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## City Government of Bacoor

Namahagi ang Pamahalaang Lungsod ng Bacoor sa pangunguna ni Mayor Lani Mercado Revilla ng financial assistance sa mga pamilya na naapektuhan ng sunog na nirelocate sa Rancho Verde, sa Naic. Hindi pinalampas ni Mayor Lani na kamustahin ang ating mga kababayan at siguraduhing maayos ang kanilang kalagayan.



Public Works and Highways Secretary Mark Villar declared that the government continue to cope with the health crisis by providing enough and timely infrastructure support in the fight versus COVID-19.

Using modular components, our DPWH Task Force to Facilitate Augmentation of Local and National Healthcare Facilities is building pop-up hospital that will be used to augment the existing COVID-19 isolation facilities at Quezon Institute in E. Rodriguez Sr. Avenue, Quezon City, said Secretary Villar.

"As we gradually defeat the pandemic, we will not be complacent but instead continue in backing our healthcare system by putting up more health facilities nationwide," said Secretary Villar.

In his report to Secretary Villar following an ocular inspection, Undersecretary and Task Force

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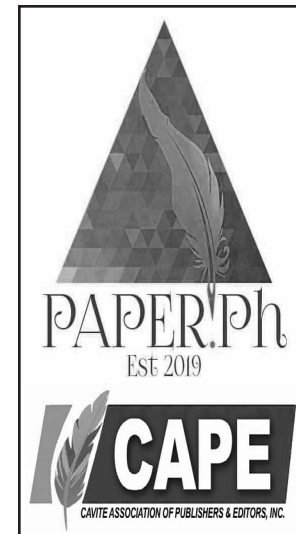
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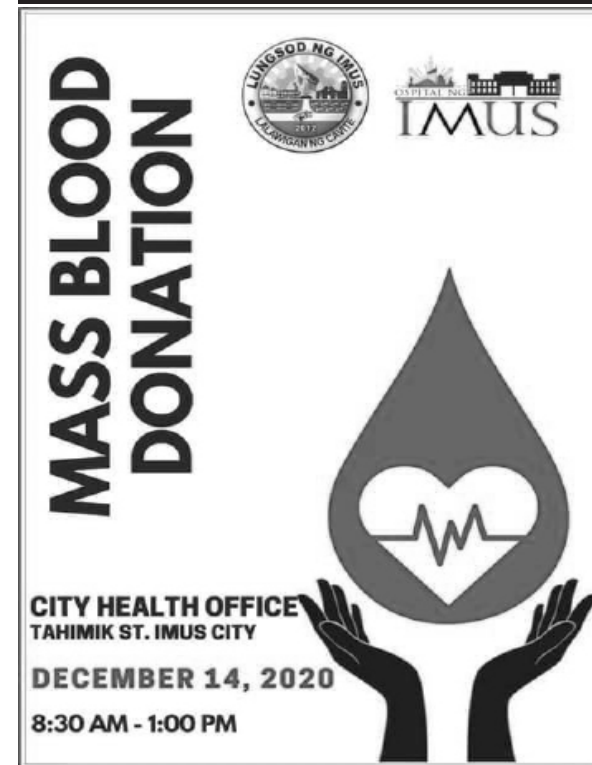
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## City Government of Imus



# 1546 LGUS declare CPP NPA-NDF persona non grata

The Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) today said that a total of 1,546 local government units (LGUs) across the country have now declared the Communist Party of the Philippines-New People's Army-National Democratic Front (CPP-NPA-NDF) as persona non grata in their respective localities.

Out of the 1,715 LGUs nationwide, DILG Secretary Eduardo M. Año said that 1,546 -- 64 prov-

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## Lt. Gen. Sobejana keynotes PAPER.Ph 1st Anniversary

## City Government of Bacoor

Nag-ikot ang ating PNP sa mga pampublikong lugar upang paalalahanan ang mga mamamayan ukol sa kahalagahan ng pagsunod sa mga health protocols upang maiwasan ang paglaganap pa ng Covid-19 sa lungsod. Kasama sa kanilang paalala ang pagpapatupad sa social distancing, at pagsuot ng face mask at face shield.



SAN PABLO City, Laguna--The Prime Alliance of Publishers, Editors, and Reporters of the Philippines, Inc. (PAPER.Ph, Inc.) celebrated its 1st Founding Anniversary with the launching of their magazine and election of new set of officers held at RX Garden Resort, Brgy. San Gregorio in this city, Dec. 5.

With the theme, "The Media, The New Era, and The New Normal," Lt. Gen. Cirilito E. Sobejana, Commanding General of the Philippine Army, was the guest of honor and keynote speaker.

Nena Mallari, PAPER.Ph corporate adviser and The Southern Tagalog Herald publisher, opened the program stressing the need for a media alliance that is inclusive of not only



Pablo, advocated, that is, publishers, but also editors, reporters, vloggers, and other stakeholders. to unite all media practitioners in the country.

She said that this is what former PAPER.Ph president and founding member, the late Abel Gen. Sobejana, a graduate of the Philippine Military Academy, (Turn to page 3)

### City Government of Imus



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## 1546 LGUS declare CPP NPA-NDF persona non grata

(From page 1) inces, 110 cities, and 1,372 municipalities -- have already passed resolutions declaring the Communist Terrorist Groups (CTGs) as persona non grata in their respective areas. The remaining 169 LGUs, he said, are in various stages of deliberation in their respective provincial, city, and municipal councils.

In addition, some 12,474 barangays nationwide have also declared the CPP-NPA-NDF as persona non grata.

"Maliwanag pa sa sikat ng araw na isinusuka na ng sambayanan ang CPP-NPA-NDF at ang mga front organizations nito. Nagpapasalamat kami sa mga LGUs na nagsasarado ng kanilang pintuan sa mga CTGs at ipinapakita ang kanilang mariing pagtutol sa mga Komunistang Teroristang Grupo," he said.

The DILG Chief congratulated the LGUs for "stepping up, helping the national government, and letting themselves be counted among the growing number of local governments that want the reign of terror of the CTGs in the countryside to end after more than 50 years."

"Much like the battle against the COVID-19 pandemic, we need to finally end this very old problem using a whole-of-nation approach, and the support from our LGUs gives us great assurance

that we are not alone in this war against these atheists, Maoists terrorists," he said.

Año considers the support of LGUs as a turning point in the battle against the Communist Terrorist because the government has since shifted from the military-centric approach but is now utilizing the whole-of-society approach where all government agencies from national to LGUs including the private sector work together to bring peace to the countryside.

"Under the umbrella of NTF-ELCAC chaired by the President himself, we have organized inter-agency local ELCAC task forces with 17 Regional Task Forces, 81 Provincial Task Forces, 1,405 City, and Municipal Task Forces, and 26,044 Barangay Task Forces," he said.

He explains that the support from the LGUs is timely especially as the country faces the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic, wherein more people in far-flung communities are more vulnerable to recruitment by the CPP-NPA-NDF.

"Kailangan talagang magkaisa na tayo laban sa CPP-NPA-NDF dahil wala silang pinipiling panahon para makapanlinlang at mabuyo ang mga mamamayan na makianib sa kanila at mag-aklas laban sa pamahalaan," said Año.

Based on DILG records, among the 17 regions nationwide, six regions have reached a 100 percent declaration of persona non grata to the CPP-NPA-NDF, namely Central Luzon, Central Visayas, Zamboanga Peninsula, MIMAROPA, and Cordillera Administrative Region. Meanwhile, four regions are nearing absolute declaration of persona non grata, with Ilocos Region at 99 percent declaration, Cagayan Valley at 98 percent, Northern Mindanao at 95 percent, and CALABARZON at 94 percent.

In the National Capital Region (NCR), out of the 16 cities and 1 municipality, nine cities have passed resolutions condemning the atrocities of CTGs and declaring CPP-NPA-NDF as persona non grata, namely Caloocan, Las Piñas, Mandaluyong, Muntinlupa, Navotas, Pasig, Quezon, San Juan, and Valenzuela. Año said that the DILG is positive that the number of LGUs declaring CPP-NPA-NDF as persona non grata will continue to rise come next year.

"The DILG is looking forward to seeing more LGUs join us in this fight against Communist terrorism. We cannot allow these groups to continue killing people, the time has come to finally put an end to their wicked ways," he said. Source: DILG

### HEALTH TIPS: Don't drink sugar calories

Sugary drinks are among the most fattening items you can put into your body. This is because your brain doesn't measure calories from liquid sugar the same way it does for solid food. Therefore, when you drink soda, you end up eating more total calories. Sugary drinks are strongly associated with obesity, type 2 diabetes, heart disease, and many other health problems. Keep in mind that certain fruit juices may be almost as bad as soda in this regard, as they sometimes contain just as much sugar. Their small amounts of antioxidants do not negate the sugar's harmful effects

## Lt. Gen. Sobejana keynotes PAPER.Ph 1st Anniversary



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Academy Class of 1987 and a medal of valor recipient, cited the media's critical role in this time of pandemic as well as in curbing terrorism.

Lt. Gen. Sobejana said, "We're not above you. We're not below you. We're side by side with you," emphasizing that the military needs a helping hand in combating terrorism and the Covid-19 pandemic.

He praised journalists for their honest and balance reportage specifically in disseminating information related to the government troops campaign to end armed conflicts and atrocities.

"Filipino journalists should practice ethic journalism, thus, resulting into an accurate and unbiased news gathered from reliable sources," he stressed.

Lt. Gen. Sobejana said defending democratic principles is one of their top priority.

He stated that he used to see media personnel suffer from oppression and tyranny but now, the so-called "fourth estate" serves as the truth-bearers for the country.

"The media and the Philippine Army are quite the same. Both of us want transparency and accountability," the Army officer said.

He assured that the Philippine Army strictly adheres to the rule of law and respects press freedom.

"In behalf of the Philippine Army, we fully support PAPER.Ph and all media personnels," he said.

On the other hand, Board Member Angelica Jones Alarva of Laguna 3rd District reiterated that her priority is to help the provincial government ensure health and safety of the constituents.

She also expressed her admiration to all frontliners, health practitioners and military personnel for their unwavering service to Filipinos.

Meanwhile, the elected officers of PAPER.Ph are as follows: Ronije Daquigan, National President; Jude Briones, Executive Vice President; Joy Estrellado, General Secretary; Zerryvi Octavio, General Treasurer; Bonifacio Dacayanan, General Auditor; and Jerry Anche-

ta, General Information Officer. Daquigan, in his acceptance speech, compared their journey going to San Pablo City.

"There are roadblocks, checkpoints, humps, unfinished roads, and many other obstructions that slowed down our travel time but we arrived safely and successfully," he said.

Same with PAPER.Ph's journey, these obstructions that include amendment of our constitution and by-laws and many more challenges will slow our journey but we will succeed.

Laguna Gov. Ramil L. Hernandez, Vice-Gov. Karen Agapay, Cong. Ruth Hernandez, Cong. Sol Aragones, San Pablo City Mayor Loreto "Amben" Amante, and Solcom chief Lt. Gen. Antonio Parlade, Jr. among others, through their representatives expressed support to PAPER.Ph's advocacies.

The event was capped by a dinner at the Paseo de San Pablo sponsored by City Administrator Vicente B. Amante.

By Daniel Ian M. Asprec, News Correspondent, The Wednesday HERALD

### Ngayong panahon ng pandemya, ano nga ba ang laging #OOTD ng isang BIDA commuter?

Tignan ang aming infographics sa ibaba to find out, and share it with your friends! Basta't nag-iingat, tuloy ang Paskong Pinoy! Together, let us #BIDASolusyon sa COVID-19 for a #HealthyPilipinas! By Luigi Lim

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Nagsagawa ang City Social Welfare and Development Office ng Complementary Feeding Milk Program (CMP) for Malnourished Children sa Barangay Habay I at Molino II. Patuloy ang mga programang lokal para sa kapakanan ng mga mamamayan sa gitna ng pandemya.



### MRT-3 REACHES 60KPH OPERATING SPEED

Passengers just got an early Christmas gift from MRT-3 after the rail line boosted its train operating speed to 60kph yesterday, 07 December 2020, cutting the average time between trains to only 3.5 to 4 minutes (20 trains at 60kph) from the previous 8 to 9.5 minutes (20 trains at 30kph).

With this, travel time from North Avenue station to Taft Avenue will be shortened to only 50 minutes from the previous 1 hour and 15 minutes.

The improvement in train speed is a result of rail replacement works in the rail line, as part of the MRT-3's massive rehabilitation program, which is being implemented by its maintenance provider Sumitomo-Mitsubishi Heavy Industries from Japan.

The MRT-3 was able to complete its rail replacement works in September this year, several months ahead of its scheduled completion in February 2021.

"The increase in train speed will provide our passengers a safer, faster and more reliable public transportation. This is a significant accomplishment for the Department of Transportation (DOTr), headed by Sec. Arthur P. Tugade, and for the MRT-3 that aims to bring better performance and a brighter future for the passengers," MRT-3 Director for Operations Michael J. Capati said.

The rail line has been gradually increasing its train operating speed since it embarked on said massive rehabilitation project, from 30kph to 40kph in October, and 50kph in No-

vember 2020. The MRT-3 trains can now travel from North Avenue station to Shaw Boulevard station (both bounds) with a speed of 60kph, and from Shaw Boulevard station to Taft Avenue station (both bounds) with a speed of 55kph.

"During the first week of December, we have been performing test runs to ascertain the alignment and safety of railway tracks. We are targeting to increase the train operating speed to 60kph in the entire revenue line before this year ends, when all system checks have been performed to ensure compliance to safety standards," Director Capati added.

The last time the MRT-3 was able to run at 60kph was in September 2013. Source: DOTr

### 44 Bed Facility for COVID-19 patients completed by DPWH

(From page 6) Head Emil K. Sadain said that two (2) units of modular off-site hospital with a total of 44 beds is targeted to be completed before Christmas.

Also present during the project inspection are members of the DPWH Task Force namely Directors Eric Ayapana, Ernesto Gregorio, Aristarco Doroy, and Edgardo Garces.

DPWH is putting up at Quezon Institute compound five (5) modular hospitals with total bed capacity of 110 for moderate to severe/critical patients.

Once completed, the Department of Health (DOH) will manage these

facilities with Jose Reyes Memorial Hospital.

The modular hospital was designed by the DPWH Task Force in coordination with DOH to have specific rooms for the donning or putting on of health care professionals' personal protective equipment (PPE) such as disposable gowns, gloves and shoe covers and area for doffing or taking off of PPEs in order to protect and limit spread of contamination.

The field modular hospital will also have a copper tube for oxygen and tanks, separate nursing station, equipment laboratory, pantry, storage, CCTV lines, and monitor-

ing board. Other than the modular hospital facilities, Undersecretary Sadain also reported the completion of two (2) dormitories put up by DPWH at Quezon Institute compound.

These offsite dormitories will serve as temporary shelter for some 64 health workers manning the hospital operations at Quezon Institute, said Undersecretary Sadain.

Undersecretary Sadain further stated that as of today, there are already 462 healthcare facilities completed by DPWH nationwide serving 17,935 beds capacity in this pandemic. Source: DPWH

### City Government of Imus



#### Imus National High School unveils solar panels for education, environmental sustainability

The Imus National High School (INHS) formally launched its solar panels through the Legacy Projects of the City Government of Imus and the Green School Program (GSP).

INHS has switched to environmental-friendly alternatives to sustain its increasing energy demand due to the COVID-19 pandemic, which forced the citizens of Imus to use more electricity to cope with the new normal of education.

IN THE NEWS



### PH and China co-chair first ASEAN-CHINA cyber dialogue



#### DICT Assistant Secretary Emmanuel Rey Caintic delivers the opening remarks during the 1st ASEAN-China Cyber Dialogue with the participants of the activity.

Recognizing the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on cyberspace, the Philippines, as the current Country Coordinator for ASEAN-China Dialogue Relations, co-chaired with China the inaugural Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) - China Cyber Dialogue via video conference on 07 December 2020. The meeting also coincides with the ASEAN-China Year of Digital Economy Cooperation.

Information and Communications Technology Assistant Secretary Emmanuel Rey Caintic co-chaired the meeting with the Coordinator for Cyber Affairs of China's Ministry of Foreign Affairs Mr. Wang Lei, and highlighted that the Dialogue was a shared endeavor of ASEAN and China to strengthen cooperation and exchanges towards a safe and secure cyberspace. "Cyber cooperation, now more than ever, plays an important role in spearheading and bringing forth numerous opportunities for innovative areas of cooperation between ASEAN and China," Assistant Secretary Caintic said, noting how the digital economy is now at the forefront of countries' priorities. Among the topics discussed were the general situation in cyberspace, policies and mechanism building, global governance and rules-making in cyberspace, pragmatic cooperation in the region, and Philippines' efforts to enhance its cyber capabilities, including the establishment of cyber threat intelligence and analysis centers to build long-term resiliency of the National Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-PH), conducting and participating in cybersecurity training and certification programs, including drills and readiness programs to prepare for cyber-attacks.

Source: DFA

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT  
FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION  
BRANCH 131  
TRECE MARTIRES CITY

IN THE MATTER OF THE CORRECTION OF ENTRIES IN THE CERTIFICATION OF LIVE BIRTH IN THE LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRY OF TRECE MARTIRES CITY.

NEIL ADRIAN SAYGAN PULIDO also known as NEIL ADRIAN P. PENALES  
Petitioner

-versus- SP. PROC. CASE NO. TMSF-010-20 FOR: CORRECTION OF ENTRY

SPS. ARNEL FOJAS PENALES and MA. IMELDA SAYGAN PULIDO and NEIL ALDRIN P. PENALES

LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRY OF TRECE MARTIRES CITY

Respondents,

X-----X

#### ORDER

A verified Petition for Correction of entry in the certificate of live birth of NEIL ADRIAN SAYGAN PULIDO also known as NEIL ADRIAN PULIDO PENALES dated October 01, 2020 was filed by Petitioner, thru counsel.

Finding the Petition to be sufficient in form and substance, the same is hereby given due course.

Let a copy of the Petition and all its Annexes be furnished the Office of the Solicitor general together with this Order before this case will be set for hearing, to determine whether the city or provincial prosecutor will be designated by the Solicitor General to represent it.

Let the same be furnished the Office of the Civil Registrar General, Office of the Local Civil Registrar of Trece Martires City, private respondents and all interested parties. Furthermore, let the same order be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the Philippines, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks at the expense of the petitioner.

Lastly, furnish a copy of this Order and the Petition to the Office of the Clerk of Court, Regional Trial Court, Trece Martires City, for inclusion in the raffle for publication.

Let the Court monitor compliances on December 29, 2020, in chambers.

SO ORDERED.

Trece Martires City, October 8, 2020.

HON. JEAN DESUASIDO-GILL  
Presiding Judge, RTC Br. 131  
Assisting Judge to RTC Br. 23  
(A.M. 170-2019)

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION  
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT  
BRANCH 88  
CAVITE CITY

IN THE MATTER OF THE CORRECTION OF AN ENTRY IN THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF TEOFILO G. NIETO, JR.,

TEOFILO G. NIETO, JR.,  
Petitioner,

-versus- SP PROC. NO. N-9251 For: Correction of Entries in the Certificate of Live Birth

THE LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRAR OF THE CITY OF CAVITE

Respondent.

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#### ORDER

A verified petition has been filed by TEOFILO G. NIETO, JR., praying that an order be issued directing the Local Civil Registrar of City of Cavite to correct certain entries in his Certificate of Live Birth, to wit:

"WHEREFORE, it is most respectfully prayed of this Honorable Court that after due notice, publication, and hearing, judgment be rendered, changing the correct year of birth of petitioner from 1968 appearing in his Certificate of Live Birth to 1967 accordingly."

Considering that the petition is sufficient in form and substance, notice is hereby given that the petition is set for hearing on January 20, 2021 at 1:30 p.m. before this Court, on which date, hour and place, interested parties may appear and show cause why the same should not be granted.

Let this Order be published once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the City and Province of Cavite, and let copies of the petition and this Order be furnished the Office of the Solicitor General, the Philippine Statistics Authority and the Local Civil Registrar of the City of Cavite, Cavite.

SO ORDERED.

Cavite City, November 5, 2020.

FRANCO PAULO R. ARAGO  
Presiding Judge

CD-Nov. 30, Dec 7 & 14, 2020