

Ponce: DSWD’s 4Ps mobile phones not from taxpayer’s money

“Liwanagin po natin, wala pong ginastos ang ating pamahalaan sa mga cellphone na ito. Hindi po natin ginamit ang pera ng mga taxpayers para makabili ng cellphone at mai-pamigay sa ating mga beneficiaries.”

This was the explanation made by Division Chief (DC) Marie Grace Ponce of the Social Marketing Division (SMD) of the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4Ps) as she shed light on queries regarding the distribution of mobile phones to 4Ps beneficiaries during the April 2 episode of the DSWD’s online program, “4Ps Fastbreak.”

According to DC Ponce, the mobile phones were donated by the Globe Telecom and G-Xchange,

Inc. (GXI), the operator of GCash, to help 4Ps grantees who are at Level 1 or Survival Level of well-being and those living in Geographically Isolated and Disadvantaged Areas (GIDA) to easily access their cash grants via digital apps so they no longer need to withdraw from automated teller machines (ATMs).

DC Ponce also explained that the provision of mobile phones will help 4Ps beneficiaries to access and maximize the benefits of the country’s digital financial system since they will be able to apply the knowledge that they gained on digital financial literacy from their Family Development Sessions (FDS). “Ito yung gusto natin i-explore at itu-

ro sa mga beneficiaries natin na may mga iba’t ibang pamamaraan kung paano nila ma-mamaximize yung ino-offer ng technology at nung e-wallet,” DC Ponce told 4Ps Fastbreak.

The mobile phone distribution is part of the “e-Panalo ang Kinabukasan” financial digital initiative of the 4Ps that aims to educate, inform, and encourage beneficiaries to utilize digital applications for managing their finances, especially for the beneficiaries living in remote areas.

On March 18, some 50 beneficiaries from the Cities of Navotas and Malabon received mobile phones from the agency’s private partners.

The mobile phone distribution will also be rolled out in the Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), MIMAROPA, and Davao Region in the coming months. he 4Ps is the national poverty reduction strategy and a human capital investment program of the Philippine government, with DSWD as the lead agency. Eligible household-beneficiaries are entitled to receive cash subsidies provided that the conditions on health, nutrition, and education are followed.

The ‘4Ps Fastbreak’ is hosted by Information Officer Venus Balito of the Strategic Communication Group’s Digital Media Service (DMS) and is aired every Wednesday, 11 am, using the DSWD’s Facebook platform. (AKDL)

Source: DSWD

City Government of Imus

83 kasambahay sa Imus nalaman ang kanilang mga karapatan at benepisyp sa Batas Kasambahay Orientation

Sa pakikipagtunglungan sa Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), isinagawa ng Public Employment Service Office (PESO) ang Batas Kasambahay Orientation noong Biyernes, Marso 28, 2025, sa Wellness Center, New Imus City Government Center.

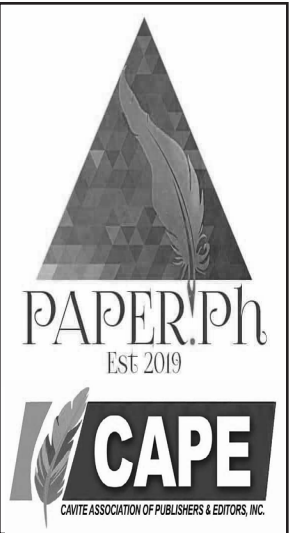
Ipinaliwanag ni Labor Employment Officer III Aileen Karrina Jardin ng DOLE sa 83 kasambahay sa Imus ang kanilang mga karapatan at benepisyo sa ilalim ng Republic

Act No. 10361, o “Batas Kasambahay.” Pinalawig naman ni City Local Government Operations Officer Roxanne Vicedo ang Implementing Rules and Regulations ng nasabing batas.

Natutunan din ng mga kasambahay ang mga benepispong makukuha nila sa pagiging miyembro ng Pag-IBIG Fund, SSS, at PhilHealth sa tulong nina Eden Almadin at Mary Grace Belicano ng Pag-IBIG Fund, Shiela Perez ng SSS, at Social Insur-

ance Officer I Ferdinand Chan ng PhilHealth.

Dumalo rin dito si Officer-in-Charge Dr. Emanuel Paredes ng Office of the City Tourism Heritage Officer bilang kinatawan ni Imus City Mayor Alex “AA” L. Advincula at PESO Manager Clarita Casing. Sa pamamagitan ng Batas Kasambahay Orientation, napag-alaman ng mga kasambahay kung paano maprotektahan ang kanilang mga sarili, gayon din ang kanilang mga benepisyo.



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Special committee dives into PUV Modernization issues

Transportation Secretary Vince Dizon on Monday signed Special Order No. 2025-152 creating the Special Committee on the Review of the Public Transport Modernization Program (PTMP) to iron out issues involving the modernization program, following the clamor.

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City Government of Carmona

DENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM NG CHO CARMONA SA BARANGAY LANTIC AT CARMONA ESTATES



Bumisita ang Office of the City Health Officer sa mga Health Centers ng Barangay Lantic at Carmona Estates para magdaos ng isang Dental Health Program para sa 40 na pasyente mula sa mga nasabing lugar. Dito ay nagsagawa ng oral examination at libreng tooth extraction para sa mga nasabing pasyente.

Ang programang ito ay bahagi ng mga hakbang ng Pamahalaang Lungsod ng Carmona upang mailapit ang mga medikal na serbisyo para sa mga mamamayan.



PH shows leadership in Child Protection efforts at UN Engagement in NYC

The Philippines reinforced its status as a pathfinder in safeguarding children and upholding their rights during a series of high-level engagements with the United Nations, including the Special Representatives of the UN Secretary General on Children and Armed Conflict (SRSG-CAAC) and on Violence Against Children,

Ms. Virginia Gamba and Ms. Najat Maalla M’jid, respectively, on 26-28 March 2025.

In a meeting with UN SRSG-CAAC Virginia Gamba on 27 March 2025, the Philippines, represented by Undersecretary Angelo Tapaes of the Council for the Welfare of Children, highlighted the success of its sustained

peace initiatives and robust national policies.

These efforts have led to a sharp decline in grave child rights violations (GCRVs) in conflict areas from seventy-nine (79) cases in 2019 to only nine (9) in 2024, as noted in the UN Secretary-General’s Report. Since the Philippines first appeared

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PhilHealth's Expanded Benefits Bring Financial Relief to Dialysis Patients

"Nagpapasalamat po ako sa PhilHealth at inalibre na po lahat. Marami pong natutulungan na kapwa ko nagda-dialysis," said Victoria M. Lanuza, a 66-year-old dialysis patient from Lelemaan, Manaoag, Pangasinan.

Victoria has been undergoing hemodialysis for two years, a treatment she started after being diagnosed with diabetes. She expressed her heartfelt gratitude to PhilHealth for covering the full cost of her treatment — a support that has greatly benefited many other dialysis patients like

her. This financial relief is due to PhilHealth's increase in its benefit package rate for Hemodialysis to Php6,350.00 per session, which took effect on October 9, 2024. This expanded coverage aims to ensure no-copayment for Filipinos undergoing Hemodialysis. Filipinos diagnosed with Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) Stage 5 and registered in the PhilHealth Dialysis Database (PDD) can now avail of up to 156 hemodialysis sessions per year, which means PhilHealth will now shoulder up to



Php990,600.00 in dialysis treatment costs per patient annually. Jenilyn Sebastian, 34 years old dialysis

patient from Flores, San Manuel, Pangasinan also thanked PhilHealth, noting that the enhancement has enabled her to receive regular injections without financial burden.

"Hindi na po kami magbabayad, pati yung mga laboratory hindi na rin, lalong-lalo na po yung Ipo (Ipotein) na minsan tinitipid na rin po naming yung pag-inject namin kasi mahal po siya dati," she said.

PhilHealth's enhanced coverage now includes essential support for patients such as drugs

and medicines for anemia management and anticoagulation, laboratory tests, medical supplies, and administrative costs ensuring patients like Jenilyn receive the care they need without financial hardship.

This financial support extends beyond dialysis sessions as PhilHealth also provides 45 days annual benefit specifically for hospital confinements, offering additional relief for patients who require frequent hospitalization due to complications or other related health concerns. "Malaking tulong po tala-

ga samin ang PhilHealth, ganun na rin po kapag nacoconfine din po ako, malaking kabawasan din po yung PhilHealth po sa akin kaya maraming salamat po," said Maricel D. Alcaide, 39 years old dialysis patient from Rosario, Pozorrubio, Pangasinan.

Through the enhanced benefits for Hemodialysis, PhilHealth continues to provide much-needed support to dialysis patients, helping ease their financial burdens and improving their access to essential healthcare. Source: PhilHealth

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Under the special order, Sec. Dizon directed its members to consult with various stakeholders, evaluate and review status and progress, and identify issues as well as concerns of the PTMP.

The committee will be chaired by the Transportation Undersecretary for Road Transport and Non-Infrastructure with its members comprising of the Undersecretary for Road Transport and Infrastructure, Assistant Secretary for Road Transport and Non-Infrastructure,

Office of Transportation Cooperatives (OTS) Chairman, and Land Transportation Office (LTO) Assistant Secretary.

The committee is expected to submit to Sec. Dizon its recommendations regarding the PTMP next week.

Source: DOTr

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in the report in 2003, it has made significant strides in child protection, a testament to its unwavering dedication to building a safer and more just society for every child.

"The Philippines carries forward a strong record of effective action — strengthening protections, institutionalizing safeguards, and ensuring that no child is left vulnerable to conflict," affirmed Undersecretary Tapales. As part of his engagement with the SRSG, Undersecretary Tapales outlined the Philippines' continued commitments for further strengthening child protection mechanisms.

SRSG Gamba commended the Philippines for its leadership and progress, particularly the institutionalization of key frameworks for child rights protection, including the 4th National Plan of Action for Children (NPAC) and Executive Order No. 79, which established the MAKABATA Program and its dedicated helpline for reporting child rights violations.

The Philippines expressed its readiness to take up the SRSG's invitation for the country to serve as a model for best practices and to share its lessons on child protection

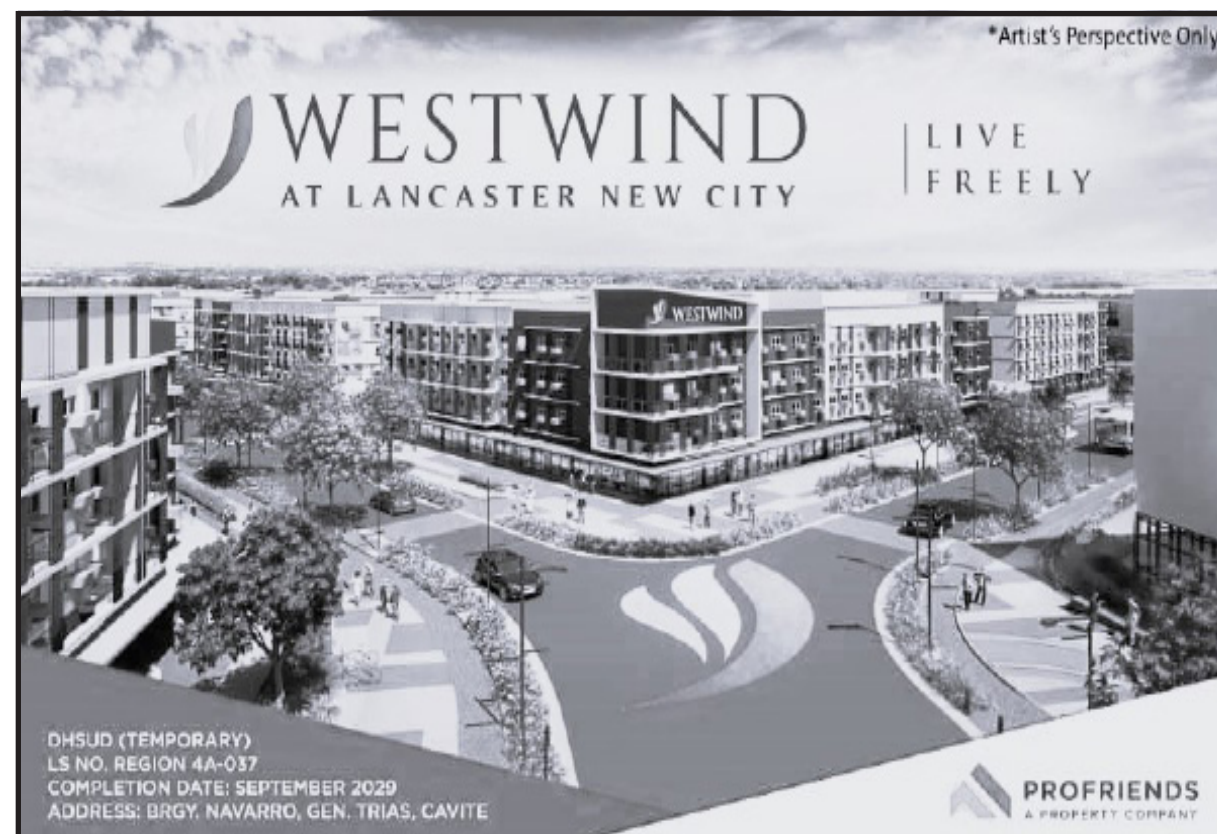
with other nations, including in the region.

Undersecretary Tapales also met with UN SRSG on Violence Against Children (VAC) Dr. Najat Maalla M'jid on 26 March as a follow up to the Philippines' participation in the First Global Ministerial Conference on Ending VAC held in Bogotá in November 2024.

SRSG M'jid cited the Philippines for its swift and concrete actions, including the establishment of the National Coordinating Center for Online Sexual Abuse and Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Child Sexual Abuse and Exploitation Materials (CSAEM) under the Department of Justice, and the implementation of the Parent Effectiveness Services Program Act by the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD).

The country's engagements in New York reflect its highest-level commitment to child protection, with President Ferdinand R. Marcos reiterated the government's priority for children's welfare in November 2024,

when he emphasized that "in this age of Bagong Pilipinas, we commit to ensuring a child-friendly and child-sensitive society where every child enjoys their rights." Source: DFA



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City Government of Bacoor

Exciting News from Bacoor! Empowering Senior Citizens through Employment Opportunities

This morning, during City Government of Bacoor Flag Raising ceremony, the Public Employment Service Office Bacoor (PESO) with our 24/7 Mayor Strike B. Revilla.

Proudly announced a significant partnership with McDonald's (Golden Arches Development

Corporation) to provide employment opportunities for senior citizens in our community!

We are thrilled to collaborate with McDonald's in promoting inclusivity and providing meaningful employment opportunities for our senior citizens.

This partnership reflects our commitment to

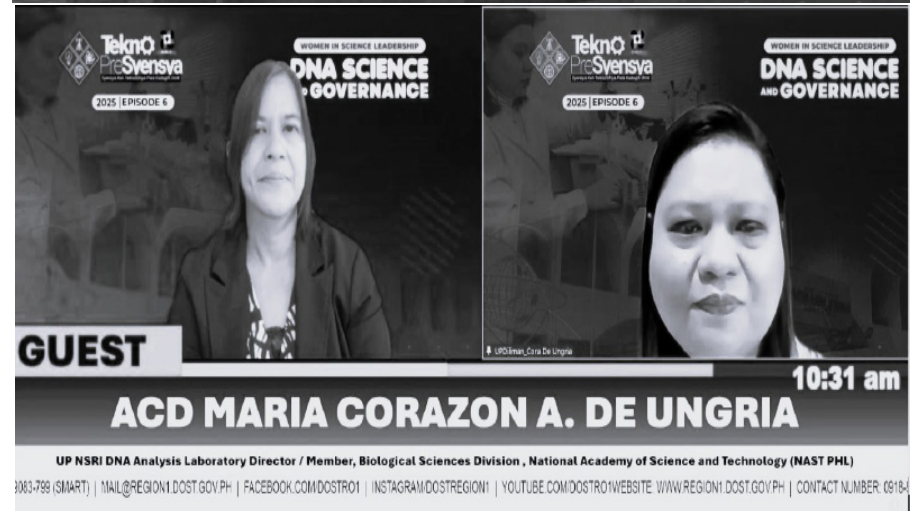
supporting all members of our community and ensuring they remain active and valued contributors.

Join us in celebrating this MILESTONE and spreading the word!

Let's work together to empower our seniors and make Bacoor an even more inclusive and vibrant community for everyone!



Filipino Scientist Showcases DNA Science as a Tool for Justice Reform



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with some spending four to seven years in detention without conviction. With the Philippines ranking third in the world for most crowded jails, forensic DNA has the potential to accelerate case resolutions and decongest detention facilities.

Beyond its legal implications, De Ungria underscored the importance of inspiring young women to pursue careers in forensic science. She stressed the need for institutional support to integrate forensic science into routine investigations and called for forensic science programs that encourage young students, particularly women, to take up roles in this crucial field.

She believes that fostering trust, perseverance, and excellence among young scientists is key to pushing the boundaries of forensic research.

She also highlighted the growing leadership of women in science, stating that many institutions are now women-led, and more opportunities are being created for women to take leadership roles.

De Ungria recognized the unique qualities that women bring to forensic science, such as empathy and meticulous attention to detail, which play a vital role in investigations and delivering justice.

As the field of forensic science continues to evolve, De Ungria encouraged collaboration

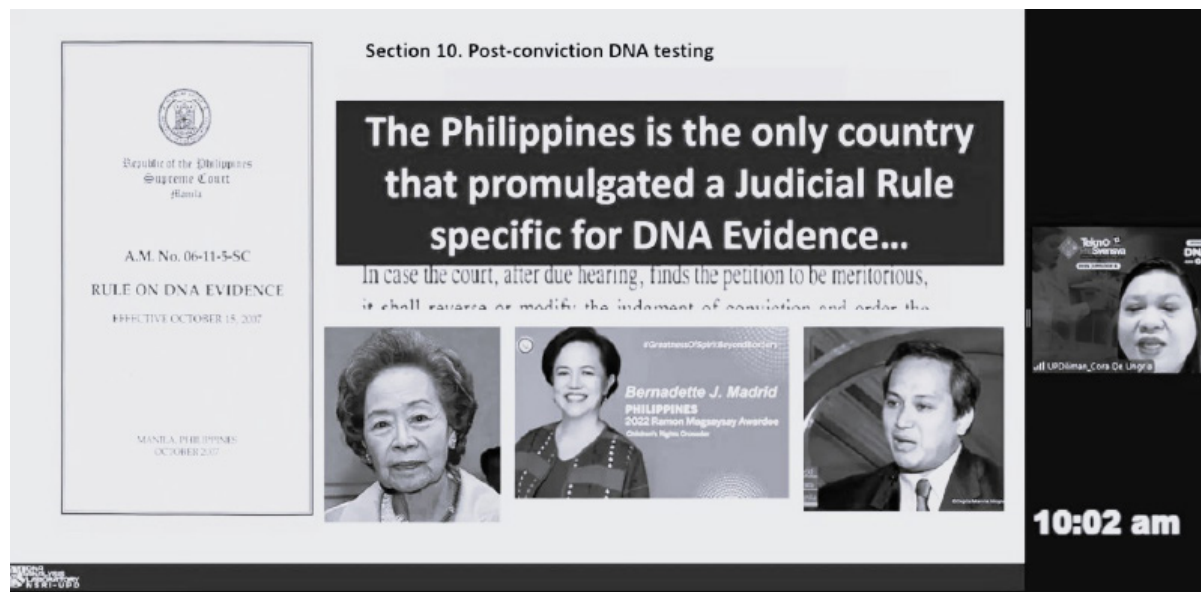
among scientists, law enforcement, and policymakers to ensure that forensic science remains apolitical, driven by ingenuity and excellence.

She called for a collective effort to recognize the social impact of forensic work, emphasizing that beneath the science are real people who rely on experts to uncover the truth.

Her insights serve as an inspiration for the next generation of women scientists, proving that leadership, innovation, and dedication know no gender. As we celebrate Women's Month, De Ungria's work stands as a testament to the invaluable contributions of women in forensic science and beyond.

Source: DOST

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By Christian Domini I. Casimiro, DOST-1 Forensic science,

Senator Pia Cayetano shares personal story and top advocacies on health, education, and energy in Tanza



Senator Pia S. Cayetano visited Tanza, Cavite for a multistakeholder meeting with over 200 community stakeholders—including barangay captains, Sangguniang Kabataan leaders, barangay health workers, religious leaders, and women.

She opened up about her personal journey as a mother, lawyer, and public servant, sharing how her

particularly DNA analysis, has transformed investigations worldwide by providing concrete biological evidence that helps identify suspects, exonerate

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experiences—including the loss of her father, the late Senator Rene Cayetano, to hepatitis B-related liver cancer, and her third child to a rare illness—shaped her drive to push for accessible healthcare, especially for women and children.

“Kaya ako tumakbo, kasi dama ko na dapat ipaglaban ang kababaihan, ang mga nanay at ang mga

the innocent, and ensure justice is served. In the Philippines, where the justice system grapples with prolonged detention and overcrowded jails, integrating forensic science into routine investigations could be a game-changer. In celebration of Women's Month, the Department of Science and Technology Region 1 (DOST Region 1), in partnership with DZAG Radyo Pilipinas Agoo, featured forensic scientist Academician Maria Corazon A. De Ungria in its Tekno Presyensya radio program on March 13, 2025. As the Director of the DNA Analysis Laboratory at the Natural Sciences Research Institute of the University of the Philippines Diliman (NSRI-UPD), De Ungria underscored the critical role of women in forensic science and the broader scientific community.

She emphasized that forensic DNA analysis not only aids in criminal investigations but also helps in ensuring fair justice. One of the biggest challenges she pointed out is the lengthy incarceration of individuals awaiting trial, particularly DNA analysis, viding concrete biological evidence that helps identify suspects, exonerate the innocent, and ensure justice is served. In the Philippines, where the justice system grapples with prolonged detention and overcrowded jails, integrating forensic science into routine investigations could be a game-changer. In celebration of Women's Month, the Department of Science and Technology Region 1 (DOST Region 1), in partnership with DZAG Radyo Pilipinas Agoo, featured forensic scientist Academician Maria Corazon A. De Ungria in its Tekno Presyensya radio program on March 13, 2025. As the Director of the DNA Analysis Laboratory at the Natural Sciences Research Institute of the University of the Philippines Diliman (NSRI-UPD), De Ungria underscored the critical role of women in forensic science and the broader scientific community.

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IN RE: ISSUANCE OF A NEW
OWNER'S DUPLICATE OF
TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF
TITLE NO. T-325049,

LRC CASE NO. 6832-063-24

SPOUSES LIZA T. DELA ROSA
AND ALBERTO S. DELA ROSA,
Petitioners.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Filed before this Court is a verified Petition for Issuance of a New Owner's Duplicate of Transfer Certificate of Title No. T-325049 issued by the Registry of Deeds for the City of Trece Martires; in the name of PEDRO C. PILLE married to LILIA M. PILLE, the registered owners.

After being satisfied that the Petition is sufficient in form and substance, the same is hereby set for initial hearing on June 30, 2025 and August 11, 2025, both at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which date, hour, and place any and all interested persons are required to appear and show cause why the Petition should not be granted.

Let a copy of this Notice of Hearing be published for three (3) consecutive weeks, at the expense of the petitioner, in a newspaper of general circulation, and be posted at the Trece Martires City Public Market, the City and the Barangay Halls where the property is situated, as well as on the land itself located at Cityland, Barangay De Ocampo, Trece Martires City, Cavite, and other copies be furnished to the Registry of Deeds for the City of Trece Martires, petitioners, and their counsel.

The Sheriff of this Court is hereby directed to post copies of this Notice accordingly. The petitioners are likewise directed to submit a copy of the Petition with its annexes to the Registry of Deeds for the City of Trece Martires.

Send a copy of this Order to the Office of the Clerk of Court (OCC) for raffle of the publication.

SO ORDERED.

Trece Martires City, Cavite, January 6, 2025.

GAYSOL C. LUNA
Presiding Judge

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