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Pahimis coffee festival

Dubbed as the "Coffee Capital of the Philippines" since it launched the 1st coffee festival in the country in 2002, the local government of Amadeo celebrated the 18th PAHIMIS Coffee Festival on February 22-24, 2019 - a thanksgiving tradition for the abundance of coffee, their prime agricultural crop that fuels growth of the town up to now. A tradition-

al ceremonial toast that marks the open-

ing program of PAHI-MIS 2019 was led by Amadeo Mayor Conrado Viado along with guests from the Department of Tourism, the Philippine Coffee Board.Inc. and the Office of the Provincial Governor. In his welcome message, Mayor Viado expressed gratefulness to Senator Cynthia Villar, Congressman Jon-Jon Ferrer and Governor Boying Remulla for all-out support their that made the event possible. More importantly, the mayor did not forget the coffee farmers who truly deserve all the recognition for their contribution to Amadeo's history and culture through a simple awarding rite to further acknowledge their heroism. Outstanding coffee farmers were given plaques of recognition to keep their passion for coffee production burning.

On the other hand, DOT Region IV-A OIC Regional Director Marites Castro challenged the province to institutionalize PAHIMIS in order to officially include the coffee festival celebration as one of the annual events in the national tourism calendar. Director Cas-

Hugpong ng Pagbabago takes campaign caravan in Bacoor



HNP Chairperson Sara Duterte brings the senatorial slate to Bacoor, Cavite with 16,500 supporters from all over the province of Cavite. The HNP senatorial slates were welcomed by municipal and city mayors from the Province of Cavite that includes the Bacoor City Mayor Lani Mercado Revilla, the wife of running senatoriable of the HNP, Sen. Bong Revilla.



Head over to SM City Calamba as the famous vlogger and YouTuber, Michelle Dy, will be doing a make- up tutorial this March 16, 2019, 4 PM. This event is in partnership with the SM Store and LA Girl.

tro urged for the assistance from the Provincial Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office headed by OIC Rozelle Sangalang concerning the institutionalization journey.

Meanwhile, Municipal Tourism Officer Jam Tibayan spearheaded the conduct of various activities that showcased Amadeo's pride including coffee farm tours, trade fairs and colorful street dance. Ms. Tibayan also thanked coffee advocate and Kape Isla Co-Chairperson Chit Juan, the DOT, DTI and the Department of Agriculture for their commitment and endeavors right from the very beginning of the PAHIMIS milestone.

Likewise, Ms. Tibayan thanked everyone who joined the trade fairs and parade especially Indang Municipal Councilor Ping Remula who was present on behalf

of Governor Boying Remulla.

The festival wouldn't be complete without the lively performance of street dancers in their coffee wearables. As such, LGU-Amadeo expressed appreciation to the cooperation of the academe, the teachers, parents and students of public and private schools in Amadeo who gave their best to the street dance competition. Amadeo National High School topped the judges' score for the secondary category, being hailed Champion and also proudly took home the Best in Costume Award; while Loma Elementary School bagged the same awards for the primary level. The performances lifted up the festive mood sky-high, making visitors and coffee enthusiasts hope for more in the coming years of PAHIMIS. (PICAD)



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But Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency director general Aaron Aquino is not inclined to disclose the "narco-list" because it could only make things more chaotic. Elections Commissioner Rowena Guanzon said releasing the list would be "unfair" as it is a form of negative campaigning.

Senator Aquilino Pimentel III said the Commission on Elections cannot prevent those on the list from running for office in May because "being on a list, even on a narco-list" is not recognized as a legal ground for disqualifying candidates.

And indeed the spokesman for the Comelec said candidates can still seek public office even if they are on the list, because only a final conviction can disqualify them from seeking a public post.

The matter could be decided by answering one question: How much can the list be actually trusted?

What guarantee do we have that the list contains every name that must be there, and that it does not contain names that must not be there?

Only until we are sure of the merits of the vetting process can we even begin to debate on whether or not it is prudent to make the list public.

Without this certainty, it would be wiser to hold off the naming and shaming, and simply let voters discern for themselves whether or not a person awash with unexplained cash, for instance, deserves the post he or she is seeking

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Kurvente' bicam nod

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MANILA -- The congressional bicameral conference committee on Thursday approved the "Murang Kuryente" bill, which seeks to reduce the country's electricity rates.

Senator Sherwin Gatchalian, chair of the Senate committee on energy and co-author of the bill, said it proposes the use of the PHP208-billion Malampaya Fund to pay off the stranded contract costs and stranded debt of the National Power Corporation.

The said items are passed on to consumers through the universal charge in the monthly electric bill.

He said around 60 to 70 percent of the total PHP208-billion Malampaya fund will be used to pay for the said items while the remainder will be used to fund the exploration of energy resources.

Gatchalian said the bill would help lower the cost of electricity and provide significant consumer savings for Filipinos. For a household consuming 200 kilowatt hours (kWh) per month, Gatchalian said this would result in savings of almost PHP170 per month.

PHP1 "Almost ang matitipid ng ating mga consumers at para sa ordinary consumers, yung mga kumukunsumo ng 200 kWh per month, almost PHP170 ang matitipid niya kada buwan. More or less lumalabas almost four kilos of rice yung matitipid ng isang ordinaryong pamilya (Consumers can save up to PHP1 [per kWh] and those who consume 200 kWh per month can save up to almost PHP170 monthly. More or less, almost four kilos of rice can be saved up by an ordinary family),' Gatchalian said.

He noted that around 16 million households would benefit from this bill once it is enacted into law. (PNA

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Senator Win Gatchalian is urging the Department of Energy (DOE) and the National Biofuels Board (NBB) to thoroughly study the proposal of the Department of Agriculture to increase coconut content in biodiesel from two percent to five percent, particularly its impact on the pump price of diesel.

Gatchalian, chair of the Senate Committee on Energy and co-chair of the Joint Congressional Biofuels Oversight Committee, made the call after Agriculture Secretary Emmanuel Piñol announced he will be lobbying for the increase of biofuel content in diesel from B2 to B5 to absorb oversupply in the copra industry.

B2 biodiesel is a blend of two percent agricultural products and 98 percent clean diesel, while B5 biodiesel is a blend of five percent agricultural products and 95 percent clean diesel

The lawmaker pointed out that is paramount for the NBB, an advisorv body to the DOE, to study whether an increase to five percent blend is warranted and whether the local production of feedstock is sufficient to meet present and future demand.

To DOE, NBB: Weigh consumer impact of raising coconut biodiesel content

the biofuel content from B2 to B5, especially with the recent implementation of the new round of increases in the excise tax on fuel in January. After all, the law requires the recommendation of the NBB before the DOE decides to increase the blend," Gatchalian said.

"Sa kanilang gagawing pag-aaral, dapat isaalang-alang ng DOE at ng NBB ang kapakanan ng nakararaming Pilipino na ngayon pa lamang nakabawi sa kaliwa't kanan na pagtaas ng presyo ng langis noong nakaraang taon," he added.

Citing the study his office conducted, Gatchalian estimated that increasing the biofuel content in diesel from B2 to B5 may result in a 7.5 percent increase, equivalent to ₱2.86, in the pump price of biodiesel.

Gatchalian pointed out that an ordinary jeepney driver, who consumes around 15 liters of diesel per day, might need to tighten his belt further since he will be expected to shell out an additional ₱1,286.30 per month if the blend is increased: an amount Gatchalian said could instead be used to buy a half sack of rice or additional aroceries

Furthermore, the lawmaker recalled that during the last Joint Congressional Oversight Committee on Biofuels hearing, there had been concerns of lack of feedstock, which he said prevented the DOE from mandating the increase from the current two percent blend.

Data from the DOE shows that for biodiesel, the annual capacity in 2017 was 574.9 million liters but production was only at 39 percent of capacity.

Meanwhile, Gatchalian said the Joint Congressional Oversight Committee is set to conduct a hearing on DA's proposal to increase the biodiesel blend in the fuel market from 2 percent to 5 percent to cushion the falling prices of copra.

"I hope that we can agree on action steps in order to move the industry forward and attain the goal of energy "The DOE and NBB should weigh the impact of increasing security and environmental sustainability as envisioned by the authors of the Biofuels Act," the lawmaker said.

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SM SANTA ROSA CELEBRATES ANILAG FESTIVAL WITH GINOO AT BINIBINING LAGUNA 2019

The first weekend of March saw the opening Laguna's ANILAG of Festival also known as "The Mother of Harvest Festivals," which showcases Laguna's rich culture, talented people and abundant harvests from the 6 cities and 24 towns of the province.

Opening rites led by Laguna were Ramil Her-Governor nandez and Senator Cynthia Villar at the provincial capitol grounds which featured creative booths and agricultural products the province is known for.

On its fourth day, ANILAG brought the talent portion of Ginoo at **Binibining Laguna at SM** Santa Rosa where candidates showed off their individual talents. All 49 contestants likewise displayed their modeling skills during a fashion show with creations from designers Pol Tapia and Ralph Rovero among others.



For its part, the SM Store celebrates ANILAG festival through a special sale from March 2-10 where shoppers can enjoy up to 50% discount on selected items.

During the opening rites, Gov. Ramil Hernandez told Lagunenses and visitors to the province to enjoy the week-long festival with the theme, "Sama-sama ang Pamilya sa Masayang Laguna (united as a family in a joyful Laguna)".

Aside from the Ginoo at Binibining Laguna, other events include the "Anilag" Color Run and Foam Party, body-building competition, Mari Gray and LGBTQ Queens Parade, as well as medical services at the HIV treatment hub at the Laguna Medical Center, the "Little Mr. and Ms. Laguna", and the Laguna Gay Queen and Lesbian King tilts.

LOS BAŇOS, Laguna - Around 22,194 teachers, who will compose the Electoral Boards (EBs) across Calabarzon Region for the May 13 mid-term elections, are up for certification starting Tuesday by the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) regional office here and authorized science and technology (S&T) agencies.

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Rochelle Cruz, head of the DOST-Calabar-zon Public Affairs, Relations and Communications Unit (PARCU), told the Philippine News Agency on Tuesday that the regional office, in partnership with the Commission on Elections (Comelec), will undertake anew the certification procedure for the EB members -- Board of Election Inspectors (BEI), Special Board of Election Inspectors (SBEI), Board of Election Tellers (BET), Special Board of Election Tellers (SBET). Cruz said the DOST Central Office, its re-

gional office here, along with the Philippine Council for Philippine Council for Agriculture, Aquatic and Natural Resources Research and Development (PCAARRD); Philippine Council for Industry, Energy, and Emerging Technology Research and Development (PCIEERD); and Advanced Science and Technology Institute (ASTI), have 34 certifiers and two quick response teams to conduct the certification of EB teacher members.

She said the certification period kicks off on March 5 until March 16 for the Calabarzon provinces of Laguna, Batangas, Rizal and Quezon; while Cavite has slated its registration from March 5 until March 23.

During the certification procedure, the public school teachers will undergo a seminar and training on the proper operations of the vote counting machines (VCM) by the Comelec before the issuance of DOST certification.

"The teachers assigned to the respective poll boards will also go through written and practical exams on the use of VCM to assess their readiness for the upcoming elections," Cruz said.

She further said the certification process is pursuant to Republic Act 9369, or the Automated Election System (AES) Law which amended Republic Act 8436, authorizing the Comelec to use an automated election system for the national or local elections in a bid to encourage transparency, credibility, fairness and accuracy of the polls

Cruz noted this is the fourth time the DOST is handling the EB certification with over 22,000 to be certified in the Calabarzon Region alone.

The S&T agencies have estimated more than 171,000 EBs that are up for certification all over the country before the May 13 mid-term polls, she added. (PNA)

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION REGIONAL TRIAL COURT IMUS, CAVITE BRANCH 22

CIVIL CASE NO. 6846-18

For: Declaration of Nullity of Marriage (Psychological Incapacity under Article 36 of the Family Code

ELEAZAR ALAGAR DEL ROSARIO, Petitioner.

- Versus -

MA. MIGNON MENDOZA DEL ROSARIO

Respondent.

PETITION

PETITONER, through undersigned counsel, unto this Honorable Court, most respectfully alleges that:

1. Petitioner, Eleazar A. Del Rosario, is a Filipino citizen, of legal age, married, and a resident of 81 Toclong II-A, Imus, Cavite for more than six (6) months until to this date. He may be furnished with processes of the Honorable Court at said address.

2. Respondent, Ma. Mignon Mendoza, is a legal age, married and a resident of Blk. 6, Lot 2, Phase 4, Soldier Hills 4, Molino, Bacoor, Cavite where she may be served with notices and processes of this Honorable Court.

3. Petitioner and Respondent met sometime in 1988 when Respondent visited her mother (who was known to Petitioner as Ate Lulu and will be referred here by the same name for brevity) who was then working at Philippine Tourism Authority (PTA for brevity). Petitioner who likewise worked at the same agency saw the Respondent when the latter once visited Ate Lulu and he immediately got attracted to her. It was love at first sight.

4. About June of 1988, Ate Lulu was able to help Respondent get a job at PTA as a timekeeper in one of the projects of the office which was the renovation of the Multi-purpose Hall. This gave Petitoner a window of opportunity to woe the heart of herein Respondent.

5. The Petitioner and Respondent immediately hit it off and soon enough, they became sweethearts. However, their relationship was kept secret because the Respondent did not want her mother to know. Her mother was very strict and did not want her to settle down immediately.

6. They have kept their relationship secret from the prying eyes and gossipy lips of the people around them. Not long enough, on or about November of 1989, Respondent proposed to Petitioner that they get married secretly. The latter agreed since he loved Respondent so much that he was willing to their marriage kept secret.

7. Since they were no longer minors, they were able to secure the necessary requirements for marriage. And so they got married on January 5, 1990 at Imus, Cavite.

Attached herein **Annex "A"** is a copy of the Parties ' Marriage Certificate.

8. On the day of their marriage, none of their family members were present as desired by the Respondent. They only had their close friends to witness their marriage. Their parents and family members were alienated to the fact of their marriage.

9. Since no one in their families knew of the marriage , they both went to their respective homes after tying the knot.

10. This marriage was however discovered by the mother of Respondent, Ate Lulu. It happened when the parties applied for the housing loan and Ate Lulu learned that Petitioner was Respondent co-Maker. Ate Lulu inquired from the Parties how they were able to secure a loan from GSIS with Petitioner as co-maker of her daughter if they were not married.

11. Realizing that lying further would be pointless, Petitioner and Respondent admitted to Ate Lulu that they had a secret marriage. The latter cried in disappointment.

12. The Parties then moved into the house they bought and lived together as husband and wife. They lived

happily together at first and soon, they were blessed with their first daughter whom they named as Marielle Ysabel M. Del Rosario. She was born on August 1, 1991.

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Attached herein as **Annex "B"** is a copy of the Certificate of Live Birth of Marielle Ysabel M. Del Rosario

13. Then on April 1, 1996, they were again blessed with their second child, Juan Miguel Mendoza Del Rosario.

Attached herein as **Annex "C**" is a copy of the Certificate of Live Birth of Juan Miguel Mendoza Del Rosario.

14. Petitioner and Respondent then worked at the same agency but in different departments. They always went to the office back home together except when Respondent had a meeting outside of their work.

15. Their relationship was plagued with different problems and that included Petitoner's concern that Respondent was too friendly with men. When confronted, Respondent would always counter that she has no brother so she was close to boys.

16. The Respondent brought her work at home even on weekends and spent meager amount of time with her family and that forced them to hire a nanny to take care of their children. It even appeared to Petitioner that Respondent preferred work than her children and him.

17. The Petitioner also sometimes had to do the household chores such as going to the wet market, cooking, and taking care of their children because the Respondent did not have time to those. Petitioner patiently tried to understand Respondent's choices but still, thse decisions and traits of the latter sparked arguments between them.

18. The only aspect where Respondent was very much willing to share equally is in the expenses of their family; as to time, she obviously had more for her work.

19. In the year 1997, the attitude of the Respondent or her lack of time for the family worsened when he was assigned as Project Engineer in the Boracay Environmental Infrastructure Project. During this time, Petitioner suspected that Respondent was having an affair.

20. The Respondent always had out-of-town meetings after office hours and spent more time travelling than to be with her family. The Petitioner once talked to the respondent about this problem but the Respondent did not want to discuss.

21. In 1999, the Parties were blessed with their third child, Eins Miguel Mendoza Del Rosario.

Attached herein as **Annex "D"** is a copy of the Certificate of Live Birth of Eins Miguel Mendoza Del Rosario.

22. Before the birth of their third child, the Petitioner asked the Respondent to resign from her work so she can look after their children but she did not agree. She insisted if she stops working, it will be hard for them to support their children. The Petitioner did not buy this excuse because he believed he could provide for the family.

23. It frustrated the Petitioner that Respondent did not have time for their children and yet, she would use more of her time off work to meet and travel with her college schoolmates. One time, Respondent told the Petitioner that she and her college friends planned to go to Hong Kong. The Respondent asked the Petitioner to go with them but the Petitioner declined the offer and explained that he would rather spend the money for their children instead of this travel expenses.

24. The Respondent still went to Hong Kong. When Petitioner picked her up at the airport when she returned, she was alone. He asked the Respondent where her friends were and she said that they are already left but the Petitioner had a bad feeling about it.

25. One day, while the Petitioner was alone in their house, he went through Respondent's documents. That was when the Petitioner found out that the Respondent was with her ex-boyfriend when she went to Hong Kong and even stayed in the same hotel room together. Since the Petitioner did not want to ruin their family, he kept to himself whatever he discovered including his hurt feelings. It was then that Petitioner also realized that for a while now, Respondent been passive and cold towards him.

26. Respondent is used to making decisions without consulting the Petitioner which frustrated the latter such as when she decided that she would go to the US. She applied for a US Visa but got denied twice until she was able to ask from someone she met at work in Boracay for a letter of recommendation. She was given a Visa with multiple entry for

ten (10) years.

27. One day, the Petitioner received a call from a woman who introduced herself as a wife of Jose Junsay, Respondent's ex-boyfriend and the man who she was with when she went to Hong Kong. The woman told the Petitioner that her husband and the Respondent always met in secret in Boracay before and so pleaded with the Petitioner to do something to stop the Respondent and Jose's affair. This fact learned by Petitioner even made him doubt whether their third child is his.

28. Unable anymore to contain his hurt feelings, Petitioner confronted the Respondent who was already giving him cold treatments. This started frequent fights between the Parties which they tried to hide from their children because they did not want their children to be affected by it. The Petitioner hoped that the Respondent would stop her wrong doings but she still continued her affair with Jose.

29. In 2006, the Petitioner's father suffered from stroke which prompted the former to stay at his parent's house so he can take care of his father. He explained to his kids why he could not go home yet. When Petitioner's father died in May 24, 2006, he still stayed in his parent's house to be with his mother. Despite his failure to stay at their house during those times, he always fetched his children every Saturdays so he can have time with and brought them back to their mother on Sundays.

30. The Respondent went back to America on or about 2006 and 2007. Petitioner was surprised when their family friend, Agnes Bocar, asked the Petitioner one time if he would sign a divorce paper should Respondent send one. He simply said yes as he was already tired of Respondent's unfaithfulness. After some months, Agnes Bocar asked again the Petitioner if he would let Mimi take all their children to America and he said yes if that is what the children wanted.

31. Petitioner was not surprised anymore when the divorce paper came. This confirmed his suspicion that the Respondent had been seeing or living with her ex-boyfriend Jose Junsay everytime she goes to the United States and had in fact planned on settling down there. He knew that he could no longer do anything to change Respondent's mind so he signed it reluctantly. Then the State of Nevada granted the Divorce Decree.

Attached herein as $\mbox{Annex}\ ``\mbox{E}"$ is a copy of the Divorce Decree

32. The Petitioner did his best to keep his family together but the Respondent had her plans with another man. Despite signing the divorce paper, Petitioner still hoped that Respondent would return to him and their children. He was however disappointed.

33. Prior to the filling of this Petition, Petitioner consulted psychiatrist in the name of Dra. Ma. Bernadette Arcena for the psychiatric evaluation which was made into writing.

Attached herein is a copy of the Psychiatric Evaluation as Annex 'F"

34. Based on the psychiatric evaluation, both Petitioner and Respondent were found to be suffering from psychological incapacity which makes their marriage void ab initio or void from the beginning.

35. According to Dra. Arcena, the Petitioner met criteria of a person with both narcissistic and obsessive-compulsive personality traits. Quoting the report from psychiatric evaluation as to Petitioner's narcissistic trait:

"Petitoner has a grandiose sense of self-importance. He expects the respondent to condone with him and to be more superior than she was. He requires constand admiration and affirmations that he was the more dominant partner. He wanted the respondent to automatically comply with his expectations and demanded her to comply with him.

The petitioner lacks empathy and could not identify with the hurts and the pains that the respondent had gone through because of his narcissistic attitude. He showed arrogant and haughty behavior toward his wife."

As to his Obsessive – Compulsive Personality Disorder, Dr. Arcena has this to say:

"The petitioner is preoccupied with mental and interpersonal control, is excessively devoted to work and productivity and showed rigidity and stubbornness and inflexibility.

His obsessive-compulsive personality disorder had its antecedence of having a harsh discipline during his childhood years.

The root causes of the petitioner's personality disorder are the problems that lie on having a strict paternal figure, rigid

parental-child relationship which created confusion that lead to his dominance, his narcissistic need and his preoccupation to interpersonal control, showing rigidity and stubbornness. The obsessive-compulsive personality traits came also from having a and a rigid environment in their growing up years."

36. The Respondent likewise was found to have a personality disorder and Dra. Arcena said in her report that:

"..the following symptoms were met by the respondent: having unstable relationships with the petitioner, impulsivity, ambivalence, unstable self-images and difficulty in controlling anger."

37. Accordance to Dra. Arcena, the personality disorder of the petitioner existed prior to the onset of the marriage. It is characterized with a lifetime course, poor prognosis and outcome. It has no treatment modalities and has no cure. Such disorder is deeply rooted in Petitioner's psyche with its existence during childhood stage and carried on until the present time.

38. Further, Dra. Arcena found that "the personality disorder of the petitioner run a long-lasting, lifetime and permanent course. It is a grave and chronic enough such that it created a disastrous outcome of the marriage of the petitioner and the respondent. The personality disorder of the petitioner made him incapacitated to comply with his marital obligations to his wife.

39. Based on the report, "the PERSONALITY DIS-ORDERS of the petitioner and the respondent destroyed their marriage. Both were unable to fulfill their marital obligations because of their personality disorders." As such, the Psychiatrist recommended that the marriage of the petitioner and the respondent be annulled.

40. Hence, Petitioner filed this Petition for Nullity of Marriage under Article 36 of the Family Code which states that:

'ART. 36. A marriage contracted by any party who, at the time of the celebration, was psychologically incapacitated to comply with the essential marital obligations of marriage, shall likewise be void even if such incapacity becomes manifest only after its solemnization."

41. The parties have no properties owned in common and all of their children are already of majority age.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, Petitioner most respectfully pray of this Honorable Court to render judgment declaring null and void ab initio the marriage of the Parties, on the ground that the Petitioner and/or the Respondent is/are Psychologically Incapacitated to perform the essential marital obligations which makes their marriage void ab initio.

Other reliefs just and equitable under the premises are likewise prayed for.

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES FOUR JUDICIAL REGION REGIONAL TRIAL COURT BRANCH 15, NAIC, CAVITE

FNC-2018-1713 For: Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of Real Estate Mortgage under Act 3135, as Amended by Act 4118

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND, (PAG-IBIG FUND0, Mortgagee,

- Versus -

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ALEX C BAJADE, Mortgagor/s.

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as Amended by Act 4118 filed by mortgagee, HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND with business address at 12th F, JELP Business Solutions Center, No. 409 Shaw Blvd., Mandaluyong City against the mortgagors, ALEX C BAJADE, with residence and postal address at 1st Reyville Subd., Manggahan, Bacoor City, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of October 03, 2018 amounts to FOUR HUNDRED FORTY TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT PESOS AND 90/100 (P442,348.90) Philippine Currency, including interest, and penalty charges as of said but excluding foreclosure expenses and all other charges as of said date, the undersigned sheriff will sell at public auction on June 04, 2019 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the main entrance of the Office of the Sheriff. located at the Provincial Capitol Building, Trece Martires City, Cavite, to the highest bidder for CASH and In Philippine Currency, the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-760215

"A PARCEL OF LAND (LOT 8, BLK. 76 OF THE SUB-DIVISION PLAN, Psd-04-093013, BEING A PORTION OF LOT 2533 SFD Malabon Estate, situated in the Bo. of Alang-Ilang, Mun. of General Trias, PROVINCE of CAVITE, Is. Of Luzon. Bounded on the SW., along line 1-2 by Lot Alley 50; on the NW., ALONG LINE 2-3 by Lot 9 Blk. 76; on the NE., along line 3-4 by Lot 34 Blk. 76; & on the SE., ALONG LINE 4-1 BY Lot 7 Blk. 76, all of the subd. Beginning at the pt. marked "1" on the plan x x x CONTAINING AN AREA OF **THIRTY SIX (36) SQUARE METERS x x x.**"

"All sealed bid must be submitted to the undersigned on the above stated time and date."

"In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on **JUNE 11, 2019** without further notice."

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

Trece Martires City, 04 March, 2019.

(SGD.) LUCIO C. ALEJO III Sheriff IV

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ALEX C BAJADE, 1st Reyville Subd., Manggahan, Bacoor Ciy, Cavite

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Foreclose Case No. F-309-18

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND, Mortgagee,

- Versus -

ANALISA O. GULLE

Mortgagor/s.

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as Amended by Act 4118 filed by mortgagee, HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (Pag-Ibig-Fund), mortgagee/petitioner, with office address at 12th F, JELP Business Solutions Center, No. 409 Shaw Blvd., Mandaluyong City against the , ANALISA O. GULLE with postal address at Lot 12, Block 42, Phase 3, Golden City Subdivision, Salawag, Dasmariñas City, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of July 10, 2018 amounts to TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT PESOS & 11/100 (P200,428.11) Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest, penalties and other charges, the undersigned sheriff will sell at public auction on March 28, 2019 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter at the main entrance of the Office of the Ex-Officio Sheriff at the Hall of Justice formerly Mayor Macario B. Pena Memorial Hall, Naic, Cavite, to the highest bidder for **CASH** and in Philippine Currency, the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-1353297

"A PARCEL OF LAND (LOT 31, BLK. 9 OF THE CON-SOLIDATION SUBDIVISION PLAN, PCS-04-021366 BEING A PORTION OF LOT 2,3 AND 6, PCS-04-21231, L.R.C. RECORD NO. ____), SITUATED IN BARANGAY TIMALAN, MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC,PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON. BOUNDED ON THE SE ALONG LINE 1-2 B LOT 1, PCS -04-021231 BLOCK 29; ON THE SW ALONG LINE 2-3 BY LOT 30 NLOCK 9; ON THE NW ALONG LINE 3-4 BY FOOTPATCH LOT 1, AND ON THE NE ALONG LINE 4-1 BY LOT 32NLOCK 9, ALL OF THE CONSOLIDATION SUBDIVIION PLAN. BE-GINNING AT A POINT MARKED "1" ON PLAN, BEING D 50-40 E, 885.56 M. FROM MON. 17 NAIC ESTATE, THENCE S 70-21 W, 4.00 M. TO POINT 2; N 19-39 W' .8.00 M. TO POINT 3; N 70-21 E, 4.00 . TO POINT 4; S 19-39 E,8.00 M. TO POINT OG BEGINNING, CON-TAINING AN AREA OF THIRTY TWO (32) SQUARE METERS X X X X.

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

Prospective bidders or buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves, the title herein above-described and the encumbranches thereon, if any there be.

"In case of the absence of any participating bidder on the schedule date, said auction sale will be reset and finally held on **April 04, 201**9 at the same place and time above-mentioned.

Naic, Cavite February 15, 2019

(SGD.) MA. CAROLINA M. POTENTE Sheriff IV

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ANALISA O. GULLE LOT 12, BLOCK 42, PHASE 3, GOLDEN CITY SUBD. SALAWAG, DASMARIÑAS, CAVITE

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION REGIONAL TRIAL COURT BRANCH 23 TRECE MARTIRES CITY

FORECLOSURE CASE NO. F-402-18

UNITED COCONUT PLANTERS BANK,

Mortgagee,

-versus-

SPS. JOEL V. ESPAÑOLA and SHERYL C. ESPAÑOLA Mortgagors.

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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee, **UNITED COCONUT PLANTERS BANK** with business address at UCPB Executive Bldg., Makati Ave., Makati City against the Mortgagors, **SPS. JOEL V. ES-PAÑOLA and SHERYL C. ESPAÑOLA**, with residence and postal address at 50 E Mendoza St., Buting, Pasig City and Blk. 12, Lot 27 Kensington 22, Brgy. Bacao I, Gen. Trias, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of November 1, 2018 amounts to **ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THIRTY FOUR THOUSAND FIFTY EIGHT PESOS AND 31/100 (P1,634,058.31),**Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest & penalty as of said date, & attorney's fees but exclusive of other obligation and charges that shall still accrue up to the date of the public auction, the undersigned Sheriff will sell at public auction on **MAR 26 2019 at 10:00 o'clock in th morning** at the main entrance of the Government Center Building, located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2017023047

Lot No. 27 Block No. 12 Plan No. Pcs-04-028977

Portion of: the cons-subd. of Lots 1632-A; 1632-B, 1632-C, Psd-04-134487; Lot 1631 (Frs-04-005440) & Lot 1642 (Rs-04-002863, San Francisco de Malabon Estate, Decreed 4270; LRC Rec. No. 5964

Location: Barangay of Bacao I, Municipality of Gen. Trias, Provinceof Cavite, Island of Luzon

Boundaries:

Line	Direction	Adjoining Lots
1-2	SE	Lot 5, Block 12, Pcs-04-028977
2-3	SW	Lot 28, Block 12, Pcs-04-028977
3-4	NW	Road Lot 26, Pcs-04-028977
4-1	NE	Lot 26, Block 12, Pcs-04-028977

Area: FIFTY SQUARE METERS (50), more or less

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

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, ot shall be held on APR 02 2019 without further notice.

Trece Martires City, FEB 04 2019

(SGD)LUCIO C. ALEJO III Sheriff IV

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LEGAL SERVICES GROUP Counsel for United Coconut Planters Bank 9th Floor, UCPB Executive Building Makati Ave., Makati City

SPS. JOEL & SHERYL ESPAÑOLA 50 E Mendoza St., Buting, Pasig City and Blk. 12, Lot 27 Kensington 22, Brgy. Bacao I, Gen. Trias, Cavite

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> EJF No. TG-19-028 FOR: Extrajudicial Foreclosure of Real Estate Mortgage under Act No. 3135 as amended by Act No. 4118

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

- Versus -

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FREDRIC S. VELASCO, married to SIMONETTE GERARDINE L. VELASCO Respondent/Mortgagors.

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as Amended by Act 4118 filed by **HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND** (otherwise known as **PAG-IBIG FUND**), mortgagee, a government financial institution duly organized and existing under and by virtue of Republic Act. No. 9679 with principal address at 12F, JELP Business Solutions Center, No. 409, Shaw Blvd., Mandaluyong City against the mortgagors, **FRED-RIC S. VELASCO, married to SIMONETTE GERARDINE L. VELASCO** with residence and postal address at #25 Ireland Street, Betterliving Subd., Paranaque City to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of December 4, 2018 amounts to **TWO MILLION FIFTY EIGHT THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED EIGHTY SEVEN PESOS AND 24/100 ONLY (P2, 058,887.24)**, inclusive of interest, and penalty charges, the undersigned Clerk of Court and Ex-Officio Sheriff of the Regional Trial Court of Cavite thru her deputy, Sheriff Teodoro O. Criss, will sell at public auction on **May 2, 2019 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning** or soon thereafter at the New HALL of Justice of Tagaytay City to the highest bidder for **CASH** or Manager's Check and In Philippine Currency, the following property with all its improvements, to wit:

REGISTRY OF DEEDS FOR PROVINCE OF CAVITE TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-817563

A parcel of land (Lot 3 Blk. 18 of the cons./subd. plan, Pcs-04-012899, being a portion of Lot 8014, 8015, 8017, 8018, Cad. 452-D, Silang Cad., Lots 8016-A to 8016-H, Csd-04-006071-D, Lot 15709-A, Csd-042118-012810-D, & Lot Blk. 71, Pcs-04011250, L.R.C. Rec. No.) situated in the Brgy. Of Tartaria, Mun. of Silang, Prov. Of Cavite. Bounded on the NE., along line 1-2 by Lot 1, Blk. 18; on the SE., along line 2-3 by Rd. Lot 1; on the SW., along line 3-4 by Lot 5; and on the NW., along line 4-5 by Lot 4; along line 5-1 by Lot 2, all of Blk. 18, all of the cons./subd. plan. Beginning at a pt. marked "1" on plan being S. 67 deg. 08 'E., 4926.33 m. from BLLM No. 1, Cad. 452-D, Silang Cad.; thence N. 75 deg. 35'E., 1081 m. to pt. 2; thence S. 16 deg. 37'E., 7.39 m. to pt. 3; thence N. 75 deg. 22' m. to pt. 4, thence N. 16 deg. 29'W., 1.15 m. to pt. 5; thence N. 15 deg. 22'W., 6.67 m. to pt. 1, containing an area of EIGHTY THREE (83) SQ. METERS. All pts. referred to are indicated on the plan and are marked on the ground by PS cyl. Conc. Mons. 15x60 cm. bearings true; date of orig. survey, Aug. 1-30, 1997 & was approved on December 5, 1997 is registered in accordance with provisions of the Property registration Decree in the name of FREDRIC S. VELASCO married to SIMONETTE GERARDINE L. VELASCO, both of legal age, Filipino."

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on May 9, 2019 without prior notice."

Prospective buyers or bidders are hereby enjoined to investigate and verify for themselves the **TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-817563** the encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

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

Tagaytay City, 21 February, 2019.

(SGD.) ATTY. VARBRA ANN A. VARIAS-DIMAYUGA Clerk of Court VI & Ex-Officio Sheriff

Copy Furnished: HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (otherwise known as PAG-IBIG FUND 12F, JELP Business Solutions Center, No. 409, Shaw Blvd., Mandaluyong City

FREDRIC S. VELASCO, married to SIMONETTE GERARDINE L. VELASCO #25 Ireland Street, Betterliving Subd., Paranaque City And/or Lot 3, Blk. 18, Rancho Imperial De Silang, Tartaria, Silang, Cavite

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Republic of the Philippines Fourth Judicial Region REGIONAL TRIAL COURT BRANCH 23 TRECE MARTIRES CITY

Foreclose Case No. F-310-18

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND, Mortgagee.

- Versus -

AHMID U. BATUIGAS,

Mortgagors

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as Amended by Act 4118 filed by mortgagee, HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND with business address at 12th F, JELP Business Solutions Center, No. 409 Shaw Blvd., Mandaluyong City against the mort-gagors, AHMID U. BATUIGAS with residence and postal address at No. 2176 C. OnyX Street, San Andres Bukid, Sta. Ana, Manila to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of October 03, 2018 amounts to ONE MILLION TWENTY THREE THOUSAND TWENTY EIGHT PE-SOS AND 42/100 (P1, 023,028.42) Philippine Currency, including interest, and penalty charges as of said but excluding foreclosure expenses and all other charges as of said date, the undersigned sheriff will sell at public auction on June 04, 2019 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the main entrance of the Office of the Sheriff, located at the Provincial Capitol Building, Trece Martires City, Cavite, to the highest bidder for CASH and In Philippine Currency, the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2011010315

"A PARCEL OF LAND (LOT 30, BLK. 47 OF THE CONS. SUBDIVISION PLAN, Pcs-04-011670, BEING A POR-TION OF LOTS 2847-B, 2847-C, Psd-04-030633 & Lot 2848, San Francisco de Malabon Estate, LRC Rec. No.), situated in the Bo. of Biclatan, Mun. of General Trias, PROVINCE of CAVITE, Is. Of Luzon. Bounded on the SW., along line 1-2 by Lot 31, Blk. 47; on the cons./subd. plan; on the NW., ALONG LINE 2-3 by Alley 31 of the cons. subd. plan; on the NE., along line 3-4 by Lot 29 & on the SE., ALONG LINE 4-1 BY Lot 11, both of Blk. 47 all of the cons./subd. Beginning at the pt. marked "1" on the plan x x x CONTAINING AN AREA OF FORTY (40) SQUARE METERS x x x."

"All sealed bid must be submitted to the undersigned on the above stated time and date."

"In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on June 11, 2019 without further notice."

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

Trece Martires City, 04 March, 2019.

(SGD.) LUCIO C. ALEJO III Sheriff IV

Copy Furnished: HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND 12th floor JELP Business Solutions Center, No. 409 Shaw Blvd., Mandaluyong City

AHMID U. BATUIGAS No. 2176 C. Onyx Street, San Andres Bukid, Sta. Ana, Manila

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MALAYSIA PRIME MINISTER TUN DR. MAHATHIR MOHAMAD MEETS WITH PHILIPPINE BUSINESS LEADERS

ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines and business leaders met with Malaysian Prime Minister Tun Dr. Mahathir Bin Mohamad last March 7, 2019 in a bilateral meeting to discuss how to further strengthen the economic relationship between Malaysia and Philippines. PM Mahathir is in the Philippines for an official visit after the invitation of Philippine President Rodrigo Duterte to discuss political, economic and social cooperation between the two countries.

ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines Chairman and Presidential Adviser for Entrepreneurship Joey Concepcion first thanked Prime Minister Mahathir for always giving time to meet and support the business

sector. Concepcion also thanked him for being instrumental in the peace process.

The discussion revolved around the economic relations of Malaysia and Philippines through infrastructure investments, and exchange of goods and services between the two countries.

ASEAN BAC Philippines Member and Vice Chair of SM Investments Corporation Tessie Sy-Coson opened the discussion on sovereign investment funds. Sandy Prieto-Romualdez, President of Philippine Daily Inquirer asked PM Mahathir on his hopes for ASEAN. The 94-year old leader said that countries' must have fast economic growth which then will lead to the growth of the region.

The topic on trade and investments was raised by Filinvest Land President and CEO Josephine Gotianun-Yap. PM Mahathir agreed that countries' must first grow in trade then in investments.

Aside from these topics, PM Mahathir also shared his secrets in maintaining good health despite his age. Overall. the bilateral meeting

became an avenue to hear the Prime Minister's wisdom on leadership and foreign relationships. Selected members of the economic team of Malaysia also joined the meeting. Other Philippine business leaders who attended include: Manny Villar, Chairman of Vista Land Corporation; Henry Lim Bon Liong, President and CEO of SL Agritech Corporation; Daniel Zuellig, Managing Director of F.E. Zuellig Inc.; Alice Eduardo, President and CEO of Sta. Elena Construction and Development Corporation; Dennis Uy, Chairman and CEO of Udenna Corporation; William Belo, CEO and Founder of Wilcon Depot; Rosalind Wee, Co-founder and Vice Chairman of W Group; Gil Gonzales, Executive Director of ASEAN Business Advisory Council; Ginggay Hontiveros-Malvar, Adviser on Agripreneurship of Go Negosyo; and

Josephine Romero, Senior Adviser to the ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines Chairman.



Malaysian Prime Minister Tun Dr. Mahathir Bin Mohamad with ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines Chairman Joey Concepcion during a bilateral meeting last March 7, 2019. The two first met in Malaysia during the ASEAN Business Awards celebration last year in Singapore. The meeting was also attended by Prime Minister's selected economic officials and Philippine business leaders.



The 94-year old leader said that countries' must have fast economic growth **ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines Chairman Joey** which then will lead to the growth of the **Concepcion during a meeting last March 7, 2019**.



Malaysian Prime Minister met with ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines led by its Chairman and Presidential Adviser for Entrepreneurship Joey Concepcion and ASEAN BAC Philippines Member and Vice Chair of SM Investments Corporation Tessie Sy-Coson. Other business leaders in photo are Dennis Uy, Josephine Gotianun-Yap, William Belo, Manny Villar, Alice Eduardo, and Daniel Zuellig.



ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines and business leaders met with Malaysian Prime Minister Tun Dr. Mahathir Bin Mohamad (seated left) and his selected economic officials last March 7, 2019. In photo: (seated right) ASEAN BAC Philippines Chairman Joey Concepcion. (Standing L-R) Gil Gonzales, Executive Director of ASEAN Business Advisory Council; Henry Lim Bon Liong, President and CEO of SL Agritech Corporation; Daniel Zuellig, Managing Director of F.E. Zuellig Inc.; Alice Eduardo, President and CEO of Sta. Elena Construction and Development Corporation; Dennis Uy, Chairman and CEO of Udenna Corporation; Manny Villar, Chairman of Vista Land Corporation; Tessie Sy-Coson, Vice Chair of SM Investments Corporation; William Belo, CEO and Founder of Wilcon Depot; Josephine Gotianun-Yap, President and CEO of Filinvest Land Inc.; Rosalind Wee, Co-founder and Vice Chairman of W Group; Sandy Prieto-Romualdez, President and CEO of Philippine Daily Inquirer; Ginggay Hontiveros-Malvar, Adviser on Agripreneurship of Go Negosyo; and Josephine Romero, Senior Adviser to the ASEAN Business Advisory Council Philippines Chairman.

PRRD kay SEC. ALUNAN,"mas mahusay pa ito sa akin"

PINOY BIG FATHER RAFFY ALUNAN



Sa kick off campaign rally ng Partido Demokratiko-Pilipino-Lakas ng Bayan sa Mindanao muling pinagmalaki ni Pangulong Rodrigo Roa Duterte ang mga pambato nito sa Senador sa darating na Mid-Term Election partikular na si Former Deparment of Interior and Local Government (DILG) Secratry Rafael Alunan.

Sa nasabing campaign rally na isinagawa ng PDP -Laban sa Zamboanga City, ibinida Pangulong Duterte ang pagiging mahusay ni Sec. Alunan sa pagseserbisyo sa gobyerno noong siyang ay kalihim pa ng DILG.

"Secretary Alunan is a national security adviser ni Ramos noong DILG siya kasama Almonte , mahusay ito mas mahusay pa ito sa akin, sa totoo lang matagal na experience nito sa gobyerno" giit ni Duterte. Isiniwalat din ni Duterte na si

Alunan ang siyang pinagkatiwalaan at nilapitan ng Drug Enforcemnet Agency ng Amerika at sinabihan na malapit na maging Narco Politics ang bansa.

"Kung kay Manuel Roxas lang din o Gary Alejano, walang pinakamatalino at pinamahusay na Ilongo kung di si Secretary Rafael Alunan, ngayon kung di nyo ito iboto sino ipapalit nyo sa kanya, sina Roxas, Alejano, Aquino, Hilbay Macalintal, pag pumunta ito sa Lanao putulan ko mga ulo nito, walang mga kwentang tao, wala namang nagawa para sa aming mga moro" saad pa ni Duterte.

Magugunita na personal choice ni pangulong Duterte si Alunan para pumu-

no sa 12th slot na panlaban na senador ng PDP-Labab sa nalalapit na eleksyon dahil na rin sa pinakita nitong integridad nang maging DILG secretary.

Si Alunan din ang pambato ng Bagumbayan Party Chairman Dick Gordon dahil naniniwala siya na kwalipikado ito sa senado at malaki ang mailambag nito pagbibigay ng serbisyo sa bansa.

Suportado rin ni Ramos si Alunan para maging senador ng bansa maging si Former President at House Speaker Gloria Macapagal Arroyo.

BSP approves CARD, Inc. as remittance agent

The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) approved the application of Center for Agriculture and Rural Development (CARD), Inc. (A Microfinance NGO) to become a remittance agent starting 2019.

This initiative of CARD, Inc. adheres to the Microfinance NGO Act or Republic Act No. 10693 (RA. 10693), which allows microfinance institutions to operate remittance services provided that it follows the laws and regulations of (e) Money transfer and other related remittance services, in partnership with authorized agents and/or entities.

"This is another milestone in CARD's journey to poverty eradication. We are happy because this initiative is a good start for us to provide affordable, fast, and easy remittance services to our clients," said Jocelyn Dequito, CARD, Inc. Executive Director.

CARD, Inc. replicated the remittance service of its sister companies at CARD Mutually Reinforcing Institutions (CARD MRI), the CARD Sulit Padala. The CARD Sulit Padala is an in-house domestic remittance service of CARD where its clients can enjoy sending or receiving money from any CARD Bank, CARDE SME Bank, CARD MRI Rizal Bank, and now in CARD, Inc. offices nationwide. The CARD Sulit Padala of CARD, Inc. offers 1% remittance fee based on the principal amount sent.

CARD, Inc.'s CARD Sulit Padala was first

rolled out in Balayan, Batangas; Baler, Aurora; Taft, Samar; Calbayog, Samar; Allen, Samar; Carmen, Cebu; Naga, Cebu; Cauayan, Negros Occidental; Bacolod, Negros Occidental; San Carlos, Negros Occidental; Bislig, Surigao del Sur; San Francisco, Agusan del Sur; and San Pablo City, Laguna.

Dequito also hopes to roll out the new service nationwide. "With our extensive operation nationwide, this service will make the remittance activity of our clients more convenient," said Dequito.

CARD, Inc. covers 79 provinces, 1,064 municipalities, and 36,500 barangays nationwide.

Dequito also emphasized that the remittance service is made possible by its clients' desire for CARD to become a remittance agent. "During our field monitoring, our clients are very vocal in sharing possible products and services that CARD could explore and this remittance service is one," recalled Dequito.

"We then explored how this can become possible. Thanks to CARD's management and member institutions for the support and of course for BSP, for giving us the go signal," added Dequito.

CARD, Inc. is a social development organization established in 1986 that aims to eradicate poverty in the Philippines by providing microfinance and community development programs.



Its SM SAN PABLO's 3 Day Sale: Up to 70% Off!!! Get your deal-hunting skills ready – the 3 Day Sale is happening on March 15-16-17,2019! Get ready for Summer with the latest fashion from the SM Store. Amazing deals from SM San Pablo's stores are waiting for you!

SM Prestige and BDO Rewards Diamond and Sapphire members get an extra 10% OFF on all items on Friday, whole day; SM Advantage members get an extra 10% OFF on all items up to 12 noon on Saturday; SM Prestige, SMAC, BDO Rewards, get an extra 10% OFF from 5 to 7pm on Sunday!

Shop and Get a chance to win 1 of the 3 Suzuki Sport Motorcycles! Visit SM City San Pablo for more fun and surprises



Cheers to every woman who fuels the world with her passion and strength!

Treat the special ladies in your life this Women's month at SM City Calamba. Enjoy The SM Store Calamba's special Women's Month offer. Get extra 10% off during ALL Wednesdays of March from 6-8PM when you shop Ladies' Wear, Shoes, Bags, Accessories, Cosmetics, Fragrances, Fine Jewelry,Watches, and Eyewear! Minimum single-receipt purchase of P3,000 in participating women's departments. Valid for SM Advantage, SM Prestige and BDO Rewards cardholders only.