vendee of the above-described property free from and clear of all liens, encumbrances or claims whatsoever. Per Doc No. 20, Page No. 4, Book No. VIII, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Montera Cubio.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE AMONG HEIRS WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late RAUL S. DUMAS extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a bank deposit at the Land Bank of the Philippines, Jaro Branch, Iloilo with Bank Account No. 3296-2469-12 with a total amount of Php178,868.02 and heirs hereby WAIVED all rights, interests and participation in the hereditary estate unto KATHLEEN A. DUMAS. Per Doc No. 392, Page No. 80, Book No. I, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Jerry S. Uy.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that SOCORRO I. CANDELARIO married to GIL CAN-DELARIO executed a Deed of Absolute Sale in favor of ARSENIA BAÑEZ CESARIO as vendee over a parcel of residential lot covered by OCT No. 14896, Lot No. 4992, Pls-857-D situated at Brgy. San Miguel, Lope de Vega, Northern Samar containing an area of 79,820sq.m.,more or less. Per Doc No. 20286, Page No. 4058, Book NO. XLI, Series of 2015. Notary Public Atty. Anselmo S. Alvañiz.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

DEED OF SELF-ADJUDICATION WITH ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that PETER SUNDY SABOCOHAN, heir of the late DO-MINGO SABOCOHAN executed an Affidavit of Adjudication over a parcel of land located at Brgy. Agpangi, Naval, Biliran consisting an area of 0.3338 hectares with TCT No. 123-2021000109 and TD No. 00749. A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of MARITA FRASER as vendee of the above-described property. Per Doc No. 545, Page No. 114, Book No. I, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Lolita G. Casas-Nueve.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT AND ADJUDICATION WITH ABSOLUTE SALE AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late SPS. HERMOGENES SOLIS AND POTENCIANA TOMALABCAB extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of agricultural land designated as Lot 2132, Cad 255 with improvements (coco land) existing thereon located at Brgy. San Andres, Catbalogan City with an area of 53,344sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of ERNESTO BITBIT, JR. as vendee of the above-described property and heirs hereby WAIVED all rights, shares and interests together with all improvements in favor of ERNESTO BITBIT JR. Per Doc No. 202, Page No. 042, Book No. 383, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Medino L. Acuba.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE WITH WAIVER AND RENUNCIATION OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that ADELINA ENCINARES VIRTUDES executed a Deed of Absolute Sale in favor of ARNIZA VIRTUDES-OSIDO as vendee of a parcel of Commercial lot covered by TD No. with ARP No. 2012-06003-00129 with PIN 035-06-003-01-063 situated at Corner J.P. Rizal St. & Aguinaldo St., Brgy. Calachuchi, Catarman, Northern Samar with an area of 137.75sq.m., and heirs hereby WAIVED and RENOUNCED all rights, shares and participation over the above-described property in favor of ARNIZA E. VIRTUDES-OSIDO. Per Doc No. 237, Page No. 49, Book No. XVII, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Franco Archie N. Tonog.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of AGRIPINA TUBIS-GRUTA who was the sister of BENITO TUBIS extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 1169 covered by TCT No. T-4089 containing an area of 60,914sq.m., situated in Barrio Buri, Catbalogan City, Samar. Per Doc No. 20817, Page No. 32, Book No. XXXII, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Pedro M. Labid.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late CONSTANCIA DINERO NABLO executed an Affidavit of Extrajudicial Settlement of Estate over a parcel of land designated as Lot 1893-E-3, Psd-08-010455-D situated at Brgy. Guindapunan, Catbalogan City, Samar covered by TCT No. T-11823 with an area of 1,518sq.m.,more or less. A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of MA. GERLYN SOLAYAYO GUASIS married to JAYSON JONGAYA GUASIS as vendees of a portion containing an area of 155sq.m., from the heir, LORENZA NABLO DACLES share from the above-described property. Per Doc No. 20615, Page No. 20, Book No. XXXII, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Pedro M. Labid.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT/PARTITION WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late CORSINO EBAJAN extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land situated at Brgy. Look, Almeria, Biliran bearing TD No. 00191 with an area of 2,224.51sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of JAY B. BACALANDO as vendee of a portion equivalent to 47.50sq.m., and all improvements thereon if any, free from all liens and encumbrances. Per Doc No. 729, Page No. 147, Book No. I, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Lolita G. Casas-Nueve.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late VALERIANA LEPASANA extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over an agricultural land situated at Brgy. Bunga, Cabucgayan, Biliran denominated as Survey 2762 and Assessor's Lot No. 02 bearing TD No. 00632 with an area of 1.796158 hectares A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of RITCHEL V. MENAGUA as vendee of the above-described property free from all liens and encumbrances. Per Doc No. 153, Page No. 31, Book No. 59, Series of 2019. Notary Public Atty. Redentor C. Villordon.
LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022

DEED OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that CARL JOSEPH E. PARRILLA, DANN MARTZ E. PARRILLA, SHERLAINE FEB E. PARRILLA executed a Deed of Sale in favor of. SPS. RICARDO AND MARILYN BUHAY as vendees of a portion of land consisting of 232sq.m., located at Brgy. Calogcog, Tanauan, Leyte designated as Lot 4203-B covered by OCT No. 59191. Per Doc No. 1646, Page No. 7, Book No. XXIII, Series of 2013. Notary Public Atty. Jose N, Mago, Jr.
LSDE: Jan. 29, Feb. 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH SPECIAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late LOLITA JADULCO NAPUTO executed an Extrajudicial Settlement of Estate over a bank deposit with Union Bank, Tacloban City and heirs hereby WAIVED all rights, interest and participation over the said account in favor of BASILIO G. NAPUTO. That also by virtue of these presents the parties do hereby; name, constitute and appoint; BASILIO G. NAPUTO, to be their true and lawful attorney for them and in their names, place and stead to claim and received the above amount. Per Doc No. 455, Page No. 91, Book No. 63, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Redentor C Villordon.
LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022

RA Form No. 9 (LCRO)

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Samar
MUNICIPALITY OF CALBIGA
Office of the Municipal Civil Registrar

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

In compliance to Section 5 of Republic Act No. 9048, a notice is hereby served to the public that Ms. Mylene A. Millares has filed with this Office a Petition for Change of First Name from **MARIA LYN** to **MYLENE** in the Certificate of Live Birth of Maria Lyn Abawag, who was born on 23 October 1977 at Brgy. Tinago, Calbiga, Samar, and whose parents are Anito Abawag and Melania Cabrigas.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his/her written opposition with this Office within ten (10) days from the publication of this notice.

Issued at Office of the Municipal Civil Registrar, Ground Floor, Municipal Hall, Calbiga, Samar, this 20th day of January 2022.

(Sgd.) **MARIO D. CABUJAT**
Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022



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Landowner,

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DARAB CASE NO. **LV-0801-0048-2021**

FOR: FIXING OF JUST COMPENSATION

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF HEARING

To:
**THE PRESIDENT/GENERAL MANAGER
INSULAR BANK OF ASIA AND AMERICA**
Burgos St., Ormoc City

**JOSEFINA CORAZON TURLA
PARPO II
DAR Prov'l., Office
Real St., Tacloban City**

FIEL M. PEDROSA
Head
Agrarian Operations Center-
LANDBANK
Real St., Sagkahan District
Tacloban City

Greetings,

Please take NOTICE that this Office, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of R.A. 6657, as amended and its implementing rules and regulation, will conduct a summary administrative proceedings on **February 09, 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at DARAB, Office of the Provincial Adjudicator, Sto. Niño Extension, Tacloban City**, to determine the just compensation of the property of **INSULAR BANK OF ASIA AND AMERICA** under **Transfer Certificate of Title No. T-7211, Lot No. 133-B, C, F & H, with an area of 12.8445 has., area acquired is 4.0508 hectare/s and located at Brgy. Mat-aloto, Leyte, Leyte**, subject of Compulsory Acquisition scheme of R.A. 6657.

The proceeding being summary in nature, you are directed to submit within thirty (30) days from receipt hereof your respective memorandum/position paper and affidavits, supported with pertinent documents and evidence as to just compensation of said property. Parties may examine the claim folder in the Adjudicator's Office.

Attached please find 1.) Memorandum of Valuation; 2.) Field Investigation Report; 3.) Land Valuation Worksheet and 4.) Advise to DARAB/Adjudicator to Conduct Administrative Proceedings, for your ready reference.

DAR, Provincial Office, Sto. Niño Extension, Tacloban City, December 06, 2021.

FOR THE ADJUDICATOR

Mesalina M. Pamat
MESALINA M. PAMAT
Clerk of the Adjudicator

LSDE: January 22, 29 & Feb. 5, 2022



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ARTURO EBALES married to
LUIA EBALES

Landowner,

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DARAB CASE NO. **LV-0801-0047-2021**

FOR: FIXING OF JUST COMPENSATION

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF HEARING

To:
**ARTURO EBALES
married to LUIA EBALES**
Poblacion, San Isidro, Leyte

**JOSEFINA CORAZON TURLA
PARPO II
DAR Prov'l., Office
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LSDE: January 22, 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

Biliran's Mamanwa tribe members now fully vaxxed



PROTECTED. A Mamanwa tribe member receives the single-dose Janssen vaccine in Caucab village in Almeria, Biliran during a vaccination drive in their community on Feb. 2, 2022. Some 24 members of the Mamanwa tribe in Almeria, Biliran are now fully-vaccinated against Covid-19 amid hesitancy and distance of their settlement from health facilities. (Photo courtesy of Brett Abrea)

TACLOBAN CITY – Some 24 members of the Mamanwa tribe in Almeria, Biliran are now fully-vaccinated against coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) amid hesitancy and distance of their settlement from health facilities.

The Department of Health reported on Thursday that inoculation for the ethnic group in Caucab village, Almeria was completed on February 2, as part of the three-day regional vaccination drive.

Fifteen adults and nine young tribe members received their single dose of Janssen. There was no reported Covid-19 case among the tribe members.

“The vaccination team, healthcare workers, and volunteers reached out to the said Mamanwa community in their pursuit to

vaccinate their total population. This is also made possible by the support and partnership between the DOH, municipal health office, and local government unit of Almeria,” the DOH regional office said in a statement.

Indigenous peoples in Almeria are ethnic groups Mamanwas from Basey, Samar who migrated to a remote community in Biliran almost six decades ago, according to a study posted online by Enrique Picardal Jr. of the Biliran Province State University.

Their upland neighborhood is at the foot of Mount Panamao in Caucab village, a land devoted to abaca and rice farming.

The village is the remotest community in Almeria town.

It is about 4 kilometers away from the town center and only accessible through a motorcycle ride. **(SARWELL Q. MENIANO/PNA)**

Guanzon...

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could pave the way for Vice-President Leni Robredo, the usual 2nd placer in surveys, to eventually win the presidency without the BBM's participation in the May elections.

However, Commissioner Ferolino showed disinterest in the initial talks with Guanzon, so the latter had to resort to drastic measures -- to pressure “newbie commissioner” Ferolino to given in to Guanzon's maneuverings.

Again, failing in this second maneuver, Chairman Guanzon, even before the division handling the case could promulgate its decision, Chairperson - Commissioner Guanzon announced that she is voting in favor of disqualifying Ferdinand Bongbong Marcos, Jr. “so Ferolino would be pressured to follow her decision.”

But this maneuver also backfired when Commissioner Ferolino wrote a long memorandum to Comelec Chairman Sheriff Abas, with the request that Commissioner Guanzon's “uncalled for announcements” should be investigated; and that was about the time when the Two (2) female commissioners started exchanging harsh words; and this went on until Commissioner Guanzon's retirement February 2nd.

This Columnist researched Three (3) known legal experts; but he found former Malacanang Spokesperson Atty. Harry Roque's explanation much simpler; and could could easi-

ly be understood; so this Columnist has taken the liberty of quoting the important portions of Atty. Roque's column in the Manila Tribune.

- ATTY. HARRY ROQUE'S LEGAL OPINION -

“Based on our Constitution, the Commission on Elections (Comelec) is considered a collegial body. It is composed of Two (2) divisions and can sit en banc. Three commissioners decide in each division.

“The Five (5) Important Questions we will answer are --

“FIRSTLY, Can a commissioner publicize her/his vote even before the division has made its decision?

“SECONDLY, Is there really an inordinate delay that prompted Commissioner Guanzon to divulge her vote and broadcast it to the whole world?

“THIRDLY, What can be done in this regard? Does the fact that Commissioner Guanzon will retire have an effect on the final decision of the division? Finally, is her decision to disclose her vote judicious?

“FOURTHLY, Can a dissenting opinion be made public before the division promulgates its decision?

“AND LASTLY, Did Commissioner Guanzon do the right thing by disclosing her vote?

- THE ANSWERS TO THE ABOVE -

“Although only one decision is promulgated by a division, there may be a dissenting opinion.

“When we have a collegial body, the decision is not made by just one member of that group. The decision is made by ALL THREE of them!

“Of course, whichever position gets the most number of votes is what we call the majority opinion. If there is one who disagrees, that is when we have a dissenting opinion.

“When a division decides a case, the decision is the result of the votes of the Three (3) Commissioners; not just one of them.

“Based on my (Atty. Roque's) 32 years of law practice, the decision cannot be publicized before the division promulgates its decision. To do so would be to go against the collegial nature of the decision.

“Every member of the collegial body is equal in decision-making. And, there should be a majority decision. That is the majority decision. If one of them is not in favor.

“If among the Three (3) members, Two (2) of them are in favor of disqualification, that is the majority decision. If one of them is not in favor of disqualification, that is the minority decision.

“Now that Commissioner Guanzon has announced that she is the only one who has a dissenting opinion, the Two (2) are therefore in favor of the dismissal of the petition for disqualification.

“NO, Commissioner Guanzon did not do the right thing by prematurely disclosing her vote publicly before the division promulgated its decision.

“In all collegial bodies, until the decision of the majority is released, the vote of each individual member IS CONFIDENTIAL -- A SECRET !

“The same rule is followed by the Justices of the Supreme Court !

Eastern Visayas posts \$272.22 million total trade in October, 2021

Trade of goods in Eastern Visayas surged by 69.61 percent from USD 160.50 million in October 2020 to USD 272.22 million in October 2021.

The increase was brought by the doubling of export sales in October 2021. The USD 112.00 million exports in October 2020 rose to USD 246.25 million in October 2021.

On the other hand, total import dove by 46.45 percent, from USD 48.50 million in October 2020 to USD 25.97 million in October 2021.

The People's Republic of China led the external trade transactions of the region during the month in review.

The Balance of Trade in Goods (BoT-G) jumped three-fold to USD 220.28 million in October 2021 from USD 63.50 million in the same period in 2020.

The total volume of the region's export in October 2021 was 85.92 million kilograms. The commodity group that was predominantly exported by the region was copper and articles thereof.

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE OF DECEASED PERSON WITH SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late MAXIMA LAGUTOM NUÑEZ extrajudicially settled over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 5190, Cad 519-D containing an area of 6,097sq.m., embraced by TD No. 08-31034-00081 situated at Brgy. Rizal, Palompon, Leyte. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of MANFA JAY D. RIVERA as vendee of the above-described property. Per Doc No. 355, Page No. 72, Book No. XXVI, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Lloyd P. Surigao. LSDE: Jan. 22, 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

Its value in October 2021 was USD 229.91 million comprising 93.37 percent of the total value of exports in the region during the month. Export receipts from the People's Republic of China posted at USD 90.48 million was more than one-third (36.74%)

of the total export value of the region in October 2021.

The total volume of the region's imported goods in October 2021 was 66.04 kilograms.

The bulk of the imports in October 2021 was the see Eastern/page 12...



NOTICE OF AUCTION

All unredeemed pledges left during the month of JUNE 2021 of the following RD PAWNSHOP, INC. branches will be sold at Public Auction on February 8, 2022 @ 10:00 A.M. at the following branches:

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| o Burgos St., District 2, Ormoc City | o Brgy. 8, Salcedo, Eastern Samar |
| o Real St., Ormoc City | o San Agustin St., District 8, Burauen, Leyte |
| o Cor. Burgos and Bonifacio Sts., Ormoc City | o Marabut St., Brgy. Baybay, Basey, Samar |
| o Rotonda, Cogon, Ormoc City | o Brgy. 8, Poblacion, Giporlos, Eastern Samar |
| o Lopez Jaena St., Ormoc City | |
| o War Veterans Ave., Brgy. Alegria, Ormoc City | |
| o Real St., Brgy. Poblacion, Albueria, Leyte | |
| o M. L. Quezon St. Baybay Leyte | |
| o Bonifacio St. Baybay, Leyte | |
| o Tres Martires St., zone 10, Baybay, Leyte | |
| o Real St., La Paz, Leyte | |
| o Capitan Ciudad, Brgy. Market Site, Dulag, Leyte | |
| o Real St. Abuyog Leyte | |
| o 147 San Roque St. Inopacan Leyte | |
| o Rizal St. Poblacion 2 Hindang Leyte | |
| o J. Luna St. Bato Leyte | |
| o M.L. Flores St. Hilongos, Leyte | |
| o Villaflores St., Hilongos, Leyte | |
| o FA Larrazabal St., Poblacion, Kananga, Leyte | |
| o Gervacio St., Poblacion, Villaba, Leyte | |
| o Magallanes St., Brgy. Central 3, Palompon, Leyte | |
| o Roxas St., Marvel, Isabel, Leyte | |
| o Brgy. Bawod, San Isidro, Leyte | |
| o Mabini St., Tabango, Leyte | |
| o Brgy. Espinosa, Calubian, Leyte | |
| o Burgos St., Barugo, Leyte | |
| o Abad St., Naval, Biliran | |
| o Vicentillo St., Naval, Biliran | |
| o Corner Real & Rizal St., Jaro, Leyte | |
| o Real St., Brgy. Baybay, Carigara, Leyte | |
| o Avenida Veteranos St., Tacloban city | |
| o P. Gomez St., Brgy. 16, Tacloban City | |
| o M.H. Del Pilar St., Cor. P. Zamora, Brgy. 17, Tacloban City | |
| o Corner Burgos-Salazar Sts., Tacloban City | |
| o Gomez St., Brgy. 17, Tacloban City | |
| o San Salvador St., Cavite East, Palo, Leyte | |
| o Real St., Brgy. San Antonio, Poblacion, Alang-alang, Leyte | |
| o Real St., Tanauan, Leyte | |
| o San Agustin St., District 8, Burauen, Leyte | |
| o Marabut St., Brgy. Baybay, Basey, Samar | |
| o Brgy. 8, Poblacion, Giporlos, Eastern Samar | |
| o Brgy. 8, Salcedo, Eastern Samar | |
| o San Nicolas St., Guiuan, Eastern Samar | |
| o Pier 1, Curry Ave., Catbalogan City | |
| o Allen Ave., Catbalogan City | |
| o Magsaysay Blvd., Brgy. East Awang, Calbayog City | |
| o Nijaga St., Brgy. Central, Calbayog City | |
| o Magsaysay Blvd., Brgy. Balud, Calbayog City | |
| o M.H. Del Pilar St., Catarman Northern Samar | |
| o Brgy. Dumalo-ong, Gandara Samar | |
| o Brgy. Sabang, Allen Northern Samar | |
| o Brgy. Zone 6, Poblacion, San Roque Northern Samar | |
| o Brgy. 04, Taft Eastern Samar | |
| o Brgy. Sungko, Borongan City | |

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE OF A PORTION OF REAL PROPERTY

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late MARCELO BUSA extrajudicially settled over a parcel of agricultural land situated at Brgy. Lalawigan, Borongan City, Eastern Samar covered by OCT No. 2063 designated as Lot No. 6487, Case 7, Cad 434-D containing an area of 1,783sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of SPS. JONA-THAN E. RIVAS AND ALMAR R. RIVAS as vendees of a portion equivalent to 1,375sq.m., from the above-described property. Per Doc No. 30, Page No. 07, Book No. XL, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Charles B. Culo, CPA. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH DEED OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late SPS. VICTOR A. BUGAL AND ALPIA N. BUGAL extrajudicially settled over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 1834, Case 2, Pls 1061, 3841 situated at Brgy. San Isidro, Barugo, Leyte covered by OCT No. P-28599 containing an area of 7,343sq.m., A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of the following; 1) SPS. ROBERT T. PONFERRADA AND MARY ANN MOLABOLA-PONFERRADA as vendees of a portion equivalent to 500sq.m., 2) ROWELL T. PONFERRADA as vendee of a portion equivalent to 500sq.m., both from heir Manuel N. Bugal's shares of land from the above-described property. Per Doc No. 327, Page No. 66, Book No. IV, Series of 2018. Notary Public Atty. Nathaniel R. Demain. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH WAIVER

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late FELIPE G. VERALLO, SR. extrajudicially settled over a unit of tricycle particularly described as; Make: HONDA; Type of Body: TC HIRE; Plate No: HZ6308; Engine No: KYA01E050519; Chassis No: KYA01050581; MV File No: 0801-00000102328; CR No: 186335251 and heirs, PRESCI-OSISIMA S. VERALLO, NATHANIEL S. VERALLO, ALDRINIEL S. VERALLO AND GREELVER S. VERALLO hereby WAIVED all rights and ownership over the above-described tricycle unto FELIPE S. VERALLO, JR. Per Doc No. 121, Page No. 26, Book No. IX, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Jerome Cordero Avila. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late SPS. CALIXTO DACOY AND MODESTA SAYASA executed an Extrajudicial of Settlement over a parcel of land designated as Lot No. 2263 located at Pagsa-ogan, Paranas, Samar covered by OCT No. 9157 containing an area of 10,953sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of ANGELITO O. DACOY AND EVELYN B. CARABAÑA as vendees of the above-described property. Per Doc No. 21084, Page No. 71, Book No. XXXII, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Pedro M. Labid. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late RODOLFO NEGROS namely: Sofia A. Negros and Rusdam Voltaire A. Negros extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land situated at Brgy. Victoria, Sta Fe, Leyte, covered by Katibayan ng Original na Titulo Blg. P-53719 and Tax Dec. No. 08-3500900161 and Tax Dec. No. 08-3500900162, Lot No. 1067, Case No. 8, Cad 495-D, containing an area of 6,560 square meters. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of Sps. ARMANDO N. PETILLA and AMOR L. PETILLA as vendees for the above-described property including with all the improvements thereon; per Doc. No. 5, Page No. 2, Book No. LXIII, Series of 2017 of Notary Public Atty. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar. *LSDE: Jan. 22, 29 & February 5, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late Sps. JOSE E. PORTUGAL and FELOMINA F. PORTUGAL extrajudicially settled, partitoned and adjudicated over 2 parcel of land, described as : 1) A parcel of land, designated as Lot No. 3926 Case 17, Cad 495-D, situated in Brgy. Baculanad, Sta. Fe, Leyte, containing an area of 37,514 square meters, more or less, covered by Katibayan ng Original na Titulo Blg. P-53629; 2) Parcel of land, designated as Lot No. 3043 Case-17, Cad 494-D, situated in Brgy. Baculanad, Sta. Fe, Leyte, containing an area of 47,843 square meters, more or less, covered by Katibayan ng Original na Titulo Blg. P-53630 and heirs hereby renouncing and waiving all their rights over the above-described parcel of land designated as Lot 3226 Case-17, Cad 495-D; and said Carlos F. Portugal and Bernardo F. Portugal are renouncing and waiving all their rights over the above-described parcel of land, designated as Lot No. 3043 Case -17, Cad 495; per Doc. No. 400, Page No. 81, Book No. IX, Series of 2021 of Notary Public Atty. Yoko Carolyn C. Watanabe. *LSDE: Jan. 22, 29 & February 5, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT AND ADJUDICATION WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late ELPEDIO L. LABINE extrajudicially settled and adjudicated over a parcel of residential land with improvement existing thereon designated as Lot No. 829-A, Psd-196949 situated at Barrio Silanga (now Pupua), Catbalogan, Samar embraced by TCT No. 7530 containing an area of 778sq.m.,more or less and heir, MARCELA DIOCTON-LABINE hereby WAIVED all rights, interests and participation over the above-described property in favor of ELMA LABINE-ABELLA, ELMAR D. LABINE, EMELITA D. LABINE AND ELPEDIO JR. D. LABINE. Per Doc No. 253, Page No. 052, Book No. 082, Series of 2022. Notary Public Atty. Demetrio Medino J. Acuba. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH DEED OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that RUBEN GARDE is the sole heir of the late CLEMENTE GARDE and MARIA L. GARDE extrajudicially settled and adjudicated over a parcel of land, located in Brgy. Anahaway, Municipality of Palo, Province of Leyte, containing an area of 1,045 square meters as evidenced by O.C.T. No. P-33475. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of SANDRA BOCO and CHARLIE TEJONES JAVA as vendee for a portion of 102 square meters from the above-described property; per Doc. No. 467, Page No. 95, Book No. X, Series of 2022 of Notary Public Atty. Manuel Reynaldo P. Martillo. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH WAIVER

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late JOSE DURIA LICARDO, JR. extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a bank deposit with METROBANK, Palompon, Leyte Branch, under Account No. 594-3-59407494-8 and heir JENNY LYN E. LICARDO , do hereby, WAIVE all her rights, shares and interest over the bank account of her deceased father, Jose Duria Licardo, Jr. in favor of her mother, LEONORA B. LICARDO; per Doc. No. 395, Page No. 80, Book No. 64, Series of 2021 of Notary Public Atty. Dante Luz N. Viacrusis. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

DEED OF SELF ADJUDICATION WITH SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that HIROSHI NASU heir of the late Amelita M. Mazo executed an affidavit of Self Adjudication over a parcel of land, Known as Lot 4526-B, Psd-08-001988, situated in the Barrio of Maganhan, Baybay City, Leyte, with an area of 3,500 square meters more or less, covered by TCT No. T-25446. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of RENATO P. MAGAN as vendee for the above-described property; per Doc. No. 310, Page No. 42, Book No. XLV, Series of 2019 of Notary Public Atty. Eden B. Chavez-Butawan. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH DEED OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that RUBEN GARDE is the sole heir of the late CLEMENTE GARDE and MARIA L. GARDE extrajudicially settled and adjudicated over a parcel of land, located in Brgy. Anahaway, Municipality of Palo, Province of Leyte, containing an area of 1,045 square meters as evidenced by O.C.T. No. P-33475. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of ROTCHIL GUIBAO MALBAS and LEONIDES JHON CANALEJA MALBAS as vendee for a portion of 102 square meters from the above-described property; per Doc. No. 468, Page No. 95, Book No. X, Series of 2022 of Notary Public Atty. Manuel Reynaldo P. Martillo. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late Sps. GODOFREDO OCLARIT EÑOLA and MYRA TOLIBAO EÑOLA extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a personal property, a Cash Deposit in the name of GODOFREDO OCLARIT EÑOLA, at United Coconut Planters Bank-Tacloban City under Peso Account No. 103020033782 in the amount of One Hundred Seven Thousand Nine Hundred One pesos and sixty centavos only (Php107,901.60); per Doc. No. 120, 25, Book No. V, Series of 2022 of Notary Public Atty. Faye Gladys M. Tebrero. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Leyte
Municipality of Jaro
-oOo-
OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL CIVIL REGISTRAR

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

In compliance with publication requirement, OCRG Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 (IRR on R.A. 10172), A notice is hereby served to the public that **MA. ARWENA CAROLINO GARRIDO** has filed with this *(complete name of petitioner)*

Office for Correction of entry in the date of birth from **November 1957** to **November 29, 1957** in the Certificate of Live Birth of **BERNARDITA RAYPAN GARRIDO** *(name of document owner)*

who was born on **November 1957** at **Poblacion Jaro, Leyte** *(date of birth) (place of birth)*

and whose parents are **Cornilio Corsanes Garrido** and **Gloria Severino Raypan.** *(name of father) (name of mother)*

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his/her written opposition with this office before completion of the required publication.

(Sgd.) **PHIELA Q. TESADO**
MAA III/MCR-OIC

LSDE: February 5 & 12, 2022

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH DEED OF SALE (ADDENDUM)

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late TEODORA LINGANAY HERMOSO extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land, Lot No. 5935, covered with O.C.T. No. 27068 and will be changed to TCT No. 115-2017001395, located at Brgy. Anislag, Isabel, Leyte and will be changed to Brgy. Consolacion, Isabel, Leyte; and parties do hereby agree to make ADDITION/ADDENDUM to the aforementioned Deed of Absolute Sale, That the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR) already issued a Certificate Authorizing Registration (ECAR) involving the sale of the subject parcel of lannd in favor of NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY (NHA), That the Original Certificate of Title No. OCT No. OC 27068 was cancelled and in lieu thereof TCT No. 115-2017001395, located at Brgy. Consolacion, Isabel, Leyte, in the name of the seller Heirs of Teodora Linganay Hermoso, and to transfer of Certificate of Title of land to NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY (NHA); per Doc. No. 489, Page No. 98, Book No. 1, Series of 2022 of Notary Public Atty. Pedro D. Genato. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

AFFIDAVIT OF SELF-ADJUDICATION WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that CESAR C. CORRES, heir of the late SPS. DANIELA MERLOSA AND EUGENIO CORRES executed an Affidavit of Self-Adjudication over a portion of land designated as Lot 5918-A situated at Barrio San Jose West, Burauen, Leyte with OCT No. O-1151 containing an area of 3,028sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of ROBERTO S. CECILIA, JR. as vendee of the above-described property. Per Doc No. 108, Page No. 23, Book No. XIV, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Tyrone B. Tutaan. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

AFFIDAVIT OF SELF-ADJUDICATION WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that JORGE C. ENERLAN, surviving heir of my late mother, TEOFILA GUIRON CABAÑERO-ENERLAN, a daughter of late FRANCISCA GUIRON executed an Affidavit of Self-Adjudication over a portion of land designated as Lot 5996 with improvements thereon situated at Barrio San Jose West, Burauen, Leyte with OCT No. 31514 containing an area of 776sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of ROBERTO S. CECILIA, JR. as vendee of the above-described property. Per Doc No. 397, Page No. 81, Book No. XIII, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Tyrone B. Tutaan. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

CFN 0001-2022-R.A. 10172

In compliance with the publication requirement and pursuant to OCRG Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 Guidelines in the Implementation of the Administrative Order No. 1 series of 2012 (IRR on R.A. 10172), Notice is hereby served to the public that **JUVY BELUAR FERRERAS** has filed with this Office a petition for correction of entry in the item **“SEX”** from **“MALE”** to **“FEMALE”** in the Certificate of Live Birth of **JUVY BELUAR FERRERAS** in the Municipality of San Roque, Province of Northern Samar and whose parents are **ROSITO MILA FERRERAS** and **NELA SUMAYANG BELUAR.**

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this office not later than **February 11, 2022.**

(Sgd.) **SHEILA S. LAGRIMAS**
Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: Jan. 29 & Feb. 5, 2022

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation
and Communication
LAND TRANSPORTATION
FRANCHISING AND
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R8-EV/PA-UVE-2022-01-20190076
CASE NO. VIII-2019-0076

R8-NC/PA-TT-2022-01-0006
REF. CASE NO. VIII-2022-0006

Application for **Extension of Validity** of a Certificate of Public Convenience to operate a **UV EXPRESS** Service

UYCINCO CITY TOURS INC.,
Applicant/s
x-----x

NOTICE OF HEARING

Applicant is a grantee of a Reconstituted Certificate of Public Convenience to operate a **UV EXPRESS** service for the transportation of passengers and freight on the route: **“TACLOBAN CITY-CATBALOGAN CITY & VICE VERSA”** with the use of **SIX (6)** unit/s which Certificate is valid and subsisting until **APRIL 13, 2022.**
In the present application, applicant request authority for extension of validity of the said certificate using the same number of unit/s.
NOTICE is hereby given that this application will be heard by this Board on **FEBRUARY 15, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.** at its office of the above address.
At least TEN (10) days prior to the above date, applicant/s shall cause the publication of this Notice of Hearing once in a newspaper of local circulation.
This application will be acted upon by this Board on the basis of its records and documentary evidence submitted by the parties, unless the Board deems it necessary to receive additional documentary and/or oral evidence.
WITNESS the Honorable **GUALBERTO N. GUALBERTO**, Regional Director, this **31ST** day of **JANUARY, 2022.**

(Sgd.) **ATTY. GIL D. MENGULLO**
Attorney IV/Hearing Officer

Application for Issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience to operate a **TOURIST TRANSPORT** Service with prayer to adopt trade name

REGION EIGHT LAND TRANSPORT COOPERATIVE (RELTRANSCO),
Applicant/s
x-----x

NOTICE OF HEARING

Applicant request authority for the Issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience to operate a **TOURIST TRANSPORT SERVICE** service for the transportation of passengers and freights along the line: **“FROM TACLOBAN CITY TO ANY TOURIST DESTINATION WITHIN REGION VIII”** with the use of **TWENTY (20)** unit/s.
NOTICE is hereby given that this application will be heard by this Board on **FEBRUARY 16, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.** at its office of the above address.
At least TEN (10) days prior to the above date, applicant/s shall cause the publication of this Notice of Hearing once in a newspaper of local circulation.
This application will be acted upon by this Board on the basis of its records and documentary evidence submitted by the parties, unless the Board deems it necessary to receive additional documentary and/or oral evidence.
WITNESS the Honorable **GUALBERTO N. GUALBERTO**, Regional Director, this **27TH** day of **JANUARY, 2022.**

(Sgd.) **ATTY. ARMI ROSE C. TUMAMPOS**
Attorney IV/Hearing Officer

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late MARIA AVELINO CELLAR and EUGENIO CELLAR extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over 2 parcel of land, described as: 1) A parcel of land designated aa Lot 10864-D-3, Psd-08-003377 (OLT), situated at Brgy. Lonoy, Kananga, Leyte, containing an area of 11,662 square meters, covered by TCT No. TE-5692; 2) A Parcel of land Lot No. 7676 of the Cadastral Survey of Ormoc with improvement thereon,situated in the Barrio of Hibunanon, Municipality of Ormoc, containing an area of 25,360 square meters, covered by TCT No. 3852. A Deed of Sale was executed by vendor Dionesio Avelino Cellar his one-half portion of the above-described parcels being his legitimate shares in favor of Sps. ZOILO OSMA and JUANITA C. OSMA as vendee; per Doc. No. 341, Page No. 69, Book No. CXXX, Series of 2022 of Notary Public Atty. Allan R. Castro. *LSDE: February 5, 12 & 19, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT & PARTITION OF ESTATE WITH ADJUDICATION

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late GORGONIO SIMBORIO AND PETRA AMAGAO extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated a parcel of agricultural land indicated as Lot 450, Pls 163 with an area of 63,102sq.m., located at So. Calbang, Brgy. Tinaogan, Basey, Samar covered by TD ARP No. 16032 00007 dated 2000, PIN: 036-16-032-038. Per Doc No. 278, Page No. 35, Book No. VIII, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Filotea B.M. Estorminos. *LSDE: January 29, February 5 & 12, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late PEDRO L. YANGYANG AND VICENTA E. YANGYANG extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land identified as Cad Lot No. 13344 part Lot 95 Csd-08-3719-005343 located at Brgy. Western Poblacion, Hilongos, Leyte under TD No. 14003-00173R-13 with a total area of 112sq.m., A Deed of Absolute Sale was executed in favor of MARICAR GOMEZ BENGYIK as vendee of the above-described property free from all liens and encumbrances. Per Doc No. 106, Page No. 22, Book No. 82, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Rosarie A. Peteros-Phua. *LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022*

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH SALE, WAIVER AND QUITCLAIM

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late ANGELES ACIBAR MERINO AND FEDIL MERINO extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of land designed as Lot 2153-A, Psd-08-015883-D being a portion of 2153, Cad 683-D situated at Brgy. Bantayan, San Roque, Northern Samar containing an area of 29,732sq.m.,more or less covered by TCT No. T-11744. A Deed of Sale was executed in favor of SPS. ROMMEL E. ABUYOG AND MA. CRISTITTA C. ABUYOG as vendees of a portion equivalent to 987sq.m.,more or less together with all the improvements thereon. Per Doc No. 853, Page No. 65, Book No. II, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Amador A. Estigoy, Jr. CPA *LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022*

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late SPS. HILARIO CISNEROS AND GERTUDES S. CISNEROS extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over 4 parcels of land particularly described as; 1) Lot No. 1320, Cad 965-D, C-11 covered by OCT No. P-24815 under Free Patent No. 08-4815-07-56 situated at Brgy. Cababto-an, Pambujan, Northern Samar containing an area of 5,238sq.m.; 2) Lot 1321, Cad 965-D C11 covered by OCT No. P-24812 under Free Patent No. 08415-07-58 situated at Brgy. Cababto-an, Pambujan, Northern Samar containing an area of 19,255sq.m.; 3) Lot No. 1324, Cad 965-D, C-11 covered by OCT No. P-24813 under Free Patent No. 084815-07-57 situated at Brgy. Cababto-an, Pambujan, Northern Samar containing an area of 1,652sq.m.; 4) Lot No. 1325, Cad 965-D, C-11 covered by OCT No. P-24814 under Free Patent No. 084815-07-55 situated at Brgy. Cababto-an, Pambujan, Northern Samar containing an area of 13,688sq.m.; Per Doc No. 250, Page No. 50, Book No. XIII, Series of 2018. Notary Public Atty. Pepito Rivas. *LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022*

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH WAIVER AND RENUNCIATION OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late ALUCALLO E. VIRTUDES extrajudicially settled, partitioned and adjudicated over a parcel of Commercial lot together with the improvements thereon (building) covered by TD No. with ARP No. 2012-06003-00129 with PIN 035-06-003-01-063 situated at Corner J.P. Rizal St. & Aguinaldo St., Brgy. Calachuchi, Catarman, Northern Samar with an area of 137.75sq.m., and heirs hereby WAIVED and RENOUNCED all rights, shares and participation over the above-described property in favor of ARNIZA E. VIRTUDES-OSIDO. Per Doc No. 361, Page No. 74, Book No. XIX, Series of 2021. Notary Public Atty. Franco Archie N. Tonog. *LSDE: January 22, 29 & February 5, 2022*



CLOSE TO HER HEART --- *Lakas-CMD Vice Presidential Candidate and Davao City Mayor Sara Duterte received a warmest welcome from thousands of supporters close to her heart during visit at Baywalk in Liloan Leyte and 3rd day of her Mahalin Natin Ang Pilipinas Ride on the road campaign, also in photo is her great grand father Eleno Roa 1911-1912 Municipal Mayor of Liloan Leyte.*
photo by Ver Noveno

Plagued...

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my wife and one daughter are asthmatic and are allergic to diesel engine smoke. Another daughter and even I myself have allergic rhinitis and it gets triggered by automobile fumes. This is not ordinary smoke; it is highly toxic and hazardous to health. When this smoke gets inside our house, it lingers there for several minutes, plaguing us with a nau-

seating odor. We have RA No. 8749, or the Philippine Clean Air Act, that mandates all of us to maintain air cleanliness. I do not complain about any vehicle in our neighborhood that is normally used, whose turning on of engines is within normal operation because we also have a car and almost all of us in our subdivision have vehicles. But it's only with him that I complained this much because he runs his engine for so long, and its

fumes are bombarding our house. He told me during our confrontation that we will not yet die as a result of these fumes. But what shall we do, wait until we die of suffocation? If he won't heed our request, it's his choice, because under the law, we all have the right to inhale clean air, and this right should not be violated by whoever, by any means. Anyone who is deprived of clean air as a result of other people's doings should assert that right.

KBP...

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savor the feeling of contentment when he finally jailed the corrupt officials of this country. Vice President Leni Robredo was on point when she said that what she offers is a governance of action not merely promises but delivers as well, what she offers is a governance nestled on integrity hindi ka lolokohin, a government that won't steal from you hindi ka nanakawan, a government that wont leave you in times of trouble, ipaglalaban ka hanggang sa huli! In all, we saw enthusiastic and eager leaders who are open to challenges and willing to fight tooth and nail for our country and people. My vote will be for one of them. For us Filipinos, we will cross the bridge to greatness or towards damnation, the choice will be entirely yours but the effect will be felt by our loved ones. The effect will linger long before you selected our leader . Its all up to you, you have the choice to do good for our country . Remember however that it is about WE, not I, not Me, it's about our country

Gov. Petilla...

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“Even when there is still no vaccine available, we allow them to enter establishments, and statistics shows that infection happens not in these establishments but inside the home,” the governor added. Petilla further said that there is no need for the province to amend the provincial ordinance on policies that control the spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in the province. The Leyte governor stressed that if the goal is to prevent the further spread of COVID-19, enforcing of the minimum health protocols such as the proper wearing of face masks, physical distancing, hand washing, and sanitizing must be strictly implemented and observed even at home. He also said that the vaccination campaign must also be strengthened at the local level to allow more people to have access to COVID-19 vaccines. Earlier, the Regional Inter-agency Task Force and the Regional Task Force for Emerging Diseases released a joint resolution urging local government units to craft a local law that will encourage more people to be vaccinated and for private establishments to adopt and

enforce it. This policy includes the no vaccination no entry policy which most establishments and local government units in the region and the rest of the country are now implementing. Several local government units in the region are now imposing the no vax, no entry policy when doing transactions are government offices and in entering private establishments. The provincial government of Samar, on the other hand, became the first province to enact an ordinance for the enforcement of the no vaccine, no entry policy. Last month, Leyte experienced a surge of COVID-19 cases with 3,033 cases. A total of 2,314 of which are unvaccinated while 320 are vaccinated based on the data from the Provincial Health Office (PHO). The PHO added that 2,196 of the confirmed cases are asymptomatic, 676 are mild, 350 are moderate, eight are severe, three are critical, with no recorded deaths. Moreover, on the ongoing vaccination campaign in the province, of the 1,682,729 target population, at least 873,245 residents of Leyte had received at least one dose of vaccines while 809,304 remains to be vaccinated. (ROEL T. AMAZONA)



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF AGRARIAN REFORM
Tunay na Pagbabago sa Repormang Agraryo

Please be informed that the landholdings described below had been placed under coverage of the Comprehensive Agrarian Reform Program (CARP) per Notice of Coverage as indicated below:

LANDOWNER	DATE NOC PUBLISHED	TITLE NO	LOT NO	AREA PER TITLE	MUNICIPALITY / PROVINCE	BARANGAY	DATE OF FIELD INVESTIGATION
1. PEDRO ARBOSO	FEBRUARY 18, 2013 / PHILIPPINE DAILY INQUIRER	T-7411	2-B	8.2116	CAPOOCAN, LEYTE	PINAMOPOAN	FEBRUARY 9, 2022

In this connection, may we invite you or your authorized representative to participate in the Conduct of Joint Field Investigation as scheduled on the above date at 8:00 in the morning.

Your failure to participate in the Field Investigation shall be a waiver on your part to question the findings thereof.

We anticipate your full cooperation and support. Thank you.

(Sgd.) JOSEFINA CORAZON N. TURLA, MRDA
PARPO II

Soldiers help rebuild houses damaged by Typhoon ‘Odette’

TACLOBAN CITY– More than 60 damaged houses in Southern Leyte and in some parts of Leyte due to Typhoon ‘Odette’ were helped rebuilt by government forces.

Soldiers from the 8th Infantry Division, together with the 53rd Engineering Brigade, 8th Region-

al Community Defense Group, and reservists under the Joint Task Force Bulig Leyte, assisted the typhoon victims in rebuilding their damaged houses.

Captain Ryan Layug, chief of the division’s public affairs office, said that at least 63 families from five towns and one city in South-

ern Leyte province, and one town in Leyte benefited their assistance to families who have lost their houses due to the massive typhoon that hit Southern Leyte and some parts of Leyte on December 16,2021.

Of the 63 houses rebuilt by soldiers, 46 were in Limasawa; six in San Ricardo; three in Maasin City; two in Bontoc and one each in Malitbog, and Sogod, all in Southern Leyte, while

Hilongos, Leyte has four families whose houses were repaired by the soldiers.

The houses restored by the soldiers are those owned by families who have no financial capacity to reconstruct their houses.

To help more typhoon victims, the 8th ID has appealed for more donations of nails, GI sheets, lumber, and other construction materials.

(ROEL T. AMAZONA)

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation
MARITIME INDUSTRY AUTHORITY
REGIONAL OFFICE NO. VIII
G/F Uytingkoc Building
Senator Enage St., Tacloban City

RE: Application for renewal of Certificate of Public Convenience (CPC) pursuant to the Revised Rules and Regulations Implementing R.A. No. 9295 or the IRR of 2014.

CASE NO. MRO8 22-008

JOHN G. BUACO,
Applicant
x- -----x

ORDER

Before us is the above-entitled case which was filed with this Office on **28 January 2022** to wit:

NAME OF SHIP’S OWNED
MBca “SHAMIEL JEAN”

SERVICE TO BE OFFERED

For the carriage of freight/cargoes only

ROUTE TO BE SERVED

Maripipi-Kawayan (all of Biliran) and vice versa

SCHEDULE OF TRIPS

Origin	DEPARTURE Time	Day	Destination	ARRIVAL Time	Day
Maripipi	6:00 AM	Daily	Kawayan	6:40 AM	Daily
Kawayan	8:40 AM		Maripipi	9:20 AM	
Maripipi	12:00 NN		Kawayan	12:40 PM	
Kawayan	2:40 PM		Maripipi	3:20 PM	

PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF RATES PER LINK

CARGO RATE

* LINK(S)	Item	Rate/Unit
<i>Maripipi-Kawayan</i>	<i>Softdrinks/Beer</i>	<i>P25.00/case</i>
	<i>Rice/Cement/Sugar</i>	<i>P30.00/sack</i>
	<i>Groceries/Assorted Items</i>	<i>P25.00/box</i>
	<i>Steel Bar</i>	
	<i>10 mm</i>	<i>P10.00/piece</i>
	<i>12 mm</i>	<i>P12.00/piece</i>

Notice is hereby given that Applicant shall present the jurisdictional, qualification, and documentary requirements in a hearing to be conducted on **11 February 2022, Friday, at 10:00 o’clock in the morning** at this Office, G/F Uytingkoc Bldg., Senator Enage Street, Tacloban City.

The applicant shall publish this Order once in any newspaper of general or regional circulation in the Philippines at least **five (5) days** before the hearing.

The applicant shall submit a written Formal Offer of Evidence (FOE) during the hearing or **five (5) days** thereafter.

WITNESS, the Honorable Administrator, this **3RD day of February 2022** at Tacloban City, Philippines.

(Sgd.) ANNABELL P. LAGAS
Regional Director

COPY FURNISHED:

Applicant, John G. Buaco, Binongto-an, Maripipi, Biliran
Office of the Solicitor General, 134 Amorsolo St., Legaspi Vill., Makati, MM
File
CMB/MMC
SFSU Issuance No. O-NOH-1-2022
Reference No. TMRO-22-007

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation
MARITIME INDUSTRY AUTHORITY
REGIONAL OFFICE NO. VIII
G/F Uytingkoc Building
Senator Enage St., Tacloban City

RE: Application for first (1st) renewal of Certificate of Public Convenience (CPC) pursuant to the Revised Rules and Regulations Implementing R.A. No. 9295 or the IRR of 2014

CASE NO. MRO8 22-007

SALDY D. GALVEZ,
Applicant
x- -----x

ORDER

Before us is the above-entitled case which was filed with the Maasin Satellite Unit on **24, January 2022** and received by this Office on **27, January 2022**, to wit:

NAME OF SHIP’S OWNED
MBca “SDG”

SERVICE TO BE OFFERED
For the carriage of passengers

ROUTE TO BE SERVED

Inopacan, Leyte-Apid Island, Inopacan, Leyte-Himokilan Island, Hindang, Leyte-Mahaba Island-Digyo Island (all of Inopacan, Leyte)-Inopacan, Leyte

PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF RATES

Non-scheduled/Chartered trips or depending on the availability of passengers (Daytime Navigation or from 4:30 AM - 5:30 PM)

SCHEDULE OF RATES

ROUTE/PORTS/LINKS	PASSENGER RATE
<i>Inopacan, Leyte/Apid Island/Himokilan Island/ Mahaba Island/Digyo Island-Inopacan, Leyte</i>	<i>P3,500.00/10 pax and below P4,500.00/16 pax to full capacity</i>

** The maximum number of passengers to be carried per trip shall be equivalent to the total number of authorized passenger capacity of the vessel per valid PSSC*

Notice is hereby given that Applicant shall present the jurisdictional, qualification, and documentary requirements in a hearing to be conducted on **11, February 2022, Friday, at 10:00 o’clock in the morning** at this Office, G/F Uytingkoc Bldg., Senator Enage Street, Tacloban City.

The applicant shall publish this Order once in any newspaper of general or regional circulation in the Philippines at least **five (5) days** before the hearing.

The applicant shall submit a written Formal Offer of Evidence (FOE) during the hearing or **five (5) days** thereafter.

WITNESS, the Honorable Administrator, this **4th day of February 2022** at Tacloban City, Philippines.

(Sgd.) ANNABELL P. LAGAS
Regional Director

COPY FURNISHED:

Applicant, Saldy D. Galvez, Apid, Inopacan, Leyte
Office of the Solicitor General, 134 Amorsolo St., Legaspi Vill., Makati, MM

File
ZCM/MMC
SFSU Issuance No. O-NOH-2022
Reference No. MRO

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MACARTHUR IRON PROJECTS CORP.

MACARTHUR IRON PROJECTS CORPORATION (MIPC)
BRGY. MAYA, MACARTHUR, LEYTE

February 2, 2022

NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION FOR ALIEN EMPLOYMENT PERMIT (AEP)

Notice is hereby given that the following employer have filed with the Regional Office applicant/s for AEP.

No.	Name and Address of Employer	Name and Nationality of Foreign National	Position and brief Description of Duties and Responsibilities	QUALIFICATIONS	Monthly Salary Range & Other benefits, if there are any
1	MACARTHUR IRON PROJECTS CORPORATION Brgy. Maya, MacArthur, Leyte	PEI KAI Chinese	BALL MILL TECHNICIAN CONSULTANT 1. Oversee preventive maintenance system of all Ball Mill equipment * In-charge of planning and scheduling * Ensuring materials needed are available on scheduled PMS dates. 2. Overall in-charge of all Ball Mill repairs 3.Report monthly repair and maintenance activities of all Ball Mill equipment.	1. Graduate of 4 year course related to machine troubleshooting preferably Mechanical Engineering or Mechanical Technology 2. Has at least 1 year experience in related job description 3. Good communication skills, written and verbal. 4. Has good organizational skills with keen attention to detail.	

Any person in the Philippines who is competent, able and willing to perform the services for which the foreign national is desired may file an objection at MacArthur Iron Projects (MIPC) Corporation within 30 days after this.
Please inform the MacArthur Iron Projects (MIPC) Corporation if you have information on criminal offense committed by the foreign national.

DORILYN FLORABEL J. MENDOZA
MIPC HR Manager

Zone 5, Brgy. Maya, MacArthur, Leyte

Publication Notice

R.A. 10172

Republic of the Philippines
Local Civil Registry Office
Province of Northern Samar
Municipality of San Isidro

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

CCE-0002-2022

Date: February 4, 2022

In compliance with the publication requirement and pursuant to OCRG Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 Guidelines in the Implementation of the Administrative Order No. 1 Series of 2012 (IRR on R.A. 10172), Notice is hereby served to the public that **BRICEE C. ESTILLANA** has filed with this office, a petition for correction of entry in sex from **“FEMALE”** to **“MALE”** in the Certificate of Live Birth of **BRICEE C. ESTILLANA of SAN JUAN, SAN ISIDRO, NORTHERN SAMAR** and whose parents are **RICHELDA B. CAMACHO** and **ROGY A. ESTILLANA**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this office not later than February 18, 2022.

(Sgd.) EULALIO O. SOLA
Municipal Civil Registrar

LSDE: February 5 & 12, 2022

DEED OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE is hereby given that heirs of the late SPS. AGUSTIN DASIGAN AND NEMESIA MERIN extrajudicially settled over 2 parcels of land particularly described as; 1) A parcel of land designated as Lot No. 10379-A, Psd-08-000636 located at Brgy. Tug-bong, Kananga, Leyte containing an area of 10,427sq.m.; 2) A parcel of land designated as Lot No. 10403-B, Psd-186906 located at Brgy. Poblacion, Kananga, Leyte containing an area of 13,475sq.m., covered by TCT No. T-29545. Per Doc No. 701, Page No. 39, Book No. 22, Series of 2002. Notary Public Atty. Lorenzo B. Caballero.

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ple from Samar provinces will no longer need to travel to Tacloban city for their medical needs.

Calbayog is about four hours travel or 171 kms away from Tacloban City.

The construction of the SIMC is expected to start once the measure is signed by Pres. Duterte.

Both Samar Reps. Sha-ree Ann Tan and Edgar Mary Sarmiento expressed their elation on the approval by the Senate of the creation of SIMC which is projected to be a tertiary medical hospital with a 300-bed capacity.

The two lawmakers said

that the establishment of the said facility will not only help the people of Samar but even those coming from Eastern Samar and Northern Samar provinces.

Tan had earlier filed a similar measure calling for the creation of ‘Ospital ng Samar’ to be established in Catbalogan City, the provincial capital.

(JOEY A. GABIETA)

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commodity group of mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes valued at USD 16.80 million. This contributed 64.70 percent to the total import value in October 2021. The People’s Republic of China contributed USD 7.75 million or 29.86 percent to the import value of the region in October 2021. (PR)

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