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LRTA turns over housing units, facilities to Cavite Province



By Ruel Francisco

TRECE MARTIRES, Cavite – The ceremonial turnover and acceptance of housing units and other facilities to the Provincial Government of Cavite facilitated by the Provincial Housing Development and Management Office headed by Ms. Ma. Karen B. Camañag-Tupas was held on March 23.

One hundred sixty six (166) housing units, 3 school

buildings, 2 overhead water tanks, covered basketball court and park were turned over by LRTA Administrator Jeremy S. Regino and received by Mr. Alvin S. Mojica on behalf of Governor Jonvic Remulla together with Xian Lerry Lozares from the Office of Gen. Trias City Mayor Antonio “Oni” Ferrer, and Mr. Romeo De Guzman, representative of Congressman Jonjon Ferrer.

The housing units and other facilities are part of the Light Rail Transit Authority project intended for the families
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TESDA's Infectious Disease Management trainees, graduate

By Jimmyley Guzman

QUEZON CITY -- A total of 25 scholars, mostly from various areas of Parañaque City, have recently received their training certificates during their graduation ceremony held at the MuntiParLasTaPat District Training Center and Assessment Center, TESDA Complex, Taguig City after finishing their training in Barangay Infectious Disease Management Services (BIDMS) Level II.

Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) Secretary Isidro Lapeña attended the event along with Deputy Director

General for TESD Operations Lina Sarmiento, Chief-of-Staff Juliet Orozco, TESDA-NCR Regional Director Florencio Sunico, Jr., MuntiParLasTaPat District Director Atty. Marichelle De Guzman, and Parañaque Livelihood Resource Management Office OIC Guillermo Gatus, Jr.

Lapeña said he hopes that BIDMS Level II will also be adapted by other TESDA Regional and Provincial Offices to accommodate endorsed trainees from other Local Government Unit (LGUs) in the country.

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DILG to assess BADACs nationwide starting April 1

By Jerome Carlo Paunan

QUEZON CITY – The Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) is set to assess all 41,906 Barangay Anti-Drug Abuse Councils (BADACs) nationwide starting April 1, 2022 to ensure their continued progress and improved performance in the implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of anti-illegal drugs activities within their locality.

“The assessment of BADACs starting on April 1 is a necessary calibration to ensure that each BADAC is not only

organized but also functioning and meeting the standard set by the national government,” DILG Secretary Eduardo M. Año said.

Año said BADACs have a critical role in the whole-of-government approach in countering the proliferation of illegal drugs in the communities.

“The Duterte administration is resolute in its anti-illegal drugs campaign down to the communities until the last day of his term, and guaranteeing BADACs are well-oiled or smoothly functioning and assessing their progress

are contributory to protecting communities against illegal drugs and their perpetrators,” he added.

Through an advisory, he said that DILG Regional Offices (ROs) must assess at least 93 percent of the BADACs
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Taguig trains women with disabilities

By Alehia Therese Abuan

QUEZON CITY-- Taguig City conducted a Livelihood Training for Women with Disabilities in celebration of the 18th Women with Disabilities Day with the theme “Kababaihan may Kapansanan sa New Normal Kapantay, Kaisa at Kasama sa Inklusibong Kaunlaran”.

The activity held at the City's Disability Resource and Development Center on

Wednesday, March 30, 2022 was attended by 150 participants.

The participants were taught to make dishwashing liquid, powder detergent, fabric conditioner, perfume and hand sanitizer which they can personally use or sell in the future as additional source of livelihood.

According to the city government, the acquired skills will give the trainees more livelihood opportunities that will allow them to thrive in the new normal. (PIA-NCR)



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program this year.

Similarly, GSIS granted P6 billion to 269,440 regular and optional loan borrowers; P1 billion to 38,980 GFAL emergency loan borrowers; and P89 million to 2,035 members through the Ginawa Educational Loan program.

For pensioners, P3.03 billion and P96 million have been released in GFAL Enhanced Pension Loan (38,144) and Pensioners' Emergency Loan (4,415), respectively.

At the same time, GSIS made loan transactions safer and more convenient for its members and pensioners by making them accessible through online channels such as the GSIS Wireless Automated Processing System (GWAPS)

kiosks, electronic GSIS Member Online (eGSISMO), and the newly-launched enhanced GSIS Touch mobile app. Loan proceeds are directly credited to the borrower's GSIS eCard or Unified Multipurpose Identification (UMID) card.

GSIS likewise implemented technology-driven initiatives such as the Online Annual Pensioners Information Revalidation (APIR), and partnership with Bayad.

"Our members may settle their underpaid or unpaid loans through 2,836 active Bayad outlets throughout the country and online via UnionBank of the Philippines and Land Bank of the Philippines payment facilities. Very soon, may iba

pang payment solution providers ang madadagdag para maparami ang ating alternative payment at online collection channels," Macasaet said.

"Muli kaming nagpaalala sa aming members at pensioners na i-update nila ang kanilang cellphone numbers at email addresses sa GSIS para matanggap nila ang ipinapadala naming impormasyon tungkol sa kanilang applications sa text o email," Macasaet added.

For other details, interested parties may visit the GSIS website (www.gsis.gov.ph), or Facebook account (@gsis.ph), email gsiscare@gsis.gov.ph, or call the GSIS Contact Center at 8847-4747 (if in Metro Manila), 1-800-8-847-4747 (for Globe and TM subscribers), and 1-800-10-847-4747 (for Smart, Sun, and Talk 'N Text subscribers). (GSIS)

SSS RACE Campaign gives chance to delinquent employers

By Ruel Francisco

TRECE MARTIRES, Cavite – The Social Security System (SSS) – Cavite commenced the conduct of the Run After Contribution Evaders (RACE) after a press conference held at the Imus City New Government Center on March 23, 2022.

The RACE campaign aims to remind delinquent employers to comply with Social Security Law that requires them to register and pay the SSS contributions of their employees.

Newly appointed SSS President and Chief Executive Officer Michael G. Regino ordered the issuance of written notice to 10 non-compliant employers due to non-registration of business to SSS, non-remittance of SSS contributions, and non-reporting or under reporting of employees.

According to SSS Acting Head of Luzon South 1 Division Edwin S. Igharas, non-compliant employers who received the notice shall be given 15 days to settle their legal obligation to SSS by availing the SSS Pandemic Relief and Restructuring Program: Enhanced Installment Payment Program (PRRP 3).

"Employers are accountable for the security protection of their workers. We are giving them a chance to comply by visiting the nearest SSS branch who has the jurisdiction of their business. For employers who have no financial capacity to immediately settle their contribution delinquencies, we strongly recommend availment of the installment program with payment terms ranging from nine to 60 months," Igharas said.

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in urban areas, the opportunity to broaden their knowledge, improve their skills and talents, and nurture their personalities, I am positive that our society will remarkably progress," he added.

Go is one of the co-authors of Republic Act No. 11510, or the Alternative Learning System (ALS) Act of 2021 that improves the delivery of basic education to the underrepresented and disadvantaged students. The ALS Law provides students with specialized programs and alternative education approaches not available under the formal learning system.

The senator also co-authored RA 11650 which institutes services and programs for learners with disabilities in support of inclusive education. The law aims to enhance the quality of education in the formal learning sector by providing free support services as well as programs that are tailored to the needs of differently-abled learners.

It mandates the implementation of a Child Find

Under PRRP 3, employers may select from the following payment options: (a) pay in full the principal obligation first and the corresponding penalties to be paid on installment; (b) apply the monthly installment/s to the principal ahead of the penalty/ies; or (c) pay in full the remaining delinquency at any time during the term of Installment Payment Agreement (IPA), subject to re-assessment of the penalty/ies, if applicable.

Igharas also reminded all employers to register their business with the SSS by submitting the duly accomplished Employer Registration Form (SS Form R-1) and report their employees for SSS coverage using the Employment Report Form (SS Form R-1A) within 30 days from actual employment date.

"They are also responsible for the remittance of their workers' contribution to the SSS. The employee's share in the monthly contribution should be deducted from their monthly salary and remit these together with the employer's share in SSS contribution, as well as the Employee's Compensation (EC) contribution. These payments should be reported to SSS thru submission of electronic collection list or E-R3," explained Igharas.

Promoting the PRRP3, Igharas encouraged the delinquent employers to take advantage of this program before it ends because this will ease their financial burden during this pandemic and to be responsible employers with the protection of the welfare of their employees through active SSS membership. (RBF/PIA-Cavite)

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that may cause food borne illnesses.

According to Agriculture Secretary William Dar, the technologies will greatly help in the national agenda of the Duterte administration toward "Masaganang Ani at Mataas na Kita."

"This showcase manifests that new technologies are crucial in feeding the next generation. Smart technology and precision farming upgrade our productivity levels benefiting farmers and food producers," Dar said.

During the launch of the smart greenhouses on March 31, 2022, Secretary Dar thanked EPIS President Jong Soon Lee for collaborating with DA, and nurturing partnerships through bilateral cooperation that support and promote Philippine agriculture, and open up markets for locally-produced crops.

With the ongoing health and energy crises presenting possible danger to the agriculture and fishery sector, the secretary calls for unity and cooperation among all stakeholders.

"Malaki ang hamon ng panahon dahil sa problema ng mundo. We have to bring hope and possible solutions so our country may survive. We have to have enough food, and I believe

that this smart farming system is the best solution," he said.

The DA chief added that the modern technology being shared by the South Korean government plays a crucial role in the "OneDA Reform Agenda," which serves as the foundation for food productivity measures.

"Smart greenhouses are forward-looking, and will surely elevate the food production here in our country," he said.

Dar and Lee agree to continue cooperation to elevate agricultural development and jointly undertake food productivity initiatives using innovative strategies and smart technologies.

During a discussion, both parties consented to enhance technical collaboration toward a food-secure and resilient Philippines.

To provide an informed structure for decision-making and direction, the Philippine agri chief sought the assistance of EPIS for agriculture digitalization, particularly in the establishment and implementation of a centralized system for DA.

According to Dar, the institution of the Agriculture-based Central Data Ecosystem (AbCDE) is a very important innovation that will enhance the formulation of policy and strategies for agriculture and

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"Youth is a phase of life that shapes your personality and it gives you endless possibilities to explore your individuality as you walk towards adulthood," Go noted.

"With that being said, I believe that the most vital support we could give our children is access to quality education. If we give every youth, especially those

fisheries.

President Lee, in his message, confirmed Korea's continuous support to Philippine agriculture and expressed intention of expanding the smart technology projects to other areas in the country.

Aside from Iloilo, 11 more smart greenhouses will be opened in Bukidnon this week to provide appropriate technology for nutrient-supplying and soil-based production, for strawberries, potato seedlings, and tomatoes.

The smart greenhouse systems in Iloilo and Bukidnon are being undertaken through a grant from the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs – Korea. Another set of greenhouses was established in Baguio and Rizal under a Korea International Cooperation Agency grant. (ARodriguez, DA-AFID)

System, a scheme for locating and evaluating learners with disabilities who have not received basic education services, and facilitating their inclusion into the general education system.

"As your partner in the Senate, I will always be an advocate for the youth and I will continue to support programs and initiatives that would benefit the youth sector," vowed Go.

Finally, he thanked the National Youth Commission and its members for helping in the empowerment of the country's youth by helping them recognize their own potential to change the society for the better.

"To all of the youth who are present here today, continue to excel in your studies, pursue your dreams, motivate and inspire other youths, and explore your potential," Go encouraged.

"As your Kuya Bong Go, expect that I will always be here to empower you and guide you towards the right path as you are our country's torchbearers for a brighter tomorrow," he ended. (OSBG)

Grand celebration highlights women's rights, roles

By Ruel Francisco

TRECE MARTIRES, Cavite – The Grand Celebration of Women's Month conducted by the local government of Carmona celebrated women's beauty, talents, and character and highlighted their importance in every sector and with every role they function in society.

The celebration held at the Carmona town plaza was led by Carmona Mayor Attorney Roy Loyola and 5th District Representative Dahlia Loyola on March 21.

During the program, the SIGASIG ni Juana 2022 recognized solo parents Michelle Insorio, Cristina Mercado, Luningning Hawan, Babeth Soriano Macasaet, and Antipaz Almonte Aragon for their demonstration of Sidhi, GAnda, and SIGla in the community that continues to inspire fellow kababayans especially in this time of pandemic.

The event also gave way to the Oath Taking Ceremonies of the Local Council of Women and the Samahan ng Nagkakaisang Kababaihan ng Carmona, Inc. (SNKCI).

As part of the SNKCI

advocacy, the women's group gave financial support for the Day Care Center of the municipality.

Meanwhile, Ms. Cherry Rose Amorin of Barangay Lantic was proclaimed as Grand Champion in the 'MusiKababaihan: The Search for Carmona's Singing Diva' singing competition finals which was also held during the event.

Ms. Realyn Carrascal of Barangay Mabuhay, and Ms. Katrina Contreras of Barangay Milagrosa won second, and third place respectively as all competition participants outshone each other with their melodious voices that made it hard for the judges to choose the winner.

Gracing the event were Department of Social Welfare and Development Region IV-A, Dir. Mylah Gatchalian at Department of Interior and Local Government Provincial Director, Dir. Lionel Dalope, CESO V and special guest, Mrs. Monaliza Hernandez Salenga, Chief Financial Officer of the PBTS Corporation, and Janstech Group of Companies as well as Founder of the Sweet Skin Care Center. (Ruel Francisco, PIA-Cavite with reports from Carmona PIO)



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BIDMS Level II Course, we can prepare our communities not just for COVID-19, but for other possible emerging infectious diseases. We hope that this program will also be implemented by other regional and provincial offices to curb the virus," he said.

The TESDA Chief also explained that the competency standards of BIDMS was developed in consultation with the practitioners and technical experts from the Department of Health.

"This particular training was really designed in order for the LGUs to hire the graduates and be deployed in various barangays," he added.

BIDMS Level II has an 88-hour training duration and being implemented through a blended learning mode with corresponding training allowances.

BIDMS Level II graduates are recommended to be tasked in implementing and monitoring infection control policies and procedures, disseminating preventive measures in infectious disease transmission and the importance of vaccination, and assisting in the management of infectious disease in different settings.

Applicants for the course are required to have completed at least ten years basic education or holder of alternative learning systems

certificate of completion with grade 10 equivalent; 21 years old and above; must pass the trainability/ aptitude test; can communicate effectively both orally and in written form; Physically, emotionally and psychologically fit; can perform basic mathematical computations; and possesses digital and Information and Communication Technology literacy skills.

In line with the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging and Infectious Diseases Resolution no. 111 dated April 22, 2021, TESDA was tasked to develop training and instructional materials to enhance the enforcement of COVID-19 strategies at the barangay level. (TESDA/PIA-NCR)

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affected by the LRT Line 1 South Extension Project.

Other guests from the LRTA were Ms. Eleonor C. Palaypayon, OIC Project Manager, Ms. Rechelle S. Cacatian, Senior Community Officer and Mr. Tristan Isla.

Joining Mr. Mojica from the Provincial Government were Atty. Analiza Mercene-Pulmones and Atty. Stiff Baldocino of the Provincial Legal Office; Provincial Engr. Gilbert Gandia; Provincial Information Officer Denesse Cajulis; Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator Engr. Lorna Leyran, and Mr. Joseph Avequilla of the General Services Office.

Barangay Santiago Chairwoman Ronaldo Pagkaliwangan after his opening and welcome remarks took the opportunity to raise some improvements that are being requested by housing occupants to the LRTA and local government concerned.

"The railway system will greatly contribute to the growth of the province," LRTA Administrator Regino said.

He also shared that the master plan of the project extends

up to the city of Dasmariñas and added that the implementation of the project and the turnover of the housing units and facilities took more than a decade to make sure that it is going to be successful.

"The provincial government worked in partnership with the City Government of Gen. Trias, the LRTA and other agencies in order to finally finish the project after resolving some issues that surrounded it," shared Mr. Mojica.

He added that the housing units and facilities will be turned over to the city government in the coming weeks.

Other guests who joined the program were Engr. Nestor Guinto Jr, a representative from the National Housing Authority; Mr. Julio Miguel Reyes, Ms. Mary Ann Bosogon, and Ms. Mary Ann Policarpio, representatives from DHSUD; Engr. Renzy Robles, head of Meralco Rosario together with Engr. Kristine Monillas, Engr. Nilo Gayares, and Ms. Hainess Cortez.

"The City of General Trias will always be (there) ready to support and help the province for a better future," Xian Lerry Lozares stated. (RF/PICAD)

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within their area of jurisdiction to gauge their level of performance in implementing programs and instituting measures against illegal drugs.

According to the DILG's National Barangay Operations Office (NBOO), there are 41,906 BADACs nationwide with Luzon holding the most number with 20,440 followed by 11,413 in Visayas, and Mindanao tallying 10,053.

With respect to various alert levels currently being implemented in the country, Año said that in barangays under Alert Levels 3, 4, and 5, the assessment must be put on hold and will only resume once those areas are placed under Alert Level 2 and below. "We must adapt as the COVID-19 pandemic is still within our midst. BADAC assessment must take a pause kung mataas ang kaso ng COVID-19 sa lugar," he added.

Año said that provincial, city, or municipal audit reports must be submitted to the DILG RO in consideration of the deadline set by the DILG Central Office on the submission of the Regional Summary Report to the NBOO which is on or before July 15, 2022.

He likewise said that the BADAC functionality audit shall

be conducted using the assessment criteria set by the DILG-Dangerous Drugs Board (DDB) Joint Memorandum Circular (JMC) No. 2018-01 stating the implementing guidelines on the functionality and effectiveness of Local ADACs; and DILG Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 2018-135 containing the technical guide notes on BADAC Functionality Audit and Barangay Drug Clearing Program (BDCCP) Monitoring and Evaluation System.

Under DILG-DDB JMC No. 2018-01, the criteria gauging the functionality of BADACs are: creation or reorganization of BADACs; BADAC Plan of Action; establishment of Barangay Rehabilitation Referral Desk with Desk Officer; allocation of fund; organization of BADAC Auxiliary Team; organization of House Clusters with designated Cluster Leaders; implementation of drug abuse prevention advocacy campaign; implementation of drug-clearing operations; and, implementation of community-based interventions for Persons Who Used Drugs (PWUDs).

Meanwhile, DILG MC 2018-135 briefly discusses the evaluation technical

guide notes topics such as compliance standards; data management protocols and reporting system; and, time frame of the audit process.

BADACs are composed of the Punong Barangay as the Chairperson; Sangguniang Barangay Kagawad (Chair of Peace and Order) as Vice-Chairperson; and, Sangguniang Kabataan Chairperson, Public School Principal or representative, Executive Officer/Chief Tanod, at least to representatives from non-government organizations and civil society organizations, Sangguniang Barangay Kagawad (Chair of Women and Family).

Among the responsibilities of BADACs are identifying drug-affected areas; creating BADAC Plan of Action; equipping Barangay Tanods and BADAC Auxiliary Team on their roles and functions in the campaign against illegal drugs; assisting PWUDs who surrendered to Barangay Rehabilitation and Referral Desk; and, monitoring individuals who are undertaking Community-Based Rehabilitation Treatment. (DILG/PIA-NCR)

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EDITORIAL

Legacy of Will Smith's violence

PERHAPS the saddest confirmation of this is the tweet from Smith's child Jaden: 'And That's How We Do It.'

Actor Will Smith has resigned from the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, almost a week after the ugly incident at the 94th Oscars ceremony in which he slapped fellow actor Chris Rock over a joke about Smith's wife Jada Pinkett.

Of all the comments concerning the slap, an opinion piece written by Kareen Abdul-Jabbar is worth quoting.

On his online newsletter kareem.substack.com, the basketball legend and author captured the implications of that act of physical violence by a public figure who's incidentally his friend:

"Smith's slap was also a slap to women. If Rock had physically attacked Pinkett Smith, Smith's intervention would have been welcome. Or if he'd remained in his seat and yelled his post-slap threat, that would have been unnecessary, but understandable. But by hitting Rock, he announced that his wife was incapable of defending herself — against words. From everything I'd seen of Pinkett Smith over the years, she's a very capable, tough, smart woman who can single-handedly take on a lame joke at the Academy Awards show.

"This patronizing, paternal attitude infantilizes women and reduces them to helpless damsels needing a Big Strong Man to defend their honor lest they swoon from the vapors. If he was really doing it for his wife, and not his own need to prove himself, he might have thought about the negative attention this brought on them, much harsher than the benign joke. That would have been truly defending and respecting her. This 'women need men to defend them' is the same justification currently being proclaimed by conservatives passing laws to restrict abortion and the LGBTQ+ community.

"Worse than the slap was Smith's tearful, self-serving acceptance speech in which he rambled on about all the women in the movie *King Richard* that he's protected. Those who protect don't brag about it in front of 15 million people. They just do it and shut up...

"What is the legacy of Smith's violence? He's brought back the Toxic Bro ideal of embracing Kobra Kai teachings of 'might makes right' and 'talk is for losers.' Let's not forget that this macho John Wayne philosophy was expressed in two movies in which Wayne spanked grown women to teach them a lesson. Young boys — especially Black boys — watching their movie idol not just hit another man over a joke, but then justify it as him being a superhero-like protector, are now much more prone to follow in his childish footsteps. Perhaps the saddest confirmation of this is the tweet from Smith's child Jaden: 'And That's How We Do It.'

The Black community also takes a direct hit from Smith. One of the main talking points from those supporting the systemic racism in America is characterizing Blacks as more prone to violence and less able to control their emotions. Smith just gave comfort to the enemy by providing them with the perfect optics they were dreaming of. Fox News host Jeanine Pirro wasted no time going full-metal jacket racist by declaring the Oscars are 'not the hood.' What would she have said if Brad Pitt slapped Ricky Gervais? This isn't Rodeo Drive? Many will be reinvigorated to continue their campaign to marginalize African Americans and others through voter suppression campaign.

"As for the damage to show business, Smith's violence is an implied threat to all comedians who now have to worry that an edgy or insulting joke might be met with violence. Good thing Don Rickles, Bill Burr, or Ricky Gervais wasn't there. As comedian Kathy Griffin tweeted: 'Now we all have to worry about who wants to be the next Will Smith in comedy clubs and theaters.'"



KAPIRASONG Kritika

Ni Teo S. Marasigan

Jan-jan, Dito-dito

(1) Walang pagtatalo: Kahirapan ang pangunahing usapin sa eskandalong kinakasangkutan ngayon ni Willie Revillame at ng batang si Jan-jan. Kahirapan ang nagtulak sa batang si Jan-jan at sa kanyang mga kaanak na pumunta sa palabas na *Willing-Willie* at ihain ang pamoso na ngayong sayaw ng bata. Kahirapan ang sinasamantala ng palabas ni Willie: pinapapunta ang mahihirap, pinagkukwento ng kahirapan, ginagantimpalaan at minsan ay pinagkakatuwaan din ang kahirapan.

(2) Ang problema, sa harap ng kampanya para ipatigil ang palabas ni Willie, may mga bumababa ang antas ng pagsusuri at pumapatol sa antas ng indibidwal: "Kung may kasalanan si Willie, may kasalanan din ang bata at ang kanyang kapamilya." At dito na pumapasok ang pagsusuri sa masa, na hindi pwedeng maging makatwiran: kung hindi bobo at utu-uto dahil nahahatak ng premyo ng palabas, tuso at oportunistang dahil sinamantala rin ang ibinubukas na pagkakataon ng palabas para kumita nang kaunti.

(3) Ang problema sa ganitong pagsusuri, pabalat-bunga lang na kinikilala ang kahirapan bilang dahilan pero hindi mahigpit na tinatanganan. Hindi kinikilala ang buong bigat ng pwersa ng kahirapan na nakapasan sa mahihirap at nagsusubsob sa kanila sa pagsali sa palabas ni Willie. Hindi kinikilala ang kawalan nila ng oportunidad, ng mapagpipilian. Inaakalang ang laya ng mga petiburgis — at mas masahol, ng burgis — ay siya ring laya ng mahihirap. Pinipilit na magkapantay ang talab ng istruktura at ng indibidwal.

(4) Hindi pantay ang pananagutan ni Willie at ng mahihirap tulad ni Jan-jan at ng kanyang pamilya. May pagpipilian si Willie sa klase ng "pagpapasaya sa tao" — at iyan ang salita niya — na ihahain niya. Sa kabilang banda,

limitado ang pagkakataon ng mahihirap na kumita at magkapera. "Pagpapasaya sa tao" — iyan ang kailangang ilusyon na hindi pwedeng bitawan ni Willie at ng mga kasama niya sa palabas. Pero alam nating pormula na ang modus operandi nila; imposibleng hindi nila alam ang ginagawa nila.

(5) Ang masaklap ay hindi ang pagkilala ni Willie sa kalagayan ng mahihirap na ibinubugaw: na kahit umiyyak ay sige lang sa paggiling. Tama siya sa pahayag na iyan. Ang masaklap ay ang patawa at pakutyang pagkilala niya rito, na parang ayos lang na kasiyahan o i-enjoy ang ganitong sitwasyon ng maralita. Sabay-bigay ng P10,000. Na para bang nagagantimpalaan ang modang pag-iyak kasabay ng paggiling. Na para bang ayos lang i-enjoy ang ganitong moda ng mga maralita basta babayaran naman sila.

(6) Ang problema, kaya bumababa ang antas ng pagsusuri sa lebel ng indibidwal kahit ng mga naniniwalang mahalaga ang papel ng kahirapan sa eskandalo, ay ito: wala silang tinatanaw sa hinaharap na malalimang pagbabago sa sistemang ito — o hindi sila konsistent sa pagtanaw sa ganito. Sa tingin nila, hindi ang pagbabago ng sistemang panlipunan na nagluluwal ng kahirapan ang kailangan, kundi ang pagtukoy sa indibidwal na pananagutan sa kasalukuyan. "Ayos lang ang sistema ngayon, basta ba..."

(7) Hindi lang hirarkiya sa usapin ng uring panlipunan ang ipinapakita ng eskandalo. Pinapatampok din nito ang kontrol ng mga magulang sa mga bata — na walang iba kundi ang kontrol ng kanilang uri sa huli. Sumasanib ito sa isa pang agos, ang sekswalisasyon ng mga bata — na para bang inihahanda sila sa kung anong trabaho sa pagtanda. Isang resulta ng pagsasanib ng dalawang agos, sa balangkas pa rin ng kahirapan, ang mga batang

babaeng kung umasta't sumayaw ay parang mga Sex Bomb.

(8) Sa panig ng resepsyon, isang usapin ang kasarian. Dahil nga hindi "Careless Whisper" ang pinatugtog, natanggal ang pagsayaw ni Jan-jan sa pakahulugan ng pagkutya kay Hayden Kho at napalabas na pagma-macho dancer sa pangkalahatan. Kaya tiyak ding nag-iimbita ng pagkiling na kontra-homosekswal sa lipunan. At may elemento ng pagkabagabag ng mga konserbatibo't tradisyunal ng lipunang pyudal sa pagkayurak ng maskulinidad. Ang pormang ito ang naging itsura ng kahirapan.

(9) At hindi ang ganitong paglabag sa moralidad ng mga konserbatibo't tradisyunal ang dapat ipagdiwang ng mga rebeldeng liberal ng ating lipunan. Paglabag din naman sa ganyang moralidad, paala ng isang manunulat, ang pagpapakulo sa mga sanggol. Ang paglabag sa nasabing moralidad lang ang naging kongkretong itsura ng kahirapan. Tulak at hatak din ito ng kahirapan, hindi kusa at malayang pinili. Sa mga nasusuklam sa naganap, may konserbatibo ang moralidad at may nakakaunawa sa kahirapan.

(10) May sipi si Richard Bolisay, kritikong pampelikula, sa pelikulang *Aliwan Paradise* kaugnay ng isyu ni Willie: "Nasa paglalantad ng ating tunay na kalagayan ang bagong bagong aliwan. At ang bagong bagong entertainer, marunong gumamit ng kahirapan." Ani Walter Benjamin, palaisip na Marxista, ang pagkatiwalag sa sarili (self-alienation) ng tao "ay umabot na sa puntong kaya niyang danasin ang sariling pagkawasak bilang pinakamataas na klase ng kaligayahang estetiko" — bagay na paborable sa pasismo.

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Which local government units excelled in terms of Nutrition?

QUEZON CITY- On 23 March 2022, the National Nutrition Council (NNC) announced the best-performing local government units (LGUs) in nutrition during the National Nutrition Awarding Ceremony in Pasay City and via an online platform. These LGUs were able to lower malnutrition levels in their communities by implementing effective nutrition program management.

The municipality of Manolo Fortich in Bukidnon and Tagum City in Davao del Norte received the most coveted Nutrition Honor Award, the highest award requiring LGUs to achieve a minimum score of 95.0 percent as evaluated by a

multi-sectoral national nutrition evaluation team. Aside from the trophy, the NNC awarded the two LGUs a grant of PHP 1 million each. To qualify, these LGUs had to put in more than six years of great performance.

The cities of Vigan, Mabalacat, and Biñan, as well as the municipalities of Talavera, Nueva Ecija, and Tublay, Benguet, and the province of Misamis Occidental, received the Second Year Consistent Regional Outstanding Winner in Nutrition (CROWN) Maintenance Award, which is given to LGUs with a score of at least 93.0 percent for efficient and effective nutrition program management. A trophy and PHP

200,000.00 were awarded to the victors. On the other hand, with a score of 90.0 percent, Cagayan de Oro City received a hundred thousand pesos as the lone LGU to qualify for the First Year CROWN Maintenance Award.

Aside from LGUs, the NNC recognized these local nutrition focal points of LGUs:

- 1) Ms. Marichu G. Tijing of Misamis Occidental as National Outstanding Provincial Nutrition Action Officer;
- 2) Ms. Nenita F. Rabe of Cagayan de Oro City as National Outstanding City Nutrition Action Officer;
- 3) Ms. Grace C. Jardin of Sorsogon Province as National Outstanding District Nutrition

Program Coordinator
 4) Mr. Bhen Zhar M. Sam of Maco, Davao de Oro as National Outstanding Municipal Nutrition Program Coordinator
 5) Ms. Aurelia O. Aguilar of Luna, La Union as National Outstanding Barangay Nutrition Scholar Award.

Conferring the awards were Senator Francis Tolentino, NNC Assistant Secretary and Executive Director Dr. Azucena M. Dayanghirang, Department of Health Assistant Secretary Dr. Nestor F. Santiago, NNC Governing Board Vice-Chairs Agriculture Secretary William D. Dar represented by Undersecretary Evelyn G. Laviña, and Interior and Local Government Secretary Eduardo M. Año represented by Assistant Secretary Francisco R. Cruz along with other NNC officials.

President Rodrigo Roa Duterte delivered a written and video message congratulating the NNC and all winners on their successful collaboration that has benefited Filipinos, especially infants and children. “I am one with you in honoring the outstanding LGUs and LNFPs who have contributed much to the effective and efficient of our health and nutrition programs,” he said.

Senator Francis Tolentino was the guest of honor and keynote speaker for the event. He emphasized that the

economic recovery pathway for the Philippines will be initiated, engineered, and spearheaded by the local government units and that the same is true with the state of nutrition. “Hindi po national government, kayo pong nasa baba ang magtutalak, magtataguyod, at maninigurado ng tagumpay g pagbangon sa pandemya.” He also committed to ensuring a budget for nutrition. “Ito po yung gagawin ko sa next Congress, I will ensure that a big chunk of the Mandanas ruling windfall will be allotted, allocated, and earmarked for nutrition.”

The awarding ceremony is an annual event of the National Nutrition Council to recognize outstanding LGs with effective and efficient implementation of nutrition programs, resulting in improved nutrition situations for infants, young children, and mothers. It’s also the first time that NNC has awarded exceptional local nutrition action officers and district/city/municipal nutrition program coordinators for their invaluable work.

The NNC organized teams at the national and regional levels to evaluate the contenders virtually from April to November 2021 for their accomplishments in 2019. The final winners were verified and confirmed by the NNC Technical Committee.(NNC)

CAVITEVIEW

In pursuit of social healing, recovery



Through donations from private housing developers in the country, TFBM managed to restore, so far, five religious sites inside the most affected area. Among these is the White Mosque located in Brgy. Lumbaca Madaya.

By Apipa Bagumbaran

THE government, through the Task Force Bangon Marawi (TFBM), has been refurbishing Islamic places of worship in the war-torn Marawi City seeing this as crucial to the social healing and full recovery of Meranaws.

Through donations from private housing developers in the country, TFBM managed to restore, so far, five religious sites inside the most affected area (MAA). The first mosque restored was Masjid Disomangcop in Brgy. Daguduban. Completion of Masjid Darussalam in Brgy. Raya Madaya, Marinaut Mosque in Brgy. West Marinaut, and the White Mosque in Brgy Lumbaca Madaya followed. These mosques were already turned over by TFBM to their respective administrators.

The iconic Grand Mosque, the fifth house of Islamic worship rehabilitated,

was inaugurated by no less than President Rodrigo Roa Duterte during the fourth anniversary of the liberation of Marawi City from the Daesh-inspired Maute terrorist group.

The reconstruction of the historic Bato Ali Dansalan Mosque, where dozens of hostages were held at the height of the five-month siege, is also in full blast nearing completion.

“As these mosques hold great significance in the daily lives of the Meranaws, we not only rebuild the structures but likewise contribute to the social healing process of the internally displaced persons. And that is why we continue to take steps in making sure that we rebuild them,” said TFBM chairperson Secretary Del Rosario.

Del Rosario said the restoration of mosques is in compliance with the directive of President Duterte to prioritize religious sites in the ongoing

massive government-led rehabilitation as these sites play a crucial role in the social healing of displaced families.

Grateful for the rehabilitation of mosques

The city government of Marawi and the administrators of the repaired mosques were thankful to TFBM and private donors.

“We extend our thanks to Task Force Bangon Marawi for always giving importance to our Islamic faith, and to private donors who extended financial support to realize this project,” city mayor Majul Gandamra said.

Makabangkit Lanto, the administrator of Disomangcop mosque was also grateful to the government.

“Gusto namin magpasalamat sa madaling paggawa ng aming mosque [We want to express our thanks for the immediate repair of our mosque. We would like to reiterate our gratitude to the President, to Task

Force Bangon Marawi,” he said.

Yasir Pangadapun, administrator of Masjid Darussalam, who expressed the same gratitude said, “We would like to thank this administration through Sec. Eduardo del Rosario dahil napasama ito sa rehab. Nagpapasalamat sa donor na nagbigay ng tulong for this masjid.”

Secretary Saidamen Pangarungan of the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos and members of the Pangarungan clan, the administrator of the Grand Mosque, also conveyed their thanks to the government for restoring and improving the Grand Mosque which they considered as the crown jewel of Marawi.

“We, the Pangarungan family, are taking the President’s marching order to heart by becoming stewards of this centerpiece of religious, cultural, and historical significance,” Pangarungan said. (APB/PIA ICIC)



TFBM chairperson Sec. Eduardo Del Rosario, City Mayor Majul Gandamra, and mosque administrators inaugurate the Marinaut Mosque, one of the Islamic places of worship repaired by the government through donations of private housing developers.

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
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REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
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TRECE MARTIRES CITY

BDO UNIBANK, INC.,
Mortgagee,

FORECLOSURE CASE NO. F-081-22

-versus-

ALLAN REYES RUIZ,
Mortgagor/s.

X-----x

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee, BDO UNIBANK, INC., with address at BDO Towers Valero, formerly Citibank Tower, 8741 Paseo de Roxas, Makati City 1226, Metro Manila against the Mortgagor/s, ALLAN REYES RUIZ, with residence and postal address at (1) Lot 13, Blk. 10, Navarro, General Trias Cavite: (2) 111 Gomes St., Paltok, San Francisco del Monte, Quezon City, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of 15 February 2022 amounts to ONE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED SEVEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED NINETY TWO PESOS AND 31/100 (Php1,407,292.31), Philippine Currency, including interest, penalties and other charges as of the said date but exclusive of all other expenses incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will set at public auction on 05 MAY 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TREANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2020002588

LOT NO: 13 BLOCK NO: 10 PLAN NO: PCS-04-031125

PORTION OF: LOTS 52, BLK. 2, PCS-04-028223, LOT 82, BLK. 1 PCS-04-028596, LOT 1696, (FRS-04-005701) & LOT 1687, BOTH OF SFDM ESTATE, DECREED NO. 4270, LRC REC. NO. 5964

LOCATION: BARANGAY OF NAVARRO, CITY OF GEN. TRIAS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON

BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	SW	LOT 14, BLOCK 10, PCS-04-031125
2-3	NW	LOT 11, BLOCK 10, PCS-04-031125
3-4	NE	ROAD LOT 10, PCS-04-031125
4-1	SE	LOT 15, BLOCK 10, PCS-04-031125

AREA: FORTY SQUARE METERS (40), MORE OR LESS

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on 26 MAY 2022 without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby to enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, 31 MAR 2022

REYNALDO L. SALOMA
Sheriff IV

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BDO UNIBANK, INC.,
BDO Towers Valero, formerly Citibank Tower, 8741
Paseo de Roxas, Makati City 1226, Metro Manila

ALLAN REYES RUIZ
Lot 13, Blk. 10, Navarro, General Trias Cavite
111 Gomes St., Paltok, San Francisco del Monte, Quezon City

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
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REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT
TRECE MARTIRES CITY

BDO UNIBANK, INC.,
Mortgagee,

FORECLOSURE CASE NO. F-088-22

-versus-

RANDEL EMUTAN MENIL
REPRESENTED BY HIS ATTORNEY-IN-FACT
DAPHNIE EMUTAN MENIL
Mortgagor/s.
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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee, BDO UNIBANK, INC., with address at 11th Floor, BDO Towers Valero, Paseo de Roxas, Salcedo Village, Makati City against the Mortgagor/s, DAPHNIE EMUTAN MENIL SIGNING AS THE ATTORNEY-IN-FACT OF RANDEL EMUTAN MENIL, with residence and postal address at Purok 21, Unit 5, Adarna Extension, Commonwealth, Quezon City 1121 and Block 15 lot 11, Somerset 14, Brgy. Navarro, General Trias, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of 14 February 2022 amounts to TWO MILLION TWO HUNDRED NINETY THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FORTY TWO PESOS AND 80/100 (Php2,290,242.80), Philippine Currency, including interest, penalties and other charges as of the said date but exclusive of all other expenses incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will set at public auction on 05 MAY 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TREANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2018009819

LOT NO: 11 BLOCK NO: 15 PLAN NO: PCS-04-028981

PORTION OF: THE CONS/SUBD OF LOTS 1,2 &3, PCS-04-011336; LOT 2457-B-3, PSD-04-024243; LOT 2469-A, PSD-04-233225; LOT 2457-A, LOT 2457-C, FLS-1228-D; LOT 2458, FRS-04-005325; LOT 2468 ALL OF SAN FRANCISCO, DE MALABON ESTATE, DECREED NO. 4270; LRC REC. NO. 5964

LOCATION: BARANGAY OF NAVARRO, MUNICIPALITY OF GEN. TRIAS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE

BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	NE	LOT 9, BLOCK 15, PCS-04-028981
2-3	SE	LOT 28, BLOCK 15, PCS-04-028981
3-4	SW	LOT 13, BLOCK 15, PCS-04-028981
4-1	NW	ROAD LOT 16, PCS-04-028981

AREA: ONE HUNDRED FOUR SQUARE METERS (104), MORE OR LESS

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on 26 MAY 2022 without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby to enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, 31 MAR 2022

JOANNAH AVIGAIL C. TIKMANG
Sheriff IV

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BDO UNIBANK, INC.,
RISKMANAGEMENTGROUP-REMEDIALMANAGEMENT
UNIT
11th Floor, BDO Towers Valero, Paseo de Roxas, Salcedo
Village, Makati City

DAPHNIE EMUTAN MENIL
RANDEL EMUTAN MENIL
Purok 21, Unit 5, Adarna Extension, Commonwealth, Quezon
City 1121
Block 15 lot 11, Somerset14, Brgy. Navarro, General Trias,
Cavite

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
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TRECE MARTIRES CITY

JOHNNY OLACO REPRESENTED BY HIS
ATTORNEY-IN-FACT, ATTY. ANTHONY IVENTADO
Mortgagee,

FORECLOSURE CASE NO. F-038-22

-versus-

EMELITA R. SAYON
married to NESTOR P. SAYON JR.
Mortgagor/s.

X-----x

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee, JOHNNY OLACO REPRESENTED BY HIS ATTORNEY-IN-FACT, ATTY. ANTHONY IVENTADO, with address at Unit 7B Symphony Tower Condominium, Sgt. Esguera corner Timog Avenue, Quezon City, against the Mortgagor/s, EMELITA R. SAYON married to NESTOR P. SAYON JR. with residence and postal address at Block 17 Lot22, Mary Street, Stateland View Subdivision, Manggahan, General Trias, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of 21 February 2022 amounts to TWO MILLION SIX HUNDRED SIXTY ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED PESOS AND 00/100 (P2,661,400.00), Philippine Currency, including interest, penalties and other charges as of said date but exclusive of all other expenses incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will set at public auction on 05 MAY 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TREANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-1097911

A parcel of land (Lot 20 Blk. 17, of the cons-subd plan, Pcs-04-001055, being a portion of the cons. of Lot 12, Blk. 6 and Lot 16, Blk. 9, both of Psd-04-003491, and Lot 2621-B, Psd-04-003431, LRC Rec. No. 5964) situated in the Bo. of Buenavista, Mun. of Gen Trias, Prov. of Cavite. Bounded on the SE., along line 1-2 by Lot 21, Blk. 17, on the SW., along line 2-3 by Blk. 20, on the NW., along line 3-4 by Lot 19, Blk. 17 and on the E., along line 4-5-1 by Road Lot 6, all of the cons-subd plan. Beginning at a point marked "1" on plan XXX CONTAINING AN AREA OF FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY THREE (483) SQUARE METERS XXX

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on 26 MAY 2022 without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby to enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, 31 MAR 2022

JOANNAH AVIGAIL C. TIKMANG
Sheriff IV

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JOHNNY OLACO
ATTY. ANTHONY IVENTADO
Unit 7B Symphony Tower Condominium, Sgt. Esguera corner
Timog Avenue, Quezon City
51 Generoso St., Tomas Manuel Subd., Valenzuela City

EMELITA R. SAYON married to NESTOR P. SAYON JR.
Block 17 Lot 22, Mary Street, Stateland View Subdivision,
Manggahan, General Trias

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
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REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
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TRECE MARTIRES CITY

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND,
Mortgagee,

Foreclosure Case No. F-067-22

-versus-

ROWENA D. LEYSON (as Attorney-In-Fact) married to
RODEL R. LEYSON
Mortgagor/s.

X-----x

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND, with address at The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen Gil Puyat Ave. Makati City, against the Mortgagor/s, ROWENA D. LEYSON married to RODEL R. LEYSON, RODEL R. LEYSON is herein represented by ROWENA D. LEYSON as his ATTORNEY-IN-FACT, with residence and postal address at 43 Evangelista St. Project 4, Quezon City and Lot 10 Blk. 28, CH-Tanza Ph. 3, Bo. Bagtas Tanza, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of 14 February 2022 amounts to TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FORTY PESOS & 28/100 (P237,540.28), Philippine Currency, including interest, penalties and other charges as of the said date but exclusive of all other expenses incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will set at public auction on 05 MAY 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TREANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-783694

A parcel of land (Lot 10 Blk. 28 of the cons/subd. plan Pcs-04-011074, being a portion of the cons of Lots 2052-a-l-b, Psd-04-084775 & Lot 2053-b-2, Psd-04-084774, L.R.C. Rec. No.) Situated in the Brgy. Of Bagtas, Mun. Of Tanza, Prov. of Cavite, Is. of Luzon. Bounded on the NE., along line 1-2-3-4 by Lot 9; on the SE., along line 4-5 by Lot 12, both of Blk. 28; on the SW.,

along line 5-6-7-8 by alley 32; and on the NW., along line 8-1 by Lot 8 Blk. 28 all of the cons. & subd. plan. Beginning at a point marked "1" on plan xxx containing an area of sixty three (63) square. meters.xxx

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on 26 MAY 2022 without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby to enjoin to investigate for themselves the title to
The said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, 31 MAR 2022

ANDRES B. ESPINA
Sheriff IV

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Home Development and Mutual Fund
c/o 24K Consultants Inc.
Atty. Caesar S. Europa
3F Fass Inteli College Bldg.
11 Pittsburgh St., Brgy. Silangan, Cubao, Q.C.

ROWENA D. LEYSON and RODEL R. LEYSON
43 Evangelista St. Project 4, Quezon City
Lot 10 Blk. 28, CH-Tanza Phase 3,
Bagtas Tanza, Cavite

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EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the estate of the late CHARITO TORIBIO BUENCONSEJO who died intestate on September 7, 2021 at Manila Doctors Hospital, 667 UN Avenue Ermita, Manila Philippines leaving a parcel of land Covered by TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2013000007, has been extrajudicially settled by her heirs as per Doc. No. 412; Page No. 83; Book I, Series of 2022, Notary Public Atty. Jay R. Gernale.

AngCaviteno
March 28, April 04 & 11, 2022

Affidavit of Self-Adjudication

Notice is hereby given that the estate of the late FRANCISCO GADDI who died intestate on April 8, 2021 at Our Lady of Pillar Medical Center, Tamsui Ave., Bayan Luma, Imus City, Cavite leaving a savings account with BPI Binakayan Branch with Account number 8354025958, has been extrajudicially settled by his heirs as per Doc. No. 846; Page No. 170; Book No. IV; Series of 2021, Notary Public Atty. Manolito R. Coronado.

AngCaviteno
March 28, April 04 & 11, 2022

DENR inks partnership for QC's biodiversity park development

QUEZON CITY --The Department of Environment and Natural Resources, through the Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB) and DENR-National Capital Region, signed a memorandum of agreement (MOA) with the Quezon City government and Metro Pacific Investments Corporation (MPIC) for the development of an urban biodiversity park in Quezon City.

The DENR and its partners agreed to implement the "Building a Biodiversity-Friendly Environment in Metro Manila" project under the Urban Biodiversity Program (UBP) to develop and sustainably manage Madison Park, which will be known as Gabay Kalikasan Park, in New Manila, Quezon City.

Acting Secretary Jim O. Sampulna underscored the DENR's role in realizing plans to "ensure ecological integrity and clean and healthy environment, which includes sustained biodiversity and ecosystem services."

"While our focus is largely directed at managing natural ecosystems through the establishment of protected areas, we also need to address the importance of enhancing our urban ecosystems to be able to provide a quality and livable environment for urban dwellers," Sampulna said.

The project aims to pilot-test the "adopt-a-city" approach in implementing the UBP to encourage the business sector's support in creating green urban communities at the city and barangay or village level.

It also seeks to increase awareness, understanding, and appreciation of local communities and other stakeholders on the importance of urban biodiversity and green spaces, and encourage individual actions on urban greening.

DENR-BMB Director Natividad Y. Bernardino said Filipinos can visualize the city landscape with living rivers, streams, lakes, coastal areas, swamps, urban forest parks, and green highways for wildlife through the DENR's Urban Biodiversity Program.

"Let us anticipate with enthusiasm the full-bodied implementation of the [UBP] as the DENR and the Department of the Interior and Local Government firm up a new policy on urban biodiversity as part of the Seal of Good Local Governance," Bernardino said.

Implemented in 2017, the UBP aims to promote the conservation of biodiversity, develop and maintain green spaces within cities to provide benefits through ecosystem services to Filipinos.

Sampulna envisions an increase in the proportion of green spaces in the country's five largest cities—Quezon City, Cebu, Davao, Caloocan, and Manila—by at least 5 percent under the Philippine Biodiversity Strategy Action Plan for 2015-2028. (DENR/PIA-NCR)

JOB HRING!!	JOB HRING!!
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COMPANY NAME: KWANG TA ELECTRIC PHILS CORP.	COMPANY NAME: KWANG TA ELECTRIC PHILS CORP.
LOCATION: SOUTHCOAST BANCAL CARMONA CAVITE	LOCATION: SOUTHCOAST BANCAL CARMONA CAVITE
MONTHLY SALARY RANGE: PHP 40,000.00 TO 50,000.00	MONTHLY SALARY RANGE : PHP 50,000.00 TO 60,000.00
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CONTACT NO. 046 5420826/09954228934	CONTACT NO. 046 5420826/09954228934
JOB QUALIFICATION: Bachelor's Degree in Engineering with emphasis in Plastic Injection Molding. 10 years' experience, experience managing plastics molding department. Strong management and leadership skills.	JOB QUALIFICATION: Bachelor's degree in business administration, industrial management, logistics, or related field. Proven experience in a managerial or supervisory role within a factory.
JOB DESCRIPTION: Direct and coordinate planning and scheduling of molding manufacturing with the General Manager to consistently meet expected product delivery schedules. Responsible for assuring the efficient use of materials, machines, molds, auxiliary equipment. Responsible for assuring the efficient use of materials, machines	JOB DESCRIPTION: Factory managers supervise factory workers and ensure that factory operations run smoothly. They typically work in manufacturing plants to oversee the production of goods, such as electronics, equipment, and packaging.

April is Filipino Food Month

By Alaine Allanigue

QUEZON CITY --This April, celebrate the country's rich culinary heritage and enhance your farm-to-table skills!

The Department of Agriculture (DA) and the Agricultural Training Institute (ATI) are one with the nation in commemorating this year's Filipino Food Month (FFM), highlighting the need to promote and preserve Filipino cuisine and delicacies in the entire food value chain context.

For the whole month, ATI's network of training centers, together with other DA attached agencies and bureaus will provide a series of free webinars on some local dishes and treats from different parts of the country, showcasing Philippine culture and identity.

The public is advised to visit the ATI's Facebook and Instagram pages for this upcoming

FFM Webinar Series and some other updates and announcements in line with the celebration.

Apart from these, various Kadiwa ni Ani at Kita outlets are mobilized by the DA featuring fresh and locally sourced products.

Other activities to be expected during the celebration are the KainCon Filipino Food Conference, Cinema Culinarya Film Festival, and Hapag ng Pamana, among others, organized by the Department of Tourism, National Commission for Culture and the Arts, and the Philippine Culinary Heritage Movement.

This year's FFM is anchored on the theme "Pagkaing Pilipino, Susi sa Pag-unlad at Pagbabago."

Through Presidential Proclamation no. 469, signed in 2018, April of every year is declared as the "Filipino Food Month" or "Buwan ng Kalutong Pilipino". (DA/PIA-NCR)

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Get smart, Korea's modern farming tech levels up PH food productivity

QUEZON CITY -- Changing weather patterns resulting in unusually warmer temperatures or heavy rainfalls have caused an imbalance in the production of agricultural commodities.

Through time, the threat of climate change has caused alarm to the food production sector, not only in the Philippines but throughout the world. And so, innovative and smart technologies are now being adapted to address these inevitable phenomena.

In Jaro, Iloilo, right in the middle of the Western Visayas Integrated Agricultural Research Center (WESVIARC), are 10 greenhouses established to provide education and enhance capabilities of local farmers in the production of mushrooms,

tomatoes and other high-value crops through the use of advanced technologies.

The smart greenhouses, constructed through the collaboration of the Philippine Department of Agriculture (DA) and the Korea Agency of Education, Promotion and Information Service in Food, Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (EPIS), aim to provide innovative farm systems to improve and increase yield of Filipino farmers.

Aside from presenting climate change mitigation measures, the smart greenhouses adopt good agricultural practices that ensure food safety through the prevention of contamination

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President Rodrigo Duterte Photos courtesy of PIA NCR

GSIS disbursed P151 B in loans in 2021

STATE pension fund Government Service Insurance System (GSIS) disbursed a total of P151 billion in loans to more than 1 million members and pensioners in 2021, a 4% increase from the prior year's total of Php145 billion.

"Through our various Ginhawa for All (GFAL) loan programs, GSIS has extended financial assistance at a time when our members and pensioners were in dire need of help. Mula sa feedback at inputs ng aming mga miyembro at pensiyonado, patuloy naming pinag-aaralan at pinagbubuti ang aming mga polisiya at programa para matugunan ang kanilang pangangailangan at bigyan sila ng maginhawang serbisyo," President and General Manager Rolando Ledesma Macasaet said. Of the total amount granted, P106 billion was under GFAL multipurpose loans (MPL). The loan aims to help active members, particularly those who have reached their borrowing limit and unable to pay their loans. It consolidates the existing loans of members, except housing and policy loans, and waives surcharges on in-default accounts. Through GFAL MPL, members may apply for up to 14 times their basic monthly salary but not to exceed P3 million. It has a low interest rate of 7% or 8%

depending on members' premium payments.

This month, GSIS will launch GFAL GSIS MPL Plus, an enhanced version of its current MPL program. Under the loan window, GSIS will increase the credit limit to P5 million; extend the maximum payment term to 10 years; and relax borrowers' eligibility conditions.

The pension fund also released P27 billion to 62,974 availed of GSIS Financial Assistance Loan, through which members were able to borrow up to P500,000, consolidate their loans from their agencies' accredited lending institutions, and transfer the remaining balance to GSIS. For those whose total loan is below P500,000, they had the option to also apply for the Top-Up Loan to defray for their other needs.

Under the GFAL Computer Loan program, GSIS disbursed over P7 billion in gross proceeds, benefiting more than 230,205 borrowers. The GFAL Computer Loan is a loan window that grants a P30,000-assistance to GSIS members for the purchase of a computer unit for their work-from-home arrangement or their children's online classes. GSIS intends to extend the implementation of this

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'Empowering the youth for a brighter future' — Bong Go stresses importance of providing access to quality education amid challenges facing the country

PASAY CITY -- Senator Christopher "Bong" Go underscored the importance of empowering the youth by giving them better access to quality education during the opening of the 13th National Youth Parliament - National Assembly on Thursday, March 31.

In his video message, Go highlighted the crucial role of today's youth in nation-building

and the correlative obligation of the government in supporting them.

"As we all know, the youth uphold our future as they have the potential to change the country for the better. That is why it is always important that we, your public servants, should be able to support the youth sector in the best way we can," Go remarked.

"The more we empower our youth, the brighter the future would be for our nation," he emphasized.

The senator then reaffirmed his commitment to provide more Filipino youths improved access to quality education to better equip them as contributing members of the society.

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