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PROSECUTORS EXAMINE VP SARA'S BUSINESS RECORDS

MANILA – House prosecutors are examining corporate earnings, shareholdings, and dividend records involving Vice President Sara Duterte and her husband, lawyer Manases Carpio, to determine whether her declared wealth can be accounted for by legitimate business income.

Private prosecutor Erwin Matib said Monday that Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) records to be presented in Duterte's impeachment trial would show no dividends paid to Duterte and Carpio by companies linked to them.

Matib outlined the evidence while offering the testimony of SEC Company Registration and Monitoring Department Director Gerardo del Rosario before the Senate impeachment court.

The prosecution is examining the companies' earnings and dividend distributions alongside Duterte's shareholdings, corporate positions, and business interests disclosed in her Statements of Assets, Liabilities and Net Worth (SALNs).

"Importante ito, dahil gusto natin makita kung ang mga kumpanyang ito ay talagang may naibigay na lehitimong income kay VP Sara Duterte na maaaring makatulong magpaliwanag sa paglaki ng kanyang declared net worth (This is important because we want to see if these companies actually provided a legitimate income to VP Sara Duterte, which could help explain the



Private prosecutor Erwin Matib (Screengrab from livestream)

increase in her declared net worth)," Matib said.

Matib said SEC and company records would establish the companies' earnings and whether dividends were declared or distributed to their stockholders.

The prosecution's offer of testimony covers five areas: the couple's alleged business ownership; their shares and other interests; company earnings and dividends; corporate filings identifying their positions; and sales and connections among companies linked to Duterte.

Among the companies identified by Matib were City Hall King Chow Foods Corp., Metro City Chow Foods Corp., GenCorp Industries Inc., Cale88 Foods Corp., Mati City Ice Plant and Cold Storage, Geometry Security and Investigation Agency Inc., and Carpio Lawyers.

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~ SOUL FOOD ~

"May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all"

- 2 Corinthians 13:14 -

PAG-IBIG, SMDC PARTNER AS MORE DEVELOPERS WIDEN HOME OPTIONS UNDER MARCOS' EXPANDED 4PH

Pag-IBIG Fund and SM Development Corp. signed a memorandum of understanding Sept. 8 to widen the range of SMDC homes that qualified members may purchase using Pag-IBIG Housing Loans. The MOU also covers preferential pricing on selected units, buyer education and planned homebuyer programs.

The partnership advances efforts by the Department of Human Settlements and Urban Development and Pag-IBIG Fund to strengthen private-sector participation under President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr.'s Expanded Pambansang Pabahay para sa Pilipino Program. These efforts make projects from more of the country's leading developers available through Pag-IBIG financing, giving members, particularly middle-income Filipino workers, greater access to quality, well-located homes that suit their families and fit their budgets.

DHSUD Secretary Jose Ramon P. Aliling, who also chairs the Pag-IBIG Board of Trustees, said SMDC's participation shows how the agency's expanded and affordable financing is translating into wider home choices for members.

"The direction of President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. is clear. We want more Filipino workers and their families to have a real opportunity to own a home in the city, particularly one closer to where they work. With Pag-IBIG Housing Loans now up to Php10 million for each qualified member, more Filipino workers can choose from SMDC properties and pay for their chosen home at affordable rates over time," Aliling said. "This is what Expanded 4PH is achieving by bringing stronger government support and growing private-sector participation together so that more Filipinos can have a home of their own."

Under the MOU, SMDC will offer preferential pricing to qualified Pag-IBIG Housing Loan borrowers on selected units in participating Pag-IBIG-accredited projects. The current accredited selection includes Coast Residences and ICE Tower in Pasay City, Spring Residences in Parañaque City, selected phases of Hill Residences in Quezon City, and SMDC Cheerful Homes 1 and 2 in Pampanga.

SMDC is also working to broaden the selection, with additional developments in Makati City, Mandaluyong City, Pasay City and other growth areas undergoing Pag-IBIG accreditation. The projects under review span SMDC Heights, SMDC Nature and SMDC Symphony Homes, covering high-rise, mid-rise and house-and-lot developments.

SMDC is one of the country's leading residential developers, with a portfolio of communities designed around how Filipinos live and a long-term purpose of helping build a nation of homeowners.

"Homeownership is too important for any one institution to address alone. Making it more attainable requires strong partners with a shared commitment to Filipino families," said Jeffrey C. Lim, president of SM Prime and SM Development Corp.

"Government plays a critical role in making home financing more affordable, while developers like SMDC must provide homes and communities that deliver lasting value. With DHSUD, Pag-IBIG Fund and SMDC working together, Filipino homebuyers can get more of what they need: better financing, the right space, a good location, convenient access and a community where they can build their lives."

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PBBM: Pamamaril sa paaralan, hindi dapat maging normal na bahagi ng buhay ng mga batang Pilipino

Nanawagan si Pangulong Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. nitong Biyernes ng mas mahigpit na mga hakbang upang matiyak ang kaligtasan ng mga mag-aaral sa mga paaralan, kasunod ng pamamaril sa Banga National High School sa South Cotabato.

Binigyang-diin ng Pangulo na hindi dapat maging normal na bahagi ng buhay ng mga batang Pilipino ang karamihan at pamamaril sa loob ng paaralan.

"Hindi natin maaaring tanggapin na maging bahagi na lamang ng buhay ng ating mga anak ang mga pamamaril sa paaralan. Karapatan ng ating mga anak na makapag-aral nang walang takot. Karapatan ng mga magulang na maipadala sila sa paaralan nang alam na uui silang ligtas. Ito ang pananagutan natin sa bawat pamilyang Pilipino," diin ng Pangulo.

Sa harap nito, iniutos ni Pangulong Marcos ang isang masusing imbestigasyon

sa insidente, kabilang ang mga pangyayari kung paano nakakuha at nakapagdala ng baril ang isang menor de edad sa loob ng paaralan.

Nagpaabot din ang Pangulo ng pakikiramay sa mga pamilyang nawalan ng ma-

hal sa buhay at tiniyak na matatanggap ng mga nasugatan ang kinakailangang gamutan at tulong.

"Muli tayong nahaharap sa isang trahedyang hindi dapat danasin ng sinumang magulang, paaralan, o komunidad. Nakikiramay ako sa mga pamilyang nawalan ng mahal sa buhay sa pamamaril sa Banga National High School sa South Cotabato. Tinitiyak nating natatanggap ng mga nasugatan ang kailangan nilang gamutan at tulong," paniniguro ng Pangulo.

Ayon sa Pangulo, ito na ang ikatlong in-



(Photo from Bombo Radyo)

sidente ng nakamamatay na pamamaril sa paaralan sa loob lamang ng nakalipas na tatlong buwan, kasunod ng mga nanginsidente sa Tacloban at Zamboanga.

Kaugnay nito, inutusan ni Pangulong Marcos ang Department of Education (DepEd), Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), at Philippine National Police (PNP) na magsumite ng ulat tungkol sa mga hakbang na kanilang ipinatupad matapos ang mga nanginsidente.

"Ito na ang ikatlong nakamamatay na pamamaril sa paaralan

sa loob lamang ng tatlong buwan. Matapos ang mga insidente sa Tacloban at Zamboanga, inutusan ko na ang ating mga ahensya na palakas ang seguridad sa mga paaralan at gawin ang lahat ng kinakailangan upang maiwasan ang muling paglitaw ng ganitong trahedyang," diin ng Pangulo.

Sinabi rin ng Pangulo na mag-aanunsyo ng karagdagang mga hakbang sa mga sunod na araw upang tugunan ang mga natitirang kakulangan at higit pang maprotektahan ang mga mag-aaral sa buong bansa. | (PND)

PCG verifying reported presence of Chinese military survey vessels in WPS

In the latest round of the tit-for-tat row between the Philippines and China comes the reported presence of two Chinese military hydrographic survey vessels in the West Philippine Sea (WPS) on September 11.

This, as the Philippine Coast Guard (PCG) said it is verifying the reported presence of these foreign vessels as of press time.

In a briefing on Thursday, Presidential Communications Office (PCO) Undersecretary and Palace Press Officer Claire Castro added that PCG vessels continue to patrol the area and remain watchful for any further developments.

Some groups expressed concerns about the entry of these ships into the hotly disputed waters of WPS, especially noting their capabilities to identify detailed information about water depths and seabed conditions.

Alyansa ng Bantay sa Kapayapaan at Demokrasya (ABKD) Chairperson Emeritus Dr. Jose Antonio Goitia said in a statement, "Hindi ito mga ordinaryong research vessel. Kapag nasa sensitibong lugar sila, may karapatan ang Pilipinas na itanong kung ano ang kanilang minamapa at bakit."

Goitia's sentiments echo Section 17 of Republic Act No. 12065 (Philippine Archipelagic Sea Lanes Act), which explicitly prohibits any foreign vessel from conducting oceanographic, hydrographic, or any other research and/or survey activities, as well as interfering with Philippine research and survey activities carried out in Phil-

ippine sea lanes or any air routes above them.

What is rightfully ours

Meanwhile, Usec. Castro backed recent statements of Defense Secretary Gilberto Teodoro Jr. that assert the country's position in the WPS, "Isa po siyang opisyal na dapat ipaglaban kung ano lang po ang interes at karapatan ng ating mga kababayan at ng ating bansa sa nasabing maritime rights."

During the 3rd Balangay Forum at Makati City held as part of the Maritime and Archipelagic Nation Awareness Month (MANAMo) celebration on Thursday, Secretary Teodoro took the opportunity to once again reiterate the Philippines' firm stance against China's actions in the WPS.

"They are attempting to reshape the world order to one which is more Sinocentric. If you oppose, you will be sent somewhere you don't want to be sent, perhaps for the rest of your life, if you still have it after that."

He even challenged China to vacate the occupied islands and features in WPS, "Kung wala silang intensyon, bawiin nila yung nine-dash line na yun. Umalis sila sa Mischief Reef, umalis sila sa iba't ibang mga reef na sinabi ng DFA. Pati diyan sa Bajo de Masinloc, wala silang business diyan."

On the other hand, amid these developments, Australia vowed to continue its defense partnership with the Philippines while championing a "blue economy" through responsible use of marine resources. (with report from Patrick de Jesus | PTV News)

Manila Water speeds up utility works to support Metro Manila Subway

MANILA (PIA) — Manila Water Co. Inc. is accelerating the relocation of water and sewer facilities affected by the Metro Manila Subway Project to help clear construction areas while maintaining reliable services for communities in Metro Manila.

In a statement, the utility company said it is undertaking infrastructure adjustments in Pasig City and Quezon City as part of preparations for the Department of Transportation's underground railway project, one of the national government's major initiatives to improve public transportation and ease traffic congestion.

The Metro Manila Subway is among the government's major infrastructure projects under the Marcos Jr. administration's Build Better More program, which seeks to address infrastructure gaps and strengthen connectivity to support economic activity and public welfare.

President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. has emphasized the need to sustain the implementation of major railway projects to im-

prove connectivity and address congestion. During an inspection of the subway project in February 2026, he said the ongoing works demonstrated that implementation was "fully and actively underway." Manila Water said four relocation projects are underway near the planned Shaw, East Avenue, Anonas and Ortigas stations. At the intersection of Meralco Avenue and Shaw Boulevard in Pasig, the company is permanently relocating a 600-millimeter steel pipeline affected by the Shaw Station construction.

The project was 67% complete as of the first week of August. In Quezon City, Manila Water is relocating water and sewer facilities along V. Luna Road in Barangay Pinyahan to make way for the East Avenue Station. The work includes pipe laying, manhole and valve box installation, water network modifications and the transfer of service connections.

Completion is targeted for October 2026. The sewer line relocation near the Anonas Station, covering por-



tions of A. Luna Street, F. Castillo Street, J. Bugallon Street and E. Evangelista Street in Barangay Bagumbayan, is expected to be completed by the end of September. Meanwhile, two meter set assemblies affected by the Ortigas Station alignment are being relocated along Ortigas Avenue corner Meralco Avenue in Pasig.

The work is targeted for completion by the end of October. "These infrastructure adjustments are essential not only to accommodate a major national transport project but also to ensure that our customers continue to receive reliable water and wastewater services throughout the construction period," Manila Water Corporate Communications Group Head Dittie Galang said. Manila

Water said it is coordinating with the DOTr, contractors and other project stakeholders to carry out the relocation activities safely and efficiently, while minimizing possible disruptions to customers.

The Metro Manila Subway is planned to have 17 stations stretching from Valenzuela City to Ninoy Aquino International Airport Terminal 3. The project is intended to improve connectivity and provide a more efficient transportation option for commuters. The utility relocations are designed to remove infrastructure that may obstruct subway construction and help protect the integrity of Manila Water's water distribution and wastewater collection systems during the implementation of the project. (JCO/PIA-NCR)

SAFE FOOD, BETTER HEALTH: DOST Misamis Occidental Conducts Food Safety Orientation in Ozamiz City



In line with continuing efforts to enhance the Complementary Food Production Facility and strengthen local food safety practices, DOST Misamis Occidental successfully conducted a Food Safety Orientation on August 26, 2026.

The training took place at the Complementary Food Production Facility Training Hall, IBJT Compound, Carangan, Ozamiz City. It was actively participated in by 9 production staff (6 males and 3 females, including 1 PWD) who are at the forefront of the city's complementary food production.

Ms. Melanie O. Laude served as the resource speaker, guiding them with essential food safety standards. This orientation serves as a step in upgrading the skills of the staff and ensuring that proper food handling protocols are met. More importantly, this activity prepares the facility for its upcoming Food and Drug Administration – License to Operate (FDA-LTO) application.

Through science, technology, and safety standards, DOST and the Ozamiz Complementary Food Production team continue to work hand-in-hand to deliver safe, high-quality, and nutritious food products for the community! (DOST)

Prosecutors examine VP Sara's... (From P.1)

He also cited Great Jolly Times Food Corp., Timesquare Bee Foods Corp., Davao New Royal Taipan Foods Corp., Davao Emerging Taipans Corp., 3Kids Trucking Services Inc., CYK&T Davao Corp., SGT Fortune Horse Corp., Davao Bounty Times Foods Corp., Madayaw Fisheries Inc., Amianan Shores Inc. and Cabletow 88 Shipping and Marine Services Inc.

Matib said the prosecution would compare the value of Duterte's shares and other corporate interests with the assets she declared in her SALNs.

He said Del Rosario would present corporate filings submitted to the SEC, including articles of incorporation and other records, and testify on whether

Duterte's name and interests remained in the filings during her vice presidency.

Matib also cited sales reported by companies linked to Duterte, including GenCorp Industries, and said the prosecution would examine what he described as interlocking shareholders, directors and officers among the companies.

He identified Jaime T. Cruz as one individual whose name repeatedly appeared in the SEC records the prosecution plans to present.

Defense lawyer Justin Nicol Gular objected to portions of Matib's offer concerning ownership, legal conclusions, and the relevance of the alleged interlocking corporate positions. (PNA)

Palace: Class suspension guidelines expedited amid unpredictable weather



Malacañang said Thursday that guidelines on the suspension and resumption of classes are being expedited to ensure clearer and more timely announcements amid unpredictable weather conditions.

Presidential Communications Office Undersecretary and Palace Press Officer Claire Castro said the proposed guidelines are being carefully reviewed and harmonized to clarify the roles of local government units (LGUs) and the Department of Education (DepEd) and minimize con-

fusion among students, parents, and school authorities.

Castro said there are instances when an advisory is issued but weather conditions suddenly improve, while in other cases, classes are allowed to proceed only for heavy rains to occur later in the day.

"Minamadali po ito, dahil nga ang sabi ng Pangulo kahapon na ang panahon ay pabaiba lalo na ngayon at minsan biglang bubuhos ang ulan o bigla namang walang ulan. So, kinakailangan po itong mas mabilisan, kasi mas marami po kasig naapektuhan, mga bata at mga magulang kapag hindi agad nagkakaroon ng announcement," said Castro.

The Palace Officer said the guidelines need to be refined to minimize the impact of sudden

weather changes on parents and students, and the proposed system would also clarify the roles of LGUs and DepEd in announcing class suspensions or resumptions.

According to Castro, the proposal is for decisions to come from local government units, but these should be properly matched with weather alert levels, such as red and yellow warnings, to avoid confusion over whether announcements should come from the mayor, governor, LGU, or DepEd.

"Ang proposal kasi is sana magmumula sa local government pero kailangan din kapag anong klase red, yellow, so kailangan magkaroon ng pagtutugma para hindi magkagulo kung i-announce ba ng local, i-announce ng Mayor, i-announce Governor, i-announce ng DepEd. So, ganoon, pero pinapamadali ito ng Pangulo," the official added. (PND)

Palace backs anti-political dynasty law as priority measure



MANILA (PIA) — Malacañang said President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. supports the passage of an anti-political dynasty law, identifying it as one of his administration’s priority measures.

Palace Press Officer Undersecretary Claire Castro said Marcos wants the proposed legislation passed during his term, while acknowledging that the timeline for congressional action remains under the authority of Congress.

“Alam na po natin na ito po ang isa sa mga priority bills ng Pangulo,” Castro said during a Palace press briefing, Thursday. “Talaga po ito ay pinapamadali niya at gus-to po niya hangga’t maaari sa panahon po niya ay maipasa ang anti-political dynasty law.”

Castro made the statement in response to questions about reports concerning a supposed Supreme Court directive on the enactment of an anti-political dynasty law.

She clarified that, based on the information available to the Palace, no decision had yet been issued by the Supreme Court on the matter.

The Palace official said the president agrees that a law addressing political dynasties should be enacted, but stressed that Congress is responsible for determining the measure’s legislative timetable.

“Ang timeline po ng mga Kongreso ay nasa kanila po itong kamay,” Castro said.

She added that lawmakers are handling several responsibilities and legislative priorities, but reiterated that the president wants the anti-political dynasty measure passed.

The 1987 Constitution provides that the state shall guarantee equal access to opportunities for public service and prohibit political dynasties “as may be defined by law.” However, Congress has yet to enact a law specifically defining and regulating political dynasties.

Castro’s remarks placed the proposed measure among the administration’s stated legislative priorities, while leaving the details of the bill and its timetable to Congress.

The Palace, however, did not provide further details on the specific provisions of the proposed legislation during the briefing. **(JCO/PIA-NCR)**

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BDO UNIBANK, INC.,
Mortgagee,

Foreclosure No. 26-5126

- versus -

BON LEANDER LUZON BANDAYREL,
CHERIS ANN LUZON BANDAYREL,
AND LEILEN JOY LUZON BANDAYREL,
Debtors/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 on August 12, 2026, against the mortgagors, BON LEANDER LUZON BANDAYREL, CHERIS ANN LUZON BANDAYREL AND LEILEN JOY LUZON BANDAYREL, with postal addresses at (1) # 3C (Old), #2058 Lsd Building, Ligaya St., Brgy. 426, Zone 43, Sampaloc East, Manila 1008; and, (2) Unit 2717, 27th Floor, Tower 1, Amaia Skies Sta. Mesa, V. Mapa corner Valenzuela St., Sta. Mesa, Manila, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which, as of July 20, 2026, amounts to **PESOS: SIX MILLION FIVE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED NINETY-NINE AND 14/100(Php6,005,999.14)**¹, pursuant to the Uniform Loan and Mortgage Agreement², the undersigned Acting Clerk of Court & Ex-Officio Sheriff of the Regional Trial Court of Manila, through her deputy, **Sheriff ARVIN M. GRANADO**, will sell at public auction on **October 16, 2026**, at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter but not later than 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, in front of the Office of the Clerk of Court, Regional Trial Court, Manila, Room 400, 4th floor, Manila City Hall, to the highest bidder, for cash or manager's check and in Philippine Currency, the following property/ies with all its improvements, more particularly described as follows:

Land Registration Authority
QUEZON CITY
Registry of Deeds for City of Manila

Condominium Certificate of Title
No. **002-2025002754**

(Republic Act No. 4726)

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the unit identified and described as:
UNIT NO. 2717 - A 1 BR UNIT, LOCATED AT THE 27TH FLOOR LEVEL OF AMAIA SKIES - STA. MESA (TOWER 1), WITH AN AREA OF 31.32 SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS.

In the diagrammatic floor plan appended to the enabling or master deed of the condominium project annotated on TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE 2012004145 which embraces and describes the land located at V. MAPA COR. VALENZUELA STREET, STA. MESA, MANILA with an area of (1,717.90, 1,054.50, 824.40, 1,375.40) Square Meter, is registered in the name of:
Owner: (1) BON LEANDER LUZON BANDAYREL, OF LEGAL AGE, SINGLE, FILIPINO;
Address: 3C (OLD) 2058 LSD BUILDING LIGAYA STREET, SAMPALOC MANILA, 1008

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

In the event, that the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on October 23, 2026, without further notice.

City of Manila, Philippines, August 26, 2026.

(Sgd.)
SHAIRA A. QUERUBIN
Acting Clerk of Court³ & Ex-Officio Sheriff

by:
(Sgd.)
CARMELA JOY R. DE GUZMAN
Acting Assistant Clerk of Court

(Sgd.)
ARVIN M. GRANADO
Sheriff-In-Charge

NOTE/S

Failure to attend the auction sale, despite proper notice, shall be construed as a waiver. Accordingly, the auction sale shall be held as scheduled.

The mortgagee is required to submit an updated Statement of Account before the scheduled auction sale.

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WARNING: It is absolutely prohibited to remove, destroy, or deface this Notice of Extra-Judicial Sale on or before the date of sale, under the penalty of law.

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¹ Annex "D" of the Petition
²Notarized on November 19, 2018
³Per Designation Order dated December 09, 2024, issued by Hon. Carolina C. Icasiano-Sison, Executive Judge, RTC Manila, with approval/confirmation by Hon. Raul B. Villanueva, Court Administrator Supreme Court of the Philippines, dated December 10, 2024

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PICC hosts ASEAN Leaders' Summit in November on its 50th year of service to the country

It will be a full circle moment for the Philippine International Convention Center as it serves as the main venue for the ASEAN Leaders' Summit in November

It is a national treasure that must be preserved and its contributions to the country's culture and heritage recognized for generations to come, Malacañang said.

The PICC, which marked its 50th anniversary last September 5, serves not just as a world-class venue for international events but has also borne witness to the talent and success of Filipinos, Presidential Communications Office (PCO) Undersecretary and Palace Press Officer Claire Castro said.

"Hindi na mabilang ang



mga pagtatapos, panunumpa at iba pang mahahalagang okasyon na ginanap sa loob ng mga gusali ng PICC. Kalakip nito ang mga alaalang mananatili sa puso ng mga pamilyang Pilipino kahit ilang dekada pa ang dumaan," Castro noted in a press briefing in Malacañang.

"Sa dahilang ito pa lamang ay maituturing nang kayamanan ng bansa ang PICC na dapat ingatan."

The convention center, underwent a comprehensive restoration last year spearheaded by First Lady Liza Araneta-Marcos.

In 1974, former First Lady Imelda Marcos commissioned the PICC to serve as the country's premier convention hall, with the center opening its doors to the world in just two years. **(PND)**

House prosecution drops CSC witness to speed up VP Sara trial

MANILA – House prosecutors on Monday dropped a Civil Service Commission (CSC) official from their witness lineup and moved another witness to Tuesday as they streamlined their presentation in the impeachment trial of Vice President Sara Duterte.

Bicol Saro Party-list Rep. Terry Ridon told the Senate impeachment court that CSC Assistant Commissioner Ariel Ronquillo would no longer testify because two earlier witnesses had already sufficiently addressed the matters he was expected to cover.

“In the interest of expediting the proceedings, at siyempre dahil nadesisyunan naming talagang mapabilis po ang kabuuang proseso po na ito, we have decided to dispense with sa pagsalang po kay Atty. Ronquillo sa araw po na ito (and since we have decid-

ed to expedite this entire process, we have chosen to dispense with the presentation of Atty. Ronquillo today),” Ridon said.

Ridon cited the testimonies of retired Sandiganbayan Presiding Justice Amparo Cabotaje-Tang and Office of the Ombudsman records official Karen Batu, saying the prosecution was satisfied that they had covered the issues for which Ronquillo was subpoenaed.

Ronquillo was expected to testify on the preparation and filing of Statements of Assets, Liabilities and Net Worth (SALNs), including the rules governing their interpretation and application.

Presiding officer Sen. Francis “Chiz” Escudero excused Ronquillo, who was already at the Senate for his scheduled appearance, and thanked him for attending.



DROPPED. House prosecutor Bicol Saro Party-list Rep. Terry Ridon tells the Senate impeachment court that the prosecution panel is dropping a Civil Service Commission (CSC) official from its witness lineup on Monday (Sept. 21, 2026). He said the CSC witness would no longer be called to testify because the matters he was expected to cover had been addressed by two earlier witnesses. (Screengrab from livestream)

The prosecution then presented its third witness under Article II, Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Company Registration and Monitoring Department Director Gerardo Fernando Del Rosario.

Del Rosario’s testimony shifted the prosecution’s focus from SALNs to SEC records involving companies in which Duterte and her husband, lawyer Manases “Mans” Carpio, declared business interests or financial connections.

Prosecutors prepared more than 200 exhibits covering over 3,000 pages for Del Rosario’s testimony. His appearance had previously been deferred because of the volume of records.

The prosecution also asked the court to move the testimony of Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System Division Chief Rendell Sopeña to Tuesday, saying he needed additional time to complete documents required under his subpoena.

Ridon said Sopeña received the subpoena Sept. 18 and was still gathering the records.

Sopeña is expected to testify on government procurement transactions involving entities in which Duterte declared an interest and submit records of contracts between Gencorp Industries Inc. and government agencies from 2020 to the present.

Article II of the impeachment complaint includes allegations that Duterte failed to fully and truthfully disclose her assets and maintained prohibited business interests while serving as vice president. (PNA)

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Mortgagee,

FRE-MC26-2246
For: “Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of Real Estate Mortgage under Act. 3135 as amended by Act 4118”

-versus-

MARILOU GALIT GALUNO
Mortgagor.

x ----- x

AMENDED NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial petition for sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118 filed by **ANTONIO C. KEH**, as Mortgagee, against **MARILOU GALIT GALUNO**, Mortgagor, with residence and postal addresses at Unit 1516 Bauhinia Bldg., TIVOLI GARDENS RESIDENCES, Brgy. Hulo, Mandaluyong City, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of June 5, 2026 amounts to **FOUR MILLION SIX HUNDRED FORTY THOUSAND PESOS (PHP 4,640,000.00)** Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest, penalty and other charges, the Ex-Officio Sheriff of Mandaluyong City or his duly authorized deputy will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION to the HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH OR MANAGER’S CHECK and in Philippine Currency on the **27ST day of OCTOBER 2026 at 9:00 o’clock in the morning or soon thereafter but not later than 12:00 o’clock in the afternoon at the main entrance of Mandaluyong City Hall, Maysilo Circle, Mandaluyong City**, the following described real property together with all the improvements existing thereon to wit:

CONDOMINIUM CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. -008-2017010537- Registry of Deeds - City of Mandaluyong

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the unit identified and described as:

UNIT 1516- A RESIDENTIAL TYPE CONDOMINIUM UNIT AT BAUHINIA BUILDING OF “TIVOLI GARDEN RESIDENCES”, CONTAINING AN AREA OF 48.00 SQ.M. MORE OR LESS AT THE FIFTEENTH FLOOR LEVEL.

in the diagrammatic floor plan appended to the enabling or master deed of the condominium project annotated on TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE 22348/T-113 which embraces and describes the land located at MANDALUYONG CITY with an area of (TWENTY SEVEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED NINETY SEVEN SQ.M. & FORTY SQ. DECIM. (27,397.40))

owner: MARILOU GALIT GALUNO, SINGLE, OF LEGAL AGE, FILIPINO
Address: 7C PKG7 BLK 56 LOT 17 BAGONG SILANG,

CALOOCAN CITY

CONDOMINIUM CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. -008-2017010538- Registry of Deeds - City of Mandaluyong

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the unit identified and described as:

SERVICE AREA 157 A SERVICE AREA LOCATED AT THE ROOF DECK FLOOR LEVEL OF BAUHINIA BUILDING OF “TIVOLI GARDENS RESIDENCE”, CONTAINING AN AREA OF 3.00 SQ.M. MORE OR LESS.

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“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, it shall be held on **NOVEMBER 3, 2026**, at the same time and place without further notice,”

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

Mandaluyong City, Philippines, September 14, 2026.

FOR THE EX-OFFICIO SHERRIF BY: (Sgd.) JONATHAN B. BAYUN Sheriff IV

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WARNING: It is absolutely prohibited to remove, deface or destroy this Notice of Sheriff’s Sale on or before the date of Auction Sale under penalty of the law.

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MariLou Galit Galuno
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DOST FORMALIZES COLLABORATION WITH DENR, ISPSC; INKS PILOT IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECT KALIKASAN IN CERVANTES DURING THE 2026 HANDOG SA PANGULO IN LAOAG CITY



The Department of Science and Technology Ilocos Region (DOST Ilocos Region), Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) Ilocos Region, Ilocos Sur Polytechnic State College (ISPSC), and the Municipality of Cervantes formally forged partnership for nature conservation through the signing of the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for Project KALIKASAN during the DENR’s Handog ng Pangulo, Luntiang Bukas at SM City Laoag, Ilocos Norte today.

DENR Secretary Atty. Juan Miguel T. Cuna led the activity with DOST Ilocos Region Director Dr. Teresita A. Tabaog, DENR Ilocos Region Director Atty. Ronnel C. Sopsop, and ISPSC President Dr. Mario P. Obrero.

Project KALIKASAN which stands for Kiosk for Advocating and Learning through Innovative Knowledge Advancement of Safeguarding and Appreciating Nature is a DOST-funded project under the Community Empowerment through Science and Technology (CEST) Program. It aims to bring science-based information on

biodiversity and environmental conservation closer to communities and stakeholders. It will be piloted at the Bessang Pass Natural Monument / Landmark in Cervantes, Ilocos Sur.

Through an interactive kiosk, the project will provide information on the area’s biodiversity, natural resources, conservation efforts, amenities, and communities, giving visitors, students, and local residents an accessible learning tool.

With the partnership, DOST contributes its expertise in science, technology, and innovation; DENR provides technical guidance on environmental protection and biodiversity conservation data collection and sharing; ISPSC contributes academic and technical support for systems development; and the Municipality of Cervantes supports local implementation and community engagement.

Through the MOA, the partners commit to making environmental education more accessible and encouraging communities and customers to understand, appreciate, and help protect the protected areas. Upon completion of the project, the kiosks will be stationed in Cervantes municipal hall and in the Bessang Pass Natural Monument Landmark. **(DOST)**

Pag-IBIG, SMDC partner as more developers widen... (From P.2)

Pag-IBIG Fund Chief Executive Officer Marilene C. Acosta said the partnership strengthens the agency’s efforts to make suitable homes more affordable for members.

“Affordable financing truly serves its purpose when our members also have suitable homes to choose from. Through our partnership with SMDC, more Filipino workers can choose a home based on their family’s needs, preferred location and budget, then finance it affordably through Pag-IBIG. Our promotional rates of 4.5% on loans of up to Php4.9 million and 5.75% on loans above Php4.9 million and up to Php 10 million make financing their chosen home even more affordable and are available to qualified borrowers until the end of the year,” Acosta said. “This is part of our comprehensive approach to helping our members own a home. We do more than provide affordable financing. We also work closely with developers and other stakeholders so that more homes are built to meet the needs

and budgets of Filipino workers.”

Aliling and SMDC Executive Vice President Grace Sta. Ana served as witnesses as Acosta and Lim signed the MOU in Makati City. Also present from Pag-IBIG were Deputy Chief Executive Officers Alexander Hilario G. Aguilar, Benjamin R. Felix Jr., along with DHSUD Senior Undersecretary Eduardo P. Robles, Jr. SM Prime and SMDC officials in attendance included Jessica T. Sy, Vice President and Head of Design, Innovation and Strategy; Marking C. Que, Senior Vice President and Head of Customer Support; Carlo O. Alampay, Vice President and Head of Regulatory Compliance; Susan G. Nicdao, Vice President and Head of Project Development for SMDC Nature; Atty. Mena R. Ojeda Jr., Vice President and Head of Legal Affairs and Risk Management; and Sheila Ching, Assistant Vice President for Project Development and Management.

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IN THE MATTER OF
CANCELLATION AND/OR
CORRECTION OF ENTRIES IN
THE CERTIFICATE OF LIVE
BIRTH OF JENNY LYN
MIRAFLOR YOUNG,

Petitioner,

Spec. Proc. R-MNL-26-05270-SP

- versus -

THE CIVIL REGISTRAR OF
THE CITY OF MANILA, AND ALL
PERSONS IN INTERES WHO
MAY BE AFFECTED THEREBY,
Respondents.
X ----- X

ORDER

In her verified Petition, Jenny Lyn Miraflor Young prays that after due notice, publication and hearing judgment be rendered ordering the Civil Registrar of the City of Manila to correct the following entries in her Certificate of Live Birth, specifically:

a. Petitioner’s Middle Name from “Rodriguez” to “Tilanas”;

b. the name of Petitioner’s biological mother from “Nenita Herrera Rodriguez” to “Nenita Basiclaon Tilanas”

c. the middle name of Petitioner’s biological father from “Pareño” to “Parreño”.

Finding the Petition to be sufficient in form and substance, let the same be set for hearing on **December 10, 2026 at 8:30 a.m.** before this Court located at the 6th Floor, PPL Building, U.N. Avenue corner San Marcelino Street, Paco, Manila.

Let a copy of this Order be published, at the expense of the petitioner, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks, in a newspaper of general circulation in Metro Manila to which the same may be raffled.

Any interested person may appear at the hearing and oppose the Petition and show cause why it should not be granted.

SO ORDERED.

(Sgd.)
CIRILE MADURO FOJA
Acting Presiding Judge

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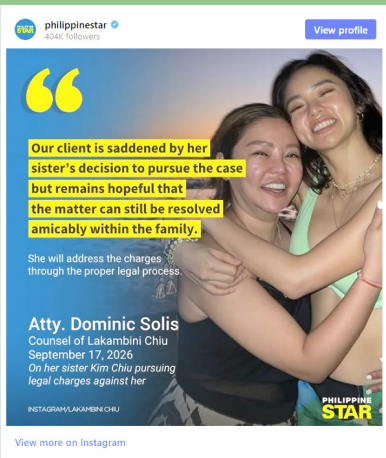


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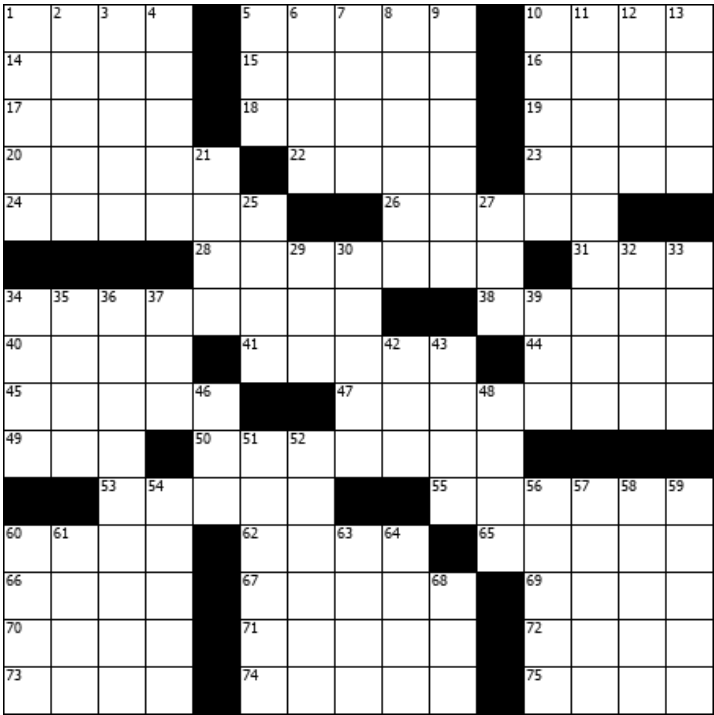
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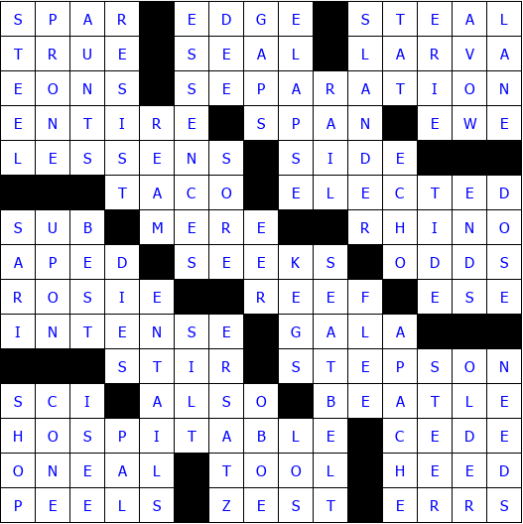
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- 53. Musician ____ John
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- 60. Land parcel
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- 72. Encourage
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- 74. Composition
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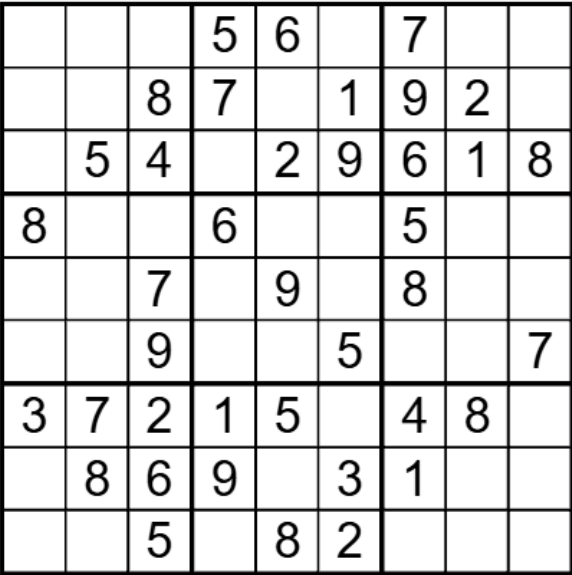


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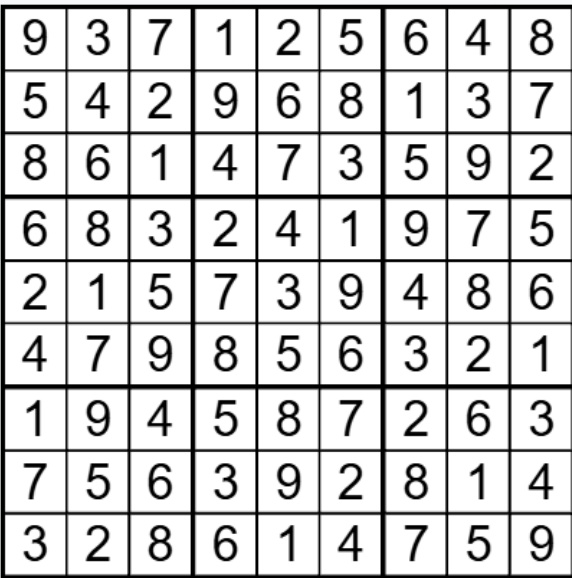


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TODAY'S PUZZLE:



LAST WEEK'S ANSWER:



Pressed for time,
Eumir Marcial
withdraws
from Asian Games



(Photo from Eumir Marcial Facebook)

MANILA – Good news: Eumir Marcial got the quick finish he needed to hopefully make the flight to the Japan Asian Games.

Bad news: He will not take the flight.

The Olympic bronze medalist scored a third-round knockout against Mexican-American Omar Ulises Huerta in a middleweight bout in San Diego, California on Sunday.

“I spoke to Eumir right after winning his professional fight earlier. After carefully considering the situation, Eumir and I agreed that it would be better to skip the Asian Games,” Association of Boxing Alliances in the Philippines (ABAP) president Marcus Manalo said in a text message to the media hours after Marcial’s professional return bout at Pechanga Arena, citing the long-haul flight to Nagoya and the short preparation time.

The end came at the 1:54 mark of Round 3 when Huerta dropped for the first time in his career.

Still wobbly from Marcial’s right hook, Huerta failed to make the 10-count, prompting the referee to call it a bout.

“I’ve been waiting for that punch to counter it because in the second round, he got me with a couple of shots, so I said, I need to watch this punch and then counter. So that’s what I did, and then that’s the outcome,” Marcial said in an interview with FightHype.

The knockout served as a glimmer of hope for Filipinos that Marcial would still join the Asian Games.

However, ABAP deemed that three days is too short of a transition period from his pro bout to the more daunting Olympic-style boxing at the Asian Games.

With no direct flight from San Diego to Nagoya, Marcial would need to take a 15-hour connecting flight, which would significantly reduce his training time.

“It would be very hard for him to immediately transition from a professional fight in the US into

long-distance travel to Nagoya with a 16-hour time difference, and then into another high-level boxing competition with such a short recovery period. Boxing is a physically demanding and inherently risky sport, and adequate time to rest and recover is extremely important, and we do not want to compromise Eumir’s health and safety because of the tight timeline,” Manalo said.

In a separate interview with United States-based sports photographer Jhay Otamias, the 30-year-old Marcial said he was still ready to catch the flight.

“Ready pa ako. Three rounds lang ‘yun, so parang lumaban lang ako sa amateur. I think ready pa naman ‘yung katawan ko (I’m still ready. It was just three rounds, so it’s just like I fought in the amateurs. I think my body is still ready),” Marcial said.

Manalo confirmed Marcial’s readiness, saying he was “very much looking forward to the opportunity to represent the flag once again.”

“This is therefore a difficult decision for everyone involved. However, representing the Philippines is not only about stepping into the ring. It is also about making responsible decisions that protect our athletes and allow them to have long, healthy careers,” Manalo said.

With Southeast Asian Games bronze medalist Weljon Mindoro, the supposed alternate, also not cleared after suffering a knockout loss to Mexican Carlos Ocampo in California on Aug. 30, the Philippines is left without a boxer in the men’s 80-kilogram division.

The Philippine Olympic Committee is facing sanctions from the Olympic Council of Asia for the last-minute withdrawal ahead of the draw on Sunday.

Meanwhile, Manalo assured that Marcial will fight in the Asian Indoor and Martial Arts Games in in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia on Dec. 11 to 21. (PNA)



PH women’s soft tennis team bags
bronze medal at Asian Games



PH’S FIRST MEDAL. Bien Zoleta reacts during the soft tennis team event at the 20th Asian Games at Higashiyama Park Tennis Center in Nagoya, Japan on Sunday (Sept. 20, 2026). The Philippines lost to defending champion Japan, 0-2, in the semifinal round to bag the bronze medal. (POC photo)

MANILA – The Philippines bagged its first medal at the 20th Asian Games after the women’s soft tennis team bowed to defending champion Japan, 0-2, in the semifinals at Higashiyama Park Tennis Center in Nagoya, Japan on Sunday.

Bien Zoleta and Princess Catindig lost to Rena Temma and Kiho Miyamae; and Christy Sanosa fell to Ayaka Iwakura, both by five-set sweeps.

“We are overjoyed because this is truly a historic win for us in Philippine soft tennis. It is our first podium finish since 1994. We are so happy to have won a medal for the country,” Zoleta, a seasoned tennis player before shifting to soft tennis, said in a news release.

“This [medal] is what we’ve dreamed of in soft tennis. This is our Olympics, so winning a medal here means a great deal to us.”

Soft Tennis Pilipinas said it was a moment they dreamed of, prayed for and fought hard to reach.

“Behind this medal are countless sacrifices, discipline, heartbreaks, unwavering support, and years of believing in what seemed like a distant dream. But more than anything, behind this bronze is a long hope and an undying love for the Philippine flag,” the association posted on Facebook.

Zoleta was the third Filipino to win a bronze medal at the World Soft Tennis Championships (2015, India) after Josephine Paguyo (1995, Japan) and Joseph Arcilla (2011, Korea).

“This isn’t just for us. It is for the Philippines. Hopefully, this provides a significant morale boost for the national athletes competing today, tomorrow, and in the coming days, because they

know how hard we worked for this victory, particularly at the Asian Games,” she said.

Zoleta will team up with Samuel Nuguit while Christy Sanosa and Sherwin Nuguit in the mixed doubles on Monday.

The women’s and men’s singles events will start Tuesday.

Sure bronze

Meanwhile, Jean Claude Saclag and Carlos Alvarez are assured of bronze medals each after barging into the semifinals of the men’s traditional mixed martial arts.

Saclag beat Saud Fawaz Almolhem of Saudi Arabia in the -65kg quarterfinals and Alvarez outclassed Ananda Prabowo of Indonesia in the -77kg division.

They will be back in the semifinals Monday.

In women’s basketball, Gilas Pilipinas beat Hong Kong, 90-73, to advance to the quarterfinals.

The Philippines is 2-0 in Group B. It dumped Kazakhstan, 86-58, in its first match. (PNA)



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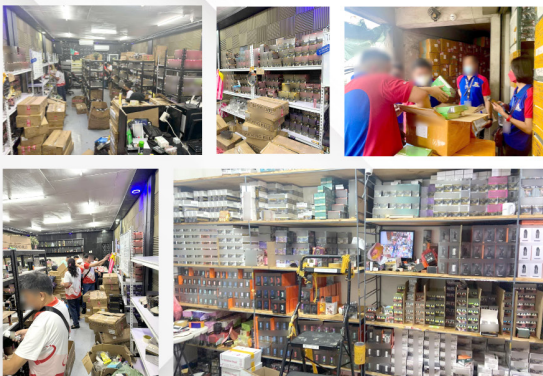
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