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Gov. Susan Yap takes her oath of office for her third and final term as chief executive of Tarlac province. Administering the oath is Judge Joe Jefferson Toribio of RTC Branch 11, Tarlac. **CONTRIBUTED PHOTO**

Yap: Listen to, act on people's needs

TARLAC CITY — "It is in our hands now as newly-elected officials in the coming three short years to do our best. Let us not forget, for all the local chief executives, to listen and take action to what our people need and want [so] that we may be able to give the quality of life that they aspire for," she said.

Thus, Gov. Susan Yap reminded her fellow elected officials of their prime duty to their constituents in her inaugural address after taking her oath of office for her third and final term as governor of Tarlac.

"We are all here for the people and for the advancement of Tarlac. I am proud to be a Tarlaqueño. Let us be proud to be a Tarlaqueño. Let us bring our province to greater heights. Let us be a business-friendly province and better-planned communities," enthused Yap.

Congressional and provincial officials took their oath of office along with the governor at the the Bulwagang Kanlahi here.

Jaime Cojuangco was sworn in virtually as representative of the 1st District

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CRK-Busan flights to resume July 1

CLARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT — Flights between this international airport and Busan, South Korea are set to resume July 1.

The twice weekly — Monday and Friday — flights are via Jin Air LJ 031/032.

Busan hosts South Korea's largest seaport and is considered the country's second largest city with a population of 3.6 million.

It is known for its beaches, nature reserves, and temples, as well as its annual international film festival. The action-horror film "Train to Busan" impacted the city in the world movie map.

Aside from Busan, Jin Air has also started CRK flights to Incheon, South Korea every Wednesday and Saturday via LJ 023/024.

Another Korean airline, Jeju Air is also flying to Incheon every Thursday and Sunday via Flight 7C 4603/4604.

CRK also announced

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CIAC remits 176-M to national treasury

CLARK FREEPORT — The government-run Clark International Airport Corp. reported on June 28 that it has remitted a total of P176,739,971 this year as dividends to the Bureau of Treasury that contributed to the national government's funding requirements for Covid-19 responses.

"Despite the overwhelming challenges at the Clark aviation complex brought about by the pandemic, CIAC's operational flexibility and fiscal discipline has generated an upward annual profit margin

from 16 percent to 27 percent and thereafter to 46 percent from 2019 to 2021, and thus, our capacity to remit dividends," CIAC president Aaron Aquino said.

From the total amount of dividends

settled, P156.74 million was remitted on May 5, 2022 and P20 million last May 16, 2022, payments derived from revenues in managing the aviation complex.

Aquino added this year's remittance is 35

percent higher than the P130.5 million contribution of the agency to the national treasury at the height of the Covid-19 outbreak in 2020.

"In the coming years, we hope to sustain and even increase CI-

AC's modest contribution to the national government funds by improving the business climate here at the Clark aviation complex, encourage more foreign investments, and promote

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Government Arsenal director retired Maj. Gen. Arnold Rafael Depakakibo (left) and AFAB administrator Emmanuel Pineda (right) signing MOA in the presence of DND Sec. Delfin Lorenzana. **PHOTO COURTESY OF AFAB**

Defense ecozone to rise in Bataan

BY ERNIE ESCONDE

LIMAY, BATAAN -- The Authority of the Freeport Area of Bataan (AFAB) and the Government Arsenal (GA) signed Monday a memorandum of

agreement on the proposed declaration of the Defense Industrial Estate here as the newest expansion area of the Freeport Area of Bataan.

The industrial

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Prayoridad sa ika-2 termino, inilatag ni Fernando

LUNGSOD NG MALOLOS— Inilatag ni Gov. Daniel Fernando ang kanyang mga prayoridad para sa kanyang ikalawang termino bilang gobernador ng Bulacan.

Kasabay niyang nanumpa sa tungkulin ang bagong bise gobernador na si Alex Castro at mga bagong halal na kongresista na sina Danilo Domingo ng 1st District, Lorna Silverio ng 3rd District, Linabelle Ruth Villarica ng 4th District, at Ambrosio Cruz Jr. ng 5th District.

Sa kanyang talumpati, sinabi ni Fernando na paigtingin ng pamahalaang panlalawigan ang pagkilos upang lalong mapatatag ang lokal na ekonomiya na ngayo'y bumabangon na mula nang tumama ang pandemya sa Covid-19. Isa-sakatuparan ito sa pamamagitan ng pagtutok sa seguridad sa pagkain, malawakang paglikha ng trabaho, seryosong pan-

gangalaga sa kalikasan at tunay na serbisyong pangkalusugan para sa lahat.

Sa seguridad sa pagkain, nakatakdang buksan ngayong taon ang bagong tayo na Farmers and Fisherfolks Training Center na nasa bakuran ng Kapitolyo. Dito sasanayin sa mga aspeto ng teknikal at makabagong teknolohiya ang mga magsasaka at mangingisda.

Sisimulan na rin ang pagsasakatuparan ng isang Food Multiplier and Productivity Center sa bayan ng Donya Remedios Trinidad kung saan magsisilbing aktwal na laboratoryo sa mga sasanayang magsasaka at mangingisda. Ito rin ang magiging partikular na pasilidad ng pamahalaang panlalawigan upang makapagparami ng iba't ibang suplay ng pagkain na hindi na kailangang bumili pa.

Ayon sa gobernador, kasabay ng pagka-

linga sa mga Bulakenyo ngayong may pandemya pa, nakita ang lalong kahalagahan na may tiyak na mapagkukuhanan ng pagkain.

Pangalawa sa pagpaigting ng produksyon ng pagkain ang malawakang paglikha ng trabaho. Bukod sa pagpatuloy ng pagsasagawa ng buwanang jobs fair, mismong ang Kapitolyo ang maglalagat ng mga istrategiya upang makalikha pa ng mas maraming mga bagong trabaho.

Target ni Fernando sa susunod na tatlong taon na maipaupa sa mga mamumuhunan ang pitong ektaryang lupang pag-aari ng pamahalaang panlalawigan na nasa Barangay Tabang sa bayan ng Guiguinto. Ito ang mga dating kinatayuan ng provincial engineering office at Hiyas Agro-Commodities Center na ngayo'y tatawagin bilang Hiyas ng Bulacan Global.

Tinatayang nasa P3

bilyon ang potensyal na halaga ng pamumuhunan na papasok kapag tuluyang nabuksan ang lupang matagal nang nakatiwangwang sa nakalipas na mga dekada. Nasa 10 libong mga bagong trabaho ang inisyal na malilikha mula rito.

Kabilang sa mga

puhunan na target maiipasok dito ay mula sa larangan ng retail at tourism gaya ng mga membership shopping, high-end hotel, night market at iba pang gaya nito.

Para sa gobernador, ito'y magsisilbing karagdang ambag ng Kapitolyo upang mapalakas ang mga

pasilidad na may kinalaman sa M.I.C.E. (meetings, incentives, conventions and exhibits) bilang paghahanda sa itinatayong New Manila International Airport (NMA) sa Bulacan.

Ipagpapatuloy na rin ang nahintong 12-ektaryang Bulacan Cyber Park

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Panunumpa ni Daniel Fernando para sa ikalawang termino bilang gobernador ng Bulacan. — PIA-3



OATH BEFORE APUNG IRU. With his town's patron St. Peter the Apostle as silent witness, Apalit Mayor Oscar "Jun" Tetangco Jr. takes his oath of office before Gov. Dennis "Delta" Pineda. The rites held right at the pagoda bearing the image of the revered Apung Iru during the fluvial procession on his feast day.

PHOTO BY JUN JASO/PAMPANGA PIO

CSF gets ISO certification anew

CITY OF SAN FERNANDO – The city government was granted an International Organization for Standardization (ISO) Certification 9001:2015 anew for its quality management system (QMS).

This time, the certification was issued by SOCOTEC Certification International I, the Philippine arm of an assessment and accrediting firm, and was handed by its operations director Gilmore Rivera to Mayor Edwin "EdSa" Santiago on June 27 at Heroes Hall.

Based on their series of audits, SOCOTEC said it was proven that the services of the city to its cus-

tomers are of "good quality, streamlined, and efficient" – the parameter to meet the international standards of QMS.

Currently, dozens of government services coming from over 20 offices adopt processes that are certified by an ISO through different firms including the SOCOTEC.

Joining Santiago during the awarding rite were incumbent councilor and incoming Vice Mayor BJ Lagman, city administrator Atty. Atlee Viray, city human resource management officer Dr. Rachelle Yusi, and city internal control division chief Sharlyn Bundalian. — CSFP-CIO

NE officials sama-samang nanumpa sa katungkulan

TALavera, Nueva Ecija -- Sama-samang nanumpa sa katungkulan ang mga halal na opisyal sa Nueva Ecija nitong Martes, Jun3 28.

Ito ay pinangunahan nina Gov. Aurelio Umali at Vice Gov. Anthony Umali kasama ang karamihan sa mga nagwaging alkalde, bise alkalde, bokal at kongresista sa iba't ibang munisipyo, siyudad at distrito sa lalawigan.

Sa mensahe ng punong lalawigan ay kanyang pinasalamat at binigyang pagkilala ang mga nakasama sa nagdaang taon na pamumuno sa probinsiya gayundin ang mga magiging katuwang sa susunod na tatlong taon sa muling panunungkulan bilang gobernador ng Nueva Ecija.

Sa kabila aniya ng pagkakaiba sa politika ay iisa ang hangarin at naisin ng lahat ng mga nahalal na opisyal sa lalawigan na mapabuti ang kapakanan ng lahat ng mga Novo Ecijano.

Sa nakaraang tatlong taon ay

Panunumpa sa katungkulan ni Gov. Aurelio Umali.

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maraming suliranin ang kinaharap ng lalawigan kabilang na ang naranasang pandemiya na kung saan nakita at nadama sa bawat siyudad at bayan ang gobyernong nakikinig at umuunawa, may mga pagkakaiba man sa pamumuno ay iisa ang hangarin na makapagligtas at maingat ang bawat buhay ng nasasakupang mamamayan.

Dagdag pa ni Umali, bilang isang probinsiya at isang pamilya ay kaniyang pinaniniwalaan na

sa sama-samang pagmamahal at eksperyensiya ay mananatiling buong lakas na gagampanan ng mga halal na opisyal ang tungkulin anumang pagsubok ang kaharapin.

Kaniyang ipinaaabot ang pagbati ng tagumpay sa lahat ng mga halal na opisyal sa bawat lokalidad gayundin ang panawagan partikular sa mga bise alkalde na suportahan ang mga alkalde sa buong panunungkulan. — PIA-3



CONG JON INAUGURATES A.C. BRIDGE. Pampanga 1st District Rep. Carmelo "Jon" Lazatin II leads the blessing and inauguration of Apo Bridge in Barangay Sto Domingo, Angeles City early Monday. The Department of Public Works and Highways funded the P40-million bridge and road connecting to it. With Lazatin at the rites are Engr. Arnold Ocampo of 3rd Pampanga Engineering District, Sto. Domingo barangay chair Oliver Chaneco, officers of the homeowners associations of Dolores, L&S and Villa Leoncia subdivisions, and barangay officials of Sto Domingo.

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Defense ecozone...

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estate in Barangay Lamao where the GA is located and manufactures basic weapons and ammunition for the Armed Forces of the Philippines and Philippine National Police has an area of 370.371 hectares.

AFAB administrator Emmanuel Pineda and GA acting director retired AFP Maj. Gen. Arnold Rafael Depakakibo signed the MOA witnessed by outgoing Defense Sec. Delfin Lorenzana in the Depart-

ment of National Defense Building at Camp Aguinaldo in Quezon City.

The secretary has approved the proposal, the GA being an agency under the DND.

Lorenzana underscored the significance of the partnership in the government's longstanding plan to establish defense industry economic zones across the country.

"Today is a great day to celebrate cooperation and the spirit of collaboration. The DND has al-

ways intended to stimulate the local defense industry, and this joint venture is a monumental step in that direction," he said.

"As you all know, the AFP is nearing the peak of its modernization efforts that are aimed at achieving a stronger defense posture for our country, and today's event will hopefully jumpstart material acquisition from foreign defense industries," Lorenzana added.

The defense chief

also acknowledged the efforts and contribution of Bataan 2nd District Rep. Jose Enrique "Joet" Garcia III for the fulfillment of this milestone that he said will undoubtedly usher in progress and development for the province.

Garcia, incoming governor of Bataan, was the author of the bill approved into law mandating the expansion of FAB not only in Mariveles but in 11 towns and one city of the province.

Pineda said the MOA

engages both the AFAB and the GA to work collaboratively in the establishment and operation of the FAB expansion area as a sustainable defense industrial base, with the goal of encouraging investors in defense projects to generate employment opportunities in the province as well as income for the government.

Expected gains from this joint venture will help sustain the AFP's modernization program in line with the national policy of

defense self-reliance, the AFAB administrator said.

With the execution of the said MOA, the AFAB has been successfully appointed and engaged as the GA's incentives administration authority with exclusive authority to market and transact with investors within the GA FAB Expansion Area that may either be defense locators and enterprises or non-defense locators and enterprises, explained AFAB information officer Hazel Keith Elloren.

Yap: Listen to,...

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which consists of the towns of Anao, Camiling, Mayantoc, Moncada, Paniqui, Pura, Ramos, San Clemente, San Manuel, and Santa Ignacia.

In his speech, Cojuangco cited priority sectors that would unlock the potentials of his district, and help achieve inclusive growth in all communities.

"I would like to make my mark in the hearts and minds of Tarlaqueños by showing my brand of leadership and service of being a Cojuangco. With the help of the local government officials, I plan to focus on measures that improve the acceptance of modern agriculture, application of digital technology in education,

promotion of eco-tourism and agro-tourism, support to micro, small and medium enterprises, and development of holistic energy and transport network," he said.

The solon disclosed his plans to immerse in communities to understand their strengths and struggles, and to bring a positive change.

Christian Yap was sworn in as representative of the 2nd District comprising the city of Tarlac and towns of Gerona, Victoria, and San Jose.

In his speech, the younger Yap emphasized all-out support to the agriculture sector through modern technology to increase farmers' earnings and harvest, and ensure

food security.

He mentioned other focus programs including the health care system, sustainable economy and environment protection.

"We will work on preserving our planet for the next generation by future-proofing policies because of climate change. We will ensure that our environment will not be neglected as we progress. Our life is not separate from that of the world we live in," he said.

Noel "Bong" Rivera was sworn in as representative of the 3rd District which covers the municipalities of Concepcion, Capas, Bamban, and La Paz.

He expressed his gratitude to the people who supported and helped

him during the campaign period.

Rivera vowed to do his best in bringing development and uplifting the lives of the people in his district.

Other officials who

took their oath of office included Vice Gov. Carlito David and members of the sangguniang panlalawigan: Jessie Aquino, Romeo Evangelista Jr., and Joy Gilbert Lamorena for the 1st District;

Danilo Asiaten, Christopher Delos Reyes, Dennis Norman Go, and Harmes Sembrano for the 2nd District; and Henry Cruz, Danilo David, and Vernon Villanueva for the 3rd District. -- PIA-3

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Missionary Sending of Families

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I invite you to continue your journey by listening to the Father who calls you: become missionaries in the ways of the world!

Do not walk alone! You, young families, be guided by those who know the way, you who are further along, be companions on the journey for others. You who are lost because of difficulties, do not be overcome by sadness, trust the Love God has placed in you, plead daily with the Spirit to revive it.

Announce with joy the beauty of being family! Announce to children and young people the grace of Christian marriage. Give hope to those who have none. Act as if everything depends on you, knowing that everything must be entrusted to God. Be you who “sew” the fabric of society and of a synodal Church, creating relationships, multiplying love and life.

Be a sign of the living Christ, do not be afraid of what the Lord asks of you, nor be generous with Him. Open yourselves to Christ, listen to Him in the silence of prayer. Accompany those who are most fragile, take charge of those who are alone, refugees, abandoned.

Be the seed of a more fraternal world! Be families with big hearts! Be the welcoming face of the Church! And please pray, always pray!

May Mary, our Mother, come to your aid when there is no more wine, be a companion in the time of silence and trial, help you to walk together with her Risen Son.

Franciscus

(Pope Francis’ message to families after a Mass in St. Peter’s Square for the World Meeting of Families 2022 held in Rome, June 22-26. The gathering was attended by around 2,000 families from around the world.)



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Shepherd’s Call

Bishop Pablo Virgilio S. David

Opinion

Unity and universality

IF YOU get a chance to visit the famous heritage Church of the Santiago Apostol Parish in my hometown in Betis, Guagua, Pampanga, I advise you to take a close look at our very well-preserved retablo. The image in the middle niche is that of the Risen Christ. But who do you think are positioned on his right and on his left? Not James and John; even if it was these two young and ambitious disciples who asked for those positions. (See Mark chapter 10.) So, who do you find on the right and the left of Jesus? Yes, Saints Peter and Paul, whose shared feast we are celebrating today.

Why did the Church choose to celebrate these two great apostles on the same day? Why not one day for Peter and another for Paul? I think, this feast day has a catechetical purpose. It is meant to remind us of the two directions of the Church’s mission: unity & universality.

Before I explain, let me first point out that these two men were not chosen because they were perfect; they were both sinners. Peter denied the Lord; Paul persecuted the Church. What made them into pillars of the Church were not their natural qualities. I dare say what actually strengthened them was the Lord’s faith in them, despite their weaknesses.

I hope you don’t get scandalized by that. I know that when we speak of faith, we think only of our faith in God. But God having faith in us? Yes. Listen to the Gospel. It begins with Peter confessing his faith in Jesus. In reply to Jesus’ question, “Who do you say that I am?” he says, “You are the Christ, the son of the living God.” But it does not stop there. What follows is Jesus also declaring his faith in Peter: “You are Peter, and on this Rock I will build my Church.”

He was a sinner but he was chosen by God nevertheless. The present-day successor of Peter, Pope Francis, expresses the same idea in his motto as bishop: “Miserando atque eligendo.” Wretched but chosen.

Remember that scene at the lake in Luke Chapter 5, when Jesus instructed Peter to cast his nets into the deep and suddenly they made such a huge catch that their boats were almost sinking? Remember how Peter fell on his knees before Jesus and said, “Leave me Lord, I am a sinner!”? And how Jesus said, “Be not afraid, from now on you will be a fisher of men.”

St. Paul was like that too. Didn’t you hear him say in our second reading from his 2nd Letter to Timothy, “The Lord stood by me and gave me strength.”? He always had serious doubts about himself, because of his weakness, which he called a “thorn in the flesh.” In 2 Cor. 12, he confesses that he begged the Lord three times to remove his weakness. But the Lord said to him, “My grace is enough for you; for in weakness power reaches perfection.” And so, Paul declared, “It is when I am weak that I am strong.” Meaning, it is when I accept my weakness in all humility that God’s strength becomes truly manifest in me.

On this day, we are supposed to remind ourselves that the Church is kept steady by two massive pillars of faith, two of our greatest apostles: Peter, whom I call the “apostle of unity,” and Paul, whom I call the “apostle of universality.” I propose that this must be the reason why the Church has chosen to commemorate them, not apart from each other but together, on the same day.

They remind us that we all must participate in the mission of the Church, which has two directions: inward unity, and out-

ward unity—towards universality. Inwardly, we must build communion and strengthen our unity with one another, with our fellow disciples, our fellow members in the community of the baptized, the Church, the body of Christ. Outwardly, we must learn to dialogue, that is, build communion and serve as instruments of unity in the world, even with non-Christians and non-believers, because they are also called to be children of God. We can always find other bases for unity aside from a common faith. Like unity around respect for life and human dignity, a common concern for the environment, for the earth as our common home, a shared compassion for the poor and the disadvantaged, a common aspiration for a more humane society, etc.

Jesus expresses these two directions of mission using two images familiar to fishermen: BINDING & LOOSING. They are what fishermen do to mend their nets: bind the torn parts of the net and loosen the tangles. In Tagalog we say “Pagtatali ng napatid, at pagkakalag ng nagkabuhol.” I know we usually apply the binding and loosing to the principles of justice and mercy: binding as holding people accountable for their actions, and loosing as setting free from anger and resentment through forgiveness.

But the meaning can actually go beyond justice and mercy: binding can be applied to uniting, strengthening, making firm. Loosing, as opening up to the values of inclusivity and universality. They are the two important qualities of mission in the Church.

Pope Francis often reminds us that one always goes with the other. If we do binding and forget the loosing, we can become self-referential, narrow minded, parochialistic and Churchy in the negative sense, having no relevance, impact or transformative influence on the world.

But if we do loosing and forget the binding, we also can get lost in the world and lose our identity. Instead of bringing about God’s kingdom in the world, we end up being seduced by worldly kingdoms. It is not one or the other; it has to be both.

If not for the pandemic I would probably be joining the concelebrated Mass today at the Manila Cathedral for our yearly celebration of the Pope’s Day.

What I appreciate most in Pope Francis is the way he has combined both the Pauline and the Petrine aspects of his office as PONTIFEX MAXIMUS (Supreme Bridge-builder). I would suggest that we call him not just a “Successor of Peter”, but as holder of the double offices of Peter and Paul. That is why we pray for him not just on this day, but at every Mass. He presides in charity over his brother bishops all over the world to make sure the Church is kept in the right course, in the two directions of mission—in unity and universality.

(Repost of homily for the Feast of the Apostles Peter and Paul, 29 June 2020, Mt 16:13-19)



The Public Space

Jun Sula

A simple advice

WHEN Ferdinand Marcos, Jr. takes his oath of office on his inauguration day as the next Philippine president, apart from remembering his inaugural address, he is expected to be mindful of what he is going to swear to do while in office-- at least in the next 6 years, barring Charter Change which has been tried in the past but failed.

Incoming Sen. Robin Padilla and other Senate newbies have their roles cut out for them, which former Sen. Franklin Drilon frankly tells them not to take lightly.

The Constitution is clear and unequivocal on what his position as the highest official of the land entails. There are four things: 1) protect and defend the Constitution 2) execute the laws 3) do justice to everyone and 4) serve the nation.

The job has never been more daunting because, unfortunately, 1) there is no school for presidents and 2), like a paratrooper, he has to learn the important lessons on the way down. Being the son of a former president dictator may help, if it will not hamper or hurt him.

It is axiomatic that presidents are elected to solve problems, apart from the undying (universal) optimism, or folly, if you will, of voters that they will keep their promises. BBM has a lot on his plates, problems and promises alike. There are also the needling, messy "leftovers" of his predecessor, which he can repudiate or, worse, repeat. Success or failure can come from succession.

In his book 'The Choice', American journalist Bob Woodward wrote, quoting another author: "There is a 'field' that comes with being the president. The job brings a historical procession of previous presidents, of the greatness of the office, and the country and its struggle." From that, Woodward recalled the author saying the president could construct a vision of a better society or "the possible society".

What is BBM's vision using these parameters as a paradigm? How does he see himself and the future in light of the past and the present? He may consciously construct the Filipino society in the next six years or beyond in terms of his promise -- "the golden age"—and the huge, unprecedented challenges the country is facing at the moment. His familiar choices for his Cabinet is reflective of his campaign nostalgia for a so-called "golden age". Choosing the biodegradable Juan Ponce Enrile, who has defied time and legal trials, as his presidential legal counsel tells a lot about his nostalgia and his utopia as well.

With problems, there is the economy in shambles. BBM's economist can pick their poison: beat the inflation or fight the rising prices. China is apparently in on wait-and see posture before its next move in the West Philippine Sea. The International Criminal Court is set to resume its investigation on the alleged "war against humanity" of soon-to-be former President Duterte, his big-time benefactor. This will be a litmus test on the predecessor-successor's quid pro quo. The case against former Sen. Leila de Lima and other issues concerning the judiciary are

also pressing. Democracy is continually threatened while respect for human rights remain a major issue.

With promises, BBM should remind himself of how he missed the so-called "golden age" in his father's time, impliedly looking forward to it during his administration. Part of the package, among other olden campaign incentives, is bringing back the price of rice to P20 per kilo. The audacity of such a promise is astounding and mind-boggling.

Matching the four to-do Constitutional agenda, BBM may translate them into four moral principles: righteousness, justice, kindness and peace. In a perfect world, these are axiomatic. In an imperfect world, and with China breathing down our neck, good luck. "Never fear to negotiate", John F. Kennedy said in his inaugural speech," but never negotiate out of fear".

BBM's greatest enemy may be himself. His reputation, or what passes for it, precedes him. Political pundits may also view him a beneficiary of post modernism, where integrity is less important. By this, it means he may be leading in a time of post moral, post truth, post decency political culture. In short, a lowering of expectations. His predecessor will likely make it in history as one who may have lowered the bar in terms of moral and democratic leadership.

BBM tows a heavy baggage as it were, political and otherwise. First off, he is the son of a former dictator rudely thrown out power by his own people in a peaceful revolt. He may have been restored to his late father's former post, there are many questions that remain unsettled. Tax issues against him and his late father's estate continue to hound him and his family. He's not exactly enamored of press freedom. The laundry list is long and vertiginous.

He may want to seriously pay attention to his incoming head of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Lilia Guillermo. Her simple word of advice, which she told media she would tell the president face-to-face, is to be a model president. By that, she probably meant, first and foremost, BBM has to pay his taxes correctly and on time, including the P203 billion that ballooned from the original P23 billion that the Supreme Court had ordered him and the other co-administrator of the Marcos estate to settle a long, long time ago.

"Public servants are teachers", former U.S. Sen. John Ashcroft once said. "The teaching example of our leaders is profoundly important".

What should BBM teach us then? He knows the answer, but the answer remains to be seen although the BIR's chief simple advice of being a model public servant is sufficient and specific enough.



Napag-uusapan Lang

Felix M. Garcia

Magaral tamung Capampangan

(16th of a series)

Masampat – masanting, malagu, alang ipintas
'Maputi balugbug' – curiput, masungit
Saulan – sambutan, ababawan, alupig
Macasnuc – macasora, macabuysit.

Talamtalam – e binang makirut a sakit keng atian
Malilimadmad – mamasamasa, e pa lubus malañgi
Lampin – balabal keng buldit ding anak a bayung bait (a e na usu) – at ing capalit na niti 'diaper'

Sulimpat – duling, banlag at/o e diretsu mata.
At agiang sisti mu, e cu balung sabian nung bakit ding anti careti, bista't macasakit lub, intasang ausan da'lang tau Minalin – kenu megumpisa?

Ing bage mesabi, sisti mu marahil at iti pasari ning 'poetic rhyming'
king ing lagyu na ken ning balen Minalin, macarima ya iti king salitang duling?

Nanu pa man ing ken a e kasasanting a epektu caring memalen Minalin, atiu na ken, iti yanang manatiling taguri, a e na maliaring mabating!

Calupa na ning ken balen ning Sasmuan a meging taguring e na macalinguan, nung mitiab ya'ing bangka, muna reng sagipan ing 'cucul' kesa keng aliwang cabiayanan?

Ing 'cucul' ya itang mayumung tinaclub a'ynulma keng bican, cabangal ning ngungut, ya'ing ngara agiang misan ya malumud casebian ali ne ibili'ing pacabug?

Saragati – salbahi, pilyu, maki-calocuan
Cocoronting – makitopac, sira buntuc
Laganas – calat, maski nucar in atin
Alto-lumbug – misan atiu, misan alayu.
At menasa ing salitang 'alto-lumbug'
king tune aske na, yan keng malulumud keng danum ning dagat, sapa o keng ilug, ('lilitaw-lulubug, sa wikang tagalog')

Pusung – mapamiru, mapad keng picaylian
mapamatula keng simpling cabaldugan;
simpli mung bage a sabian da ren misan, e maliaring e ta' sagacgac mu naman.

Talaran – uyat ya at suling palapat a tutubu maski keng tabang at malat, den ila ring caring patulapit, tacap boting 'beer' at 'soft drinks' kilub nian papacat.

At panais da reng barberu mu naman caring labahas da ban puminu taram, a e ya man antimong batung taisan, pero subuc ya keng bage anti canian.

Casebian a 'macasalampac a bili', adua ya parasan, aske at taguri; antimo nung ating sigalut e wari e ta'balu nung nu' dapat magkabili?

Cadua ing literal a macasalampac ya bitis pilatan ding sanga na ning duat, e ya mamiligurung misan mu calabag cabud caren ating mesangal at sucat? ~.

Prayoridad...

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and Business District. Ang apat na ektarya nito ay pagtatayuan ng isang lifestyle mall na uupa sa pamahalaang panlalaw-

igan habang inilaan ang nasa pitong ektarya sa pagpapatayo ng mga high-rise buildings upa- ng ipaupa sa mga space rentals, business process

outsourcing, mga satel- lite offices ng mga nation- al government agencies, mga government-owned and -controlled corpora- tions at government finan-

cial institutions.
Tutulong din ang Kap- itolyo na makahikayat ng mga mamumuhunan na maglalagak ng negosyo sa isang bahagi ng 25-ek-

taryang Malolos Campus Annex ng Bulacan State University na isasailalim sa komersiyalisasyon sa pamamagitan ng Pub- lic-Private Partnership.

Sa larangan ng kalu- sugan, ipinag-utos ni Fer- nando na hinding hindi na bibili ang pamahalaang panlalawigan ng mga se- gundamanong kasang- kapan at mga kagamitan para sa Bulacan Medi- cal Center at mga district hospital.

Kaya’t bagong Mag- netic Resonance Imaging na ang bibilhin na sasa- bayan ng pagbubukas ng bagong Bulacan Provincial Blood Center at Oxygen Plant na magkakaroon din ng mga bagong gamit. Iba pa rito ang pla- nong paglalagay ng mga sea ambulances para sa mga pasyenteng nasa mga baybaying barangay sa Bulacan.

Nakahanda namang umagapay ang pama- halaang panlalawigan sa mangyayaring mala- wakang dredging o pa- ghuhukay sa mga kai- lugan ng Muzon, Mari- lao-Meycauayan-Obando River System; Meycauay- an proper; Santa Maria; Taliptip at Bamban sa Bu- lakan; Guiguinto; at Kale- ro sa Malolos.

Ang mga gastusin sa naturang mga dredg- ing project ay popondo- han ng San Miguel Corp. na konsesyonaryo sa proyektong NMIA.

Samantala, mahigpit ang panawagan ni Fer- nando sa mga kapwa ha- lal na opisyal.

Bagama’t mula ani- ya sila sa iba’t ibang ku- lay ng pulitika, panahon nang muling magkaisa sa ngalan ng mga Bulakenyo at ng lalawigan ng Bula- can. — **PIA-3**

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
THIRD LUDICAL REGION
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT
ANGELES CITY

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND,

Mortgagee,

F.C. CASE NO. 2022-2221

EXTRA-JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE
OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE
UNDER ACT 3135. AS AMENDED
BY ACT NO. 4118

-versus -

VOLTAIRE D. ABILON,

Mortgagor.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135, as amended filed by the Mortgagee, **HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND**, with principal office at The Petron Mega Plaza, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, and their Branch Office at Suburbia Commercial Complex, Mc. Arthur Highway, Maimpis, City of San Fernando, Pampanga against the Mortgagor, **VOLTAIRE D. ABILON** (single) with residence and postal address at Phase 3, Block 11, Lot 20 Savannah Green Plains, Cuayan, Angeles City, Pampanga or Lot 10, Block 140, Tacondo, Angeles City or Barangay of Tacondo, City of Angeles, Pampanga in order to satisfy the outstanding mortgage debt which as of **May 31, 2022** amounts to **NINE HUNDRED THIRTY EIGHT THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY FOUR PESOS AND EIGHTY NINE CENTAVOS** (Php 938,734.89), Philippine Currency, principal inclusive of interest and penalty charges but excluding the attorney's fees, foreclosure expenses and other charges allowed by law, the undersigned sheriff IV hereby gives notice and announces that on **July 27, 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the office of the Clerk of Court, Regional Trail Court, Angeles City, located at the Ground Floor of the Chief of Justice Jose Abad Santos Bldg., Hall of Justice Brgy. Pulung Maragul, Angeles City**, will sell at public auction for cash and in Philippine Currency, the following parcels of land with all existing and future improvements thereon, to wit:

TCT NO. 045-2016000675

LOT NO: 10BLOCK: 140PLAN NO: PCS-03-020564
PORTION OF: THE CONSOLIDATION OF LOTS 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 20, 22, 26, 27, 30, BSD-03-002021 (OLT), & LOTS B, C, & D, BSD-03-002021 (OLT) AMD. 4
LOCATION: BARANGAY OF TACONDO, CITY OF ANGELES, PROVINCE OF PAMPNGA, ISLAND OF LUZON.

TECHNICAL DESCRPTION

Boundaries:

LINE	DESCRIPTION	ADJOINING LOTS (S)
1-2	SW	ROAD LOT 12, PCS-03-020564
1-2	NW	LOT 8, BLOCK 140, PCS-03-020564
3-4	NE	LOT 9, BLOCK 140, PCS-03-020564
4-1	SE	LOT 12, BLOCK 140, PCS-03-020564

TIE POINT: MBM-18, ANGELES CADASTRE

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S. 15 26 W	616.06 M.
1-2	N. 10 50 W	4.00 M.
2-3	N. 79 10 E	13.50 M.
3-4	S. 10 50 E	4.00 M.
4-1	S. 79 10 W	13.50 M.

x x x AREA : FIFTY FOUR SQUARE METERS (54) MORE OR LESS x x x

DESCRIPTION OF CORNERS: ALL POINTS REFERRED TO ARE INDICATEDC ON THE PLAN AND ARE MARKED ON THE GROUND BY P.S CYL.

CONC. MONS. 15 X 40 CM.

Prospective buyers/bidders may investigate for themselves the above-mentioned parcel/s of land for their information and protection.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on **August 3, 2022, at the same time and place** without further notice.

Angeles City, June 13, 2022.

CARLO ROBERTO C. MEDINA
Sheriff IV

Copy Furnished:

Ms. LYDIA T. DE CASTRO
Department Manager III-LMRD
HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND
Suburbia Commercial Complex,
Mc Arthur Highway, Maimpis,
City of San Fernando, Pampanga

VOLTAIRE D. ABILON
Mortgagor
Phase 3, Block 11, Lot 20 Savannah Green Plains,
Cuayan, Angeles City, Pampanga or Lot 10, Block
140, Tacondo, Angeles City or Barangay of Tacondo,
City of Angeles, Pampanga

Punto Central Luzon: June 20 27 & July 4, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **RUBEN D. ZAPANTA** who died on May 10, 2005 at 307 3rd St., Marisol Village, Ninoy Aquino, Angeles City and **MARINA M. ZAPANTA** who died on April 27, 2021 at Angeles University Foundation Medical Center; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with Waiver of Rights on his/her estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land (Lot 16, Block 11 of the subdivision plan Psd-49971, being a portion of Block 16, described on plan Psd-46477, LRC Record No. 124), situated in the City of Angeles, Island of Luzon, covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 35270; before Notary Public Paterno S. Guevarra, as per Doc No. 439, Page No. 99, Book No.114, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 27, July 4 & 11, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **LINA V. YUMUL** who died on January 5, 2021 in Angeles City; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with deed of absolute sale on her estate, and more particularly described as covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 045-2017005717, Lot No.: 5-K, Plan No.: Psd-03-192347, Portion of: Lot 5, Psd-03-028135 (OLT), Location: Barangay of Bical, Municipality of Mabalacat, Province of Pampanga, Area: One Thousand Three Hundred Thirteen (1,313) square meters, more or less, before Notary Public Reydon P. Canlas, as per Doc No. 1537, Page No. 95, Book No. 81, Series of 2021.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 27, July 4 & 11, 2022

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
THIRD LUDICAL REGION
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT
ANGELES CITY

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (otherwise known as PAG-IBIG Funds),

Mortgagee,

EXTRA-JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE
OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE
UNDER ACT 3135. AS AMENDED

-versus -

GIAN LIJE D. GARCIA, married to
ARIANNE MARIE A. GARCIA,

Mortgagor.

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F.C. CASE NO. 2022-2201

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under **Act 3135, as amended** filed by the Mortgagee, **HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND**, (otherwise known as **PAG-IBIG Fund**), with principal office at Petron Mega Plaza, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, and with branch office at Suburbia Commercial Complex, Mc. Arthur Highway, City of San Fernando, Pampanga, against the Mortgagor, **GIAN LIJE D. GARCIA**, married to **ARIANNE MARIE A. GARCIA**, with postal address at #633 Ohio St., Villasol Subd., Angeles City, Pampanga, in order to satisfy the mortgage debts which as of **May 31, 2022** amounts to **FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED SIXTY FIVE PESOS & 81/100 (P470,765.81)** Philippine Currency, outstanding loan balance, inclusive of interest penalty cahrges and expenses allowed by law, the undersigned sheriff IV hereby gives notice and announces that on July 20, 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the office of the Clerk of Court, Regional Trail Court, Angeles City, located at the Ground Floor of the Chief Justice Jose Abad Santos Hall of Justice Bldg., Brgy. Pulung Maragul, Angeles City, will sell at public auction for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following parcel of land with all existing and future improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 045-2011001720

"A parcel of land (Lot 6 Block 23 of the subd., plan Psd-03-019431, being a portion of Lot 698-B-1, Psd-03-006152, LRC Rec. No.), situated in the Barrio of Sta. Catalina, Angeles City. Bounded on the SE., along line 1-2 by Lot 5, on the SW., along line 2-3 by Lot 4, both of Block 23; on the NW., along line 3-4 by Road Lot 32, on the NE., along line 4-1 by Lot 8, Block 23, all of the subd., plan. x x x containing an area of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY (120) SQUARE METERS. x x x"

Prospective buyers/bidders may investigate for themselves the above-mentioned parcel of land for their information and protection.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on **July 27, 2022**, at the same time and place without further notice.

Angeles City, June 01, 2022.

JOSE GLENN V. ROSARIO
Sheriff IV

Copy Furnished:

HOME DEVELOPEMENT MUTUAL FUND (otherwise known as PAG-IBIGFund)
Mortgagee
Petron Mega Plaza, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Ave.,
Makati City

Ms. LYDIA T. DE CASTRO
Department Manager III-LMRD (HDMF-San Fdo. Branch Office)
Suburbia Commercial Complex, McArthur Hi-way,
Maimpis, City of San Fernando, Pampanga

Mr. JEFFREY A. RAMIENTAS
Attorney-In-Fact, Greatsource Corporation
2546 A. Bonifacio St., Bangkal,
Makati City

Mr. GIAN LIJE D. GARCIA
Mortgagor
#633 Ohio St., Villasol Subd., Angeles City, Pampanga
-and at -
Lot 06 Block 23, Sta. Catalina, Angeles City, Pampanga.

Punto Central Luzon: June 20 27 & July 4, 2022

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
THIRD LUDICAL REGION
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT
ANGELES CITY

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (PAG-IBIG FUND)

Mortgagee,

EXTRA-JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE
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-versus -

EDWIN P. DE LEON

Mortgagor.

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F.C. CASE NO. 2022-2221

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under **Act 3135**, as amended filed by the Mortgagee, **HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND**, (PAG-IBIG FUND), with principal office at The Petron Mega Plaza, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, against the Mortgagor, **EDWIN P. DE LEON**, with postal address at #3116 GEN. AQUINO ST., KALAYAAN SUBD., LOURDES NORTHWEST, ANGELES CITY in order to satisfy the outstanding mortgage debt as of **April 15, 2022** amounts to **SEVEN HUNDRED SEVENTY SIX THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FORTY PESOS AND SEVENTY THREE CENTAVOS** (Php776,340.73), Philippine Currency, principal including, interest, penalty, accounts receivables, interest on accounts receivable, cancellation fee/processing fee, and personal loan excluding attorney's fee, the expenses of the foeclosure and other charges allowed by law, the undersigned sheriff IV hereby gives notice and announces that on **July 27, 2022 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the office of the Clerk of Court, Regional Trail Court, Angeles City, located at the Ground Floor of the Jose Abad Santos Hall of Justice Brgy. Pulung Maragul, Angeles City**, will sell at public auction for cash and in Philippine Currency, the following parcels of land with all existing and future improvements thereon, to wit:

TCT NO. 045-2015001794

"A parcel of land (Lot 22, Block 20 of the consolidation subdivision plan Pcs-03-017159, being a portion of the consolidated Lots 1 to 20, Block 1; Lots 1 to 10, Block 2; Lots 1 to 23; Block 3; Lots 1 to 18, Block 4; Lots 1 to 14, Block 5; Block 6; Lots 1 to 14, Block 7; Lots 1 to 5, Block 8; Lots 1 to 7, Block 9; Lots 1 to 11, Block 10; Lots 1 to 21, Block 21; Lots 21 to 40, Block 22 & Roads 1 to 10, all of Psd-03-019431, LRC Cad. Record No. 11732) Situated in the Barangay of Sta. Catalina (Now Cuayan), City of Angeles, Island of Luzon. Bounded on the SW., Along Line 1-2 by Lot 21, Blk. 20; on the NW., Along line 2-3 by road Lot 21 (8.00 M. Wide); on the NE., Along line 3-4 by Lot 23; and on the SE., Along line 4-1 by Lot 69, Both of Blk. 20, All of the cons., Subd. Plan x x x Containing an area of Fifty (50) Square Meters, more or less. x x x

Prospective buyers/bidders may investigate for themselves the above-mentioned parcel/s of land for their information and protection.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on **August 3, 2022**, at the same time and place without further notice.

Angeles City, June 17, 2022.

YVES GABRIEL V. GADIA
Sheriff IV

Copy Furnished:

HOME DEVELOPEMENT MUTUAL FUND (PAG-IBIG FUND)
Petron Mega Plaza Building,
No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City

Ms. LYDIA T. DE CASTRO
Department Manager III-LMRD
San Fdo. Housing Hub

ATTY. SIMEON P. MADRID
Unit 2010, 20/F Herrera Tower
V.A. Rufino cor. Valero streets, Makati City

EDWIN P. DE LEON
#3116 GEN. AQUINO ST.,
KALAYAAN SUBD., LOURDES NORTHWEST,
ANGELES CITY

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CIAC remits...

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post-pandemic economic recovery, as well,” Aquino said.

CIAC dividends remitted comply with the RA 7656 that direct all government-owned and -controlled corporations to declare and remit at least 50 percent of their net earnings to the National Treasury.

CIAC is the agency tasked to develop the Clark Civil Aviation Complex, home to the privately-run Clark International Airport, as well as the mixed-use business district Clark Global City, and several locators in cargo and aviation-related businesses.

– CIAC-CCO

CRK-Busan...

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the visa waiver program which allows passengers to fly visa-free via Yangyang in Gangwon province. Under the program, travelers in group of five to 15 may explore Seoul City as part of a package trip through a designated travel agency.

Press Release

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **JULIO GONZALES** who died on January 25, 1997 at Angeles City and **MELENCIA GUZMAN-GONZALES** who died on November 14, 2006 at Angeles City; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement on his/ her estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 82887, Registry of Deed for the Angeles City containing an area of FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY (420) Square Meters, more or less; before Notary Public Arvin M. Suller, as per Doc No. 773, Page No. 77, Book No.XXXVII, Series of 2015.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 27, July 4 & 11, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **JOSE V. REYES** who died on April 10, 2012, in San Nicolas II, Magalang, Pampanga and **LUCIA S. REYES** who died on February 26, 2015, in San Nicolas 1, Magalang Pampanga; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement on his estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land (Lot 34 of the cons.-subd. Plan Pcs-035406-006035, being a portion of the cons. of lots 1518, 1519, 1530, 1531, 1532, 1802, 1822, 1823, Floridablanca Cad., LRC. Rec. No.), situated in the Bo. Cutad, Mun. of Floridablanca, Prov. of Pamp. covered by Transfer Certificate of Title No. 443404-R Registry of Dedds for the Province of Pampanga, before Notary Public Paolo M. Benitez, as per Doc No. 375, Page No. 33, Book No. 9, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 13, 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF SELF-ADJUDICATION

Notice is hereby given that **MIRASOL C. GOZUM**, of legal age, widow, Filipino citizen, and resident of #136 Station District, Rosales, Pangasinan, and heirs of **POLICARPIO I. GOZUM** who died on September 18, 2021 at Tayug, Pangasinan, executed an Affidavit of Self Adjudication with sale on his estate, more particularly described as a parcel of land (Lot 26 Block 10 of the Cons-Subd., Plan, Pcs-03-015003, being a portion of consolidated of lots 73-B-3-B to 73-B-3-N, 73-B-3-P TO 73-B-3-, 73-B-3-Z, 73-B-3-AA TO 73-B-3-BB, LL OF PSD-03-004431, Lots 73-C-2-C TO 73-C-2-E, 73-C-2-K TO 73-C-2-P, All of (LRC) Psd-304894 lots 73-B-3-U-2, PSD-03-116643, LOT 73-B-3-A-2, PSD-03-116644, LOT 73-C-2-3, PSD03-116645, LOT 73-C-2-B-2, PSD-03-116645, LOT 73-C-2-J-2, PSD-03-116646, LOT 73-B-3-02, PSD-03-122546 & LOT 73-B-3-I-2, PSD-03-122547, L.R.C. REC. N.) Situated in the Bo. of Duquit & Mabiga, Mun. of Mabalacat, Prov. of Pampanga. covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 045-2011001336, before Notary Public Roberto E. Caoayan, as per Doc No. 171, Page No. 35, Book No. XLVIII, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 13, 20 & 27, 2022

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
THIRD JUDICIAL REGION
BRANCH 54
MACABEBE, PAMPANGA

IN RE: PETITION FOR
CANCELLATION/CORRECTION OF
ENTRY IN THE CERTIFICATE OF
LIVE BIRTH OF THE MINOR,
STEPHANIE BONIFACIO NUNEZ,
under Registry No. 2008-639,
represented by her mother, MARICEL L.
BONIFACIO-DAVIS

MARICEL L. BONIFACIO-DAVIS, for
the minor, STEPHANIE BONIFACIO
NUÑEZ,

Petitioner,

-versus- SPECIAL PROC. NO. 22-1003 (M)

THE LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRAR OF
MACABEBE, PAMPANGA, THE
CIVIL REGISTRAR GENERAL, JOHN
ROBERT B. NUÑEZ, JR. and
SPOUSES HUBERTO NUÑEZ and
GRACE BALTAZAR,

Respondents.

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ORDER

This is a verified Petition dated 07 February 2022, by Petitioner, Maricel L. Bonifacio-Davis, for the minor, Stephanie Bonifacio-Nuñez, praying that after due notice, publication and hearing, public respondents be ordered to cancel and/or correct in their records, the Certificate of Live Birth of Stephanie Bonifacio Nuñez under Registry No. 2008-639, as follows:

(a)the entries or statements under Entry No. 18 [DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OF PARENTS] be cancelled and corrected from October 05, 2006, Manila City Hall, Manila, Arroceros to “NOT MARRIED”,

(b)the subject child’s name be corrected from Stephanie Bonifacio Nuñez to “STEPHANIE LACAP BONIFACIO”; and

(c)the name of the subject child’s mother as informant thereof, under Entry No. 20 be corrected from Maricel B. Nuñez to “MARICEL L. BONIFACIO.”

Pursuant to Section 4, Rule 108 of the Rules of Court, let this petition be set for hearing on 07 September 2022 at 8:30 in the morning before this court located at the Hall of Justice, Macabebe, Pampanga.

All persons interested in the petition may appear at the aforesaid date of hearing and show cause, if any, why this petition should not be granted. Let this Order be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the province of Pampanga once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks at the expense of the petitioner.

Let a copy of this Order and the Petition be served upon the Office of the Solicitor General (OSG), the Local Civil Registrar (LCR) of Macabebe, Pampanga and the Civil Registrar General, Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), Quezon City.

SO ORDERED.

Macabebe, Pampanga 16 May 2022.

KATHERINE M. LEGARDA-PAJARON
Presiding Judge

Punto! Central Luzon: June 13, 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **BERNABE G. VALENTON** who died on February 24, 1984, in Mabalacat Pampanga, executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with Waiver of Rights on his estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of agricultural land, situated in Barangay San Ildefonso/Escaler, Municipality of Magalang, Province of Pampanga; and covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. CARP201600032 With Emancipation Patent No. 00794786, Registry of Deeds for the Province of Pampanga; before Notary Public Darwin S. Reyes, as per Doc No. 348, Page No. 95, Book No. 24, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 20, 27 & July 4, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **CATHERINE BUNDALIAN BARTOLOME** who died on May 29, 2021 at Adan Hospital, Kuwait; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement on her estate, That the said deceased, at the time of her death, left savings account deposited in the following bank as follows: Bank of the Philippines Island, Robinson Starmills Branch- under the Account No. 2189027128; before Notary Public Mark Andrew M. Santiago, as per Doc No. 2008, Page No. 81, Book No. XXIII, Series of 2022.

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Republic of the Philippines
CITY CIVIL REGISTRY OFFICE
Province of Pampanga
Mabalacat City

Publication Notice
R.A. 10172

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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 **EDWIN SICAT LIBUT** has filed with this Office, a petition for Correction of Clerical Error of the Child’s Date of Birth from “**JULY 21, 1962**” to “**JULY 16, 1962**” in the Certificate of Live Birth of **EDWIN SICAT LIBUT** at Mabalacat, Pampanga and whose parents are **ABSALON FAJARDO LIBUT** and **CATALINA GATUS SICAT**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his/her written opposition with this office not later than seven (7) days after the completion of the publication period.

VICTOR TERRY A. MEDINA
City Civil Registrar

FOR THE CITY CIVIL REGISTRAR

GLEENDA A. JARIN
Administrative Officer III

PUNTO! CENTRAL LUZON: June 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **ENRICO DELA CRUZ OCAMPO** who died on February 5, 2017 in Sta. Rita, Pampanga; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement on his estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land (Lot 4248-C of the Subd. plan Psd-03-184540, being a portion of lot 4248, cad. 377-D, Sta. Rita Cadastre (Lot 987-C, CSD-03-001057-D) L.R.C. Rec. No.), situated in the barrio of Fila-Fila, Mun. of Sta. Rita, Prov. of Pampanga, covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 042-2010012020; before Notary Public Chastinne Mae M. Limson, as per Doc No. 95, Page No. 20, Book No. II, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 13, 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **CECILIA COMELIO AMABA** who died on March 27, 2020 at Dolores, City of San Fernando, Pampanga; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with Donation on his estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land (Lot 34, Sheet 2 of the consolidation plan (LRC) Pcs-15103 being a portion of the consolidation of lots 26, 27 & 28, (LRC)Pcs-4875, L.R.C. Record No. 124), situated in the bo. of Sto. Rosario, Cutcut, City of Angeles, Island of Luzon, covered by Technical Description Transfer Certificate Title No. 58000 Registry of Dedds for Angeles City, before Notary Public Bryant R. Canasa, CPA, as per Doc No. 970, Page No. 90, Book No. VIII, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon:June 13, 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **DANILO SANTOS REYES** who died on July 30, 2021 in Angeles City, Pampanga; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement on his estate, and more particularly described as follows;

Transfer of Certificate of Title No. 174331

“A parcel of land (Lot 28, Block 8 of the cons.-subd. plan Pcs-035401-003862, being portion of the cons. of Lots 1 and 6 (LRC) Psd-289688, LRC Rec. No.), situated in the Barrio of Sto. Cristo, City of Angeles. xxxxxxxx; containing an area of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (150) SQUARE METERS. xxxxxxxx.”

Transfer of Certificate of Title No. 045-2018002822

“A parcel of land (Lot 8, Block 46 of the consolidation and subdivision plan Pcs-03-012197, being portion of a consolidated Lots of Lots 29 to 30Blk. 7, Lots 1,3,5,7,9,11,13,14 Blk. 33, Lots 1 to 22 Blk. 34 Lots 13 to 20 Blk. 35, Lots 13 to 20 Blk. 36, Lot 13 to 20 Blk. 37, Lots 10 to 17 Blk. 38, Lots 4 to 11 Blk. 39, Lots 15 to 20 Blk. 40, Lots 1 to 16 Blk. 41, Alley 3, Lots 1 to 17 Blk. 42, Lots 1 to 8 Blk. 44, Lots 1 to 8 Blk. 45, Lots 1 to 8 Blk. 46, Lots 1 to 7 Blk. 47, Lots 7, 9, 10 to 19 Roads 6 and 29 to 45, Lots 1 to 6 Blk. 43, All of Pcs-035401-003862, L.R.C. Rec. No.), situated in the barrio of Sto. Cristo, City of Angeles. xxxxxxxx; containing an area of TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY FOUR (274) SQUARE METERS. xxxxxxxx.”

before Notary Public Rochelle V. Lorenzo, as per Doc No. 1377, Page No. 3, Book No. IV, Series of 2021.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 13, 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF SELF-AJUDICATION

Notice is hereby given that **ANGELO AREJOLA SALONGA**, of legal age, Filipino, and with residence and postal address at 2940 Jumbo St., Airwolf Village Pulung Maragul, Subd., Angeles City, Pampanga, Philippines, and heirs of **FERNANDO SALONGA**, who died on August 05, 2015 and **ZENaida SALONGA** who died on April 14, 2022; executed an Affidavit of Self-Adjudication with Unilateral Deed of Absolute Sale on his/her estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land (lot 12-E-5, of the subdivision plan Psd-03-130819, being a portion Lot 12-E, Psd-03-01012937 L.R.C. Rec. No.) situated in the Barrio of Pulung Maragul, City of Angeles, covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 126325 Registry of Deed of Angeles City, before Notary Public Mycarol Bondoc, as per Doc No. 4083, Page No. 29, Book No. 14, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 27, July 4 & 11, 2022

Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE CITY CIVIL REGISTRY
Province of Pampanga
Mabalacat City

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

In compliance with Section 5 of R.A. 9048 a notice is hereby served to the public that **ESTER TUA CABALLA** has filed with this Office a petition for Change of First Name from **ESTELITA** to **ESTER** in the birth certificate of **ESTELITA DARE TUA** at Mabalacat, Pampanga and whose parents are **ELPIDIO TUA** and **MARIA DARE**.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his/her written opposition with this office not later than seven (7) days after the completion of the publication period.

GLEENDA A. JARIN
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER III

Punto! Central Luzon: June 20 & 27, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **SPOUSES GODOFREDO PARAS** and **VICTORIA DIZON PARAS** who died on October 24, 2018 in Laug, Mexico, Pampanga and on February 28, 2000 in City of San Fernando, Pampanga; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement on his/her estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land located in San Isidro Laug, Mexico, Province of Pampanga and Survey Plan No. Psd-03-018151 (OLT) Lot No. 438-28, portion of Lot 438-Cad 72, situated in Barangay of San Isidro, Municipality of Mexico, Province of Pampanga, and covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. CARP2019000503 Emancipation Patent No. 00815081 Registry of Deeds of Pampanga; before Notary Public Rowena S. Cunanan-Mundo, as per Doc No. 480, Page No. 97, Book No. II, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 20, 27 & July 4, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **EVELYN M. FRESADO** who died on April 16, 1999 in Angeles City, executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with Deed of Sale of Portion of Property on her estate, and more particularly described as a parcel of land (Lot 10, of the consolidation-subdivision plan (Irc) Pcs-2180, being a portion of the consolidation of lots 1-28, all of block 3, described on plan (LRC) Psd-17442, LRC (GLRO) Record No. 8715), situated in the Barrio of Sto Domingo, Angeles, City, and covered by Transfer Certificate Title No. 045-82211, Registry of Deeds of Angeles City; before Notary Public Miguelito S. Pama, as per Doc No. 354, Page No. 72, Book No. XI, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 20, 27 & July 4, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **FELICIANA LAPUZ MIRANDA** who died on November 8, 2020 in Paralaya, Candaba, Pampanga, executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with Special Power of Attorney on her estate, Whereas during her lifetime, was entitled to One Time Cash Incentives Award amounting to One Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php100,000.00) as mandated by Provincial Ordinance No. 683 of the province of Pampanga, before Notary Public Rowena S. Cunanan-Mundo, as per Doc No. 16, Page No. 5, Book No. III, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 20, 27 & July 4, 2022

NOTICE OF EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of **ISIDRO S. TUMANG** who died on August 1, 2016 at Mt. Carmel Medical Center, City of San Fernando, Pampanga; executed an Affidavit of ExtraJudicial Settlement with Waiver of Rights on his estate, and more particularly described as follows;

1. A Residential House covered by Tax Declaration No. PSP-120026-00919

2.Transfer Certificate of Title No. 042-20122006071

A parcel of land (Lot 32-B, of the Subd. Plan Psd-03-187442 being a portion of Lot 32, (LRC) Psd-178776, (LRC Rec. No.), situated in the Barangay of San Jose Malino, Mun. of Mexico, Prov. of Pampanga, Island of Luzon xxxxx containing an area of FIVE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT (5,248) SQUARE METERS xxxxx.

3. Transfer Certificate of Title No. 461128-R

A parcel of land (Lot No. 41, of the Subd. Plan Psd-178776 being a portion of Lot 2378, Mexico Cad., LRC Cad. Rec. No. 127) situated in the Bo. of San Jose Malino, Mun. of Mexico, Prov. of Pampanga, Island of Luzon xxxxx containing an area of FIFTEEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FORTY TWO (15,342) SQUARE METERS xxxxx.

4.Transfer Certificate of Title No. 359156-R

A parcel of land (Lot 62, of the subd. plan (LRC) Psd-178776, being a portion of Lot 2378, Mexico Cad., LRC Cad. Rec. No. 127) situated in the Bo. of San Jose Malino, Mun. of Mexico, Prov. of Pampanga, Island of Luzon xxxxx containing an area of TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY (2,460) SQUARE METERS xxxxx.

5.Transfer Certificate of Title No. 359157-R

A parcel of land (Lot 58, of the subd. plan (LRC) Psd-178776, being a portion of Lot 2378, Mexico Cad., LRC Cad. Rec. No. 127) situated in the Bo. of San Jose Malino, Mun. of Mexico, Prov. of Pampanga, Island of Luzon xxxxx containing an area of TWENTY THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FORTY FOUR (20,744) SQUARE METERS xxxxx.

6. Transfer Certificate of Title No. 571314-R

A parcel of land (Lot 67, of the subd. plan (LRC) Psd-178776, being a portion of Lot 2378, Mexico Cad., LRC Cad. Rec. No. 127) situated in the Bo. of San Jose Malino, Mun. of Mexico, Prov. of Pampanga, Island of Luzon xxxxx containing an area of NINE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY (9,280) SQUARE METERS xxxxx

before Notary Public Carlota Dela Cruz-Manalo, as per Doc No. 232, Page No. 48, Book No. 57, Series of 2022.

Punto! Central Luzon: June 13, 20 & 27, 2022



BeautéHaus perfects the art, science of beauté with brand ambassador JC Santos

CLARK FREEPORT -- BEAUTÉHAUS formally welcomed dramatic actor JC Santos as its official brand ambassador at a launch held at Marriott Clark here June 26.

Established and founded by Rhea Anicoche-Tan in 2016, BeautéHaus is a subsidiary of the Beautéderm Group of Companies and it is arguably considered as a major beauté hub in Angeles City.

The clinic boasts one of the best medical teams in Northern Luzon that specializes in dermatology as well as the latest top-of-the-line, cutting-edge machines and equipment in the field of aesthetic medicine.

For the past six years, BeautéHaus has been attracting thousands of patients with procedures such as its signature Beautédrip's, Snow White Laser, Beauté Rejuve Laser with Beauté Glow Peptide, Ultimate V-Lift, and Beauté Hifu among many other fabulous and life-altering treatments.

Today, the center is the most trusted dermatological clinic of Angeles City's elite which include fashion designers Marlon Tuazon, Frederick Policarpio, and Michelle Viray; Central Luzon's top OB-GYNE Dr. Rowena Mangubat; creative director Lance Tan; businesswoman Isabel Lim; marketing executive and lifestyle journalist Joanna "Ning" Cordero; Clark International

Airport Corp. vice president for operations IC Calaguas; Executive Assistant IV to the Office of the Mayor of Angeles City Reina Manuel; and event planner Voltaire Zalamea – who are all ambassadors of the Beautéderm Group of Companies which include the clinic and Beautéderm. Also with the group are celebrity make-up artist Mariah Santos and internationally acclaimed fashion designer Mak Tumang who are both endorsers of Beautéderm.

JC Santos is born and raised in Pampanga who started his career in theater before he skyrocketed as one of the industry's most respected young character actors with notable performances in some of ABS-CBN's top-rating series namely Till I Met You, Ikaw Lang Ang Ibiggin, and FPJ's Ang Probinsyano as well as feature appearances in a steady string of critically-acclaimed films as 100 Tula Para Kay Stella, The Day After Valentines, and Miracle in Cell No. 7.

JC started to undergo several procedures in BeautéHaus shortly after he became a father to his baby girl. JC's main concern is to get rid of his "dad bod" while getting back into shape so he underwent Lipodissolve and M-Shape – which are non-invasive body sculpting and slimming treatments. JC also did Beautétox to soften and

eliminate wrinkles as well as Exilift which improves the appearance of dark circles in the eyes as well as eye puffiness and eye wrinkles.

"Even us men must take the effort to look good," says JC. "As an actor, it is my responsibility to take care of myself especially now that I am also busy taking care of my little girl. I work long hours and the stress of the job is taking a toll on my appearance. I am so happy and grateful that my treatments with BeautéHaus complements my workouts and my healthy diet."

Rhea Tan on the other hand is equally elated to welcome JC to the Beautéderm Group Of Companies as the brand ambassador of BeautéHaus. "BeautéHaus started as a side hobby of mine. I initially bought all the machines for my personal use until I decided to open the clinic. I didn't realize how successful the clinic is until several years ago. I am so excited to have JC onboard now that we are gearing up to move the clinic to bigger space in Beautéderm Corporate Center where it will be part of the lifestyle hub that we will launch this year."

For more information on BeautéHaus and exciting updates on JC Santos, like BeautéHaus on Facebook and follow @beautéhaus.clinic on Instagram. **Press Release**



Beautéderm Ambassadors: Serving those in need



ANGELES CITY – The essence of being a Beautéderm Ambassador is not just about having beautiful physical attributes – but about serving those in need.

This is how two women from this city described their roles as Beautéderm Ambassadors, during the Beatederm press conference on June 26 at Marriott Hotel where they talked about what it is like to be part of the Beautéderm family.

Reina Manuel, Executive Assistant IV of the Angeles City government, believes she and the other ambassadors were chosen for a reason: to help Beautéderm reach out to people and communities.

"Nagpapasalamat ako kay Ms. Rea Tan sa lahat ng suporta nya sa aming programa, sa programa ng city government at ni Mayor Pogi Lazatin. Sya ay taong talagang umangat pero nananatiling madaling maabot," Manuel said.

Manuel is not the only one who sees her role as a Beautéderm ambassador fulfilling.

Irish "IC" Calaguas, Clark International Airport Corp. vice president and chief adviser to Mayor Carmelo "Pogi" Lazatin Jr., said the message of Beautéderm is clear — to spread love and care

to practically anybody regardless of physical traits.

"Being a member of the Beautéderm family is a manifestation that Beautéderm recognizes not just physical traits but the inner beauty of a person," Calaguas said.

She said the role bestowed upon her by Beautéderm is an integral part of her being, because even before being a part of this family, she has already been helping marginalized kababayans.

"I would like to thank Ms. Rea Tan for being generous and kind hearted, which are the qualities of a true Beautéderm Ambassador," Calaguas said.

The company, according to Calaguas, has been very supportive of their outreach programs, helping them reach more marginalized kababayans. Tan's Beautéderm has also been assisting in the various projects and programs of the city government of Angeles.

For her part, Tan said her "babies" – Dr. Rowena Medina, Lance Tan, Isabel Lim, Mak Tumang, Mitch Viray, Frederick Policarpio, Marlon Tuazon, Ning Cordero, Voltaire Zalamea, Manuel and Calaguas – are all successful in their respective fields. **Press Release**