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Bill mandating producer responsibility on plastic wastes reaches Senate plenary

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by [Vanne Elaine Terrazola](#)

The Senate is set to begin plenary debates on the bill which would institutionalize the practice of extended producers responsibility (EPR) on their plastic packaging waste.



(Photo from EcoWaste Coalition)

Before the upper chamber adjourned sessions for a monthlong break Wednesday night, September 29, Senator Cynthia Villar sponsored Senate Bill No. 2425, which seeks to amend the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2002 (Republic Act No. 9003).

Twenty-one senators signed the committee report on the bill, which consolidates 10 proposals calling for the regulation of single-use plastics and its production, importation and disposal by industries.

In sponsoring the bill, Villar, chairperson of the Senate Committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change, recalled the July 10, 2000 landslide at the Payatas dumpsite in Quezon City which killed over 200 people.

The tragedy prompted the enactment of the RA 9003, which banned open ground dumpsites.

“Unfortunately, we are better in legislation than implementation...Open dumpsites are still operational, mixed waste are still being collected in urban areas; there is still no national ecology center to speak of; and the burden of waste reduction, segregation, and management mostly fell into the lap of households and the local government,” Villar lamented.

Villar also cited a 2015 University of Georgia study placing the Philippines in third place among 192 countries in terms of volume of plastic waste that end up in the ocean.

“And six years hence, from the conduct of that study, it seems that we have not improved our ranking,” she added.

The COVID-19 pandemic has also complicated the problem on plastic waste.

On the other hand, manufacturers still do not have the legal responsibility “to ensure the recyclability and upscalability of their products and packaging”, Villar said.

Under the 31-page bill, companies shall be responsible for the recovery, treatment, recycling or disposal of their plastic packaging after their products have been sold and used by consumers.

Obligated companies include producers, manufacturers and importers of products used by the general public, including suppliers of branded and unbranded plastics.



They would be mandated to adopt mechanisms and strategies for the “effective and proper” recovery and management of plastic packaging wastes and coordinate with the government on the implementation of their EPR programs.

The bill also sets targets so companies would improve their performance over time.

As an incentive, the measure proposes that obliged companies enjoy tax and duty-free importation for the equipment for use in the EPR programs for 10 years.

But those who fail to implement EPR will be slapped with fines, in addition to the penalties provided under the RA 9003.

Villar said the EPR system will help reduce the public expenses on waste management and decrease the volume of waste being produced.

The bill is expected to be discussed further when sessions resume on November 8.



Duterte urged: Ban single-use plastics

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by [Joseph Pedrajas](#)

Less than a year before his term ends, President Duterte is being pressed by environment groups to act on their call to ban the use of single-use plastics as they assert “plastic pollution crisis should be addressed as urgently as the COVID-19 reponse.”

Environment groups EcoWaste Coalition, Break Free from Plastic, Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives, Greenpeace Philippines, Health Care Without Harm South East Asia, Mother Earth Foundation and Oceana Philippines on Wednesday sent a correspondence to the Office of the President, requesting for the immediate release of Non-Environmentally Acceptable Products and Packaging (NEAPP) list and the inclusion in it of single-use plastics.

They made the call as they said “the longer we don’t ban single-use plastics, the worse it will get.

They also said that plastic “is not just a waste management issue but a climate and health concern as well that continues to worsen due to the pandemic.”

“This mandate is two decades long overdue, and the Commission only listed plastic soft drink straw and stirrer in February,” Coleen Salamat of EcoWaste Coalition said in a statement.

According to them, the national government must include the following in the NEAPP list:

- plastic labo bags
- plastic bags including oxo-degradable plastics
- plastic cutleries: spoon, fork, and knives
- plastic straws
- plastic stirrers
- plastic bottles
- plastic cups and plates
- thin plastic take-out containers
- styrofoam or polystyrene food containers
- sachet, packaging, or products that are multilayered with other materials

“Our oceans are already drowning in plastics. Our existing environmental laws are powerful, it is powerful enough to end the plastic crisis. Still, the implementation falls short. The Commission is composed of 14 national government agencies. R.A. 9003 (Ecological Solid Waste Management Act) was passed twenty one years ago but to date, not much has been done to address the perils of plastic pollution.” lawyer Gloria Estenzo Ramos, Vice President of Oceana added.

In a 2020 Social Weather Stations (SWS) survey, majority of Filipinos said they were in favor of banning single-use plastic bags and containers in the country.

SWS Deputy Director Vladimyr Licudine said that the nationwide survey, which was commissioned by GAIA Asia Pacific, showed that seven out of 10 Filipinos “feel that the best thing to do with single-use plastics is to ban their use at all times.”

Source: <https://mb.com.ph/2021/09/30/duterte-urged-ban-single-use-plastics/>



Green groups ask Duterte to ban single-use plastics

By [Gaea Katreena Cabico](#)(Philstar.com) - September 30, 2021 - 2:24pm



A pile of garbage, including plastic waste, is seen as children play on a bridge in downtown Manila on September 4, 2019.
AFP/George Calvelo

MANILA, Philippines — Environmental groups called on President Rodrigo Duterte to ban single-use plastics in order to address the waste management problem in the country.

In a letter sent to the Office of the President on Wednesday, the organizations asked Duterte to order the National Solid Waste Commission to immediately release the list of non-environmentally accepted products and packaging (NEAPP).

The implementation of Republic Act 9003 or the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act, which was passed in 2002, still falls short, the groups stressed..

In February, NSWC agreed to include plastic straws and stirrers in the NEAPP list. The resolution, however, has yet to be released.

“It has been two decades; the commission is still to release the NEAPP list. This mandate is long overdue,” the letter read.

The groups recommended the inclusion of the following products in the NEAPP list:

- plastic labo bags
- plastic bags including oxo-degradable plastics
- plastic cutleries: spoon, fork, and knives
- plastic straws
- plastic stirrers
- plastic bottles
- plastic cups and plates
- thin plastic take-out containers
- styrofoam or polystyrene food containers
- sachet, packaging, or products that are multilayered with other materials

While there are pending bills on single-use plastics ban, it would be “almost impossible to pass the law due to slow movement of the bills,” the groups said.

“The current pace of the 18th Congress and the National Solid Waste Management Commission worsens the already alarming state of the plastic crisis in our country. We have to immediately ban single-use plastic to end the plastic pollution,” they said.



They pointed out that plastic is not only a waste management issue but also a climate and health concern.

The organizations are hoping that the Duterte administration would follow up on its pronouncement to ban single-use plastics. In 2019, Malacañang said that the chief executive floated such idea.

The groups who sent the letter to Duterte's office include EcoWaste Coalition, Break Free from Plastic, Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives, Greenpeace Philippines, Health Care Without Harm Southeast Asia, Mother Earth Foundation and Oceana Philippines.



Dominguez urges rich nations to raise climate change aid

[Elijah Felice Rosales](#) - The Philippine Star October 1, 2021 | 12:00am

MANILA, Philippines — The Department of Finance (DOF) has asked developed economies to step up their efforts against climate change by expanding their financial assistance to vulnerable countries like the Philippines.

Finance Secretary Carlos Dominguez urged rich nations to respond to the commitments made by developing countries in bringing down their carbon footprint to mitigate the impact of the climate crisis.

Dominguez said members of the Climate Vulnerable Forum (CVF), composed of 48 economies most exposed to the risks of climate change, are now working on their goals to slash their waste contribution to the world.

Dominguez said developed economies should improve their funding programs to CVF members, as the latter suffers from natural calamities intensified by the carbon emissions of the former. Also, he requested for the transfer to developing countries of new technologies that they can use to alleviate climate damage.

The Philippines ranked ninth in the world as the most affected country from extreme disasters, based on the 2020 World Risk Index, on threats of natural hazards and lack of adaptive mechanisms. The country also placed fourth in 10 nations severed by climate extremities from 2000 to 2019 based on the Global Climate Risk Index.

According to the same report, the Philippines recorded a total of 317 events during the period and suffered \$3.17 billion worth of losses from them.

In spite of the climate damage, the country posted 1.33 tons per capita in carbon emission in 2019, below the average of 4.72 tons per capita worldwide and 4.14 tons per capita in Asia.

“We need to work together to come up with new financial frameworks in order to build a global insurance safety net,” Dominguez said.

Dominguez said the Philippines plans to introduce a financing platform to boost the capacity of a hydropower plant, as well as acquire coal-fired facilities to repurpose them, in Mindanao. When completed, the region should get bulk of its power requirements from hydropower.

Further, Dominguez said the DOF looks to rework the business model of state-run Philippine Crop Insurance Corp. (PCIC).

The DOF intends to tap the private sector in widening PCIC’s reach and improving its services in insuring crop losses.

The PCIC secured funding support worth P28.6 billion from the government in its last 20 years of operations, and Dominguez, who now chairs the PCIC board, wants to reduce its reliance on state subsidies by partnering with private insurers.

To address the climate crisis, multilateral institutions World Bank and Asian Development Bank issued \$75 billion and \$705 million, respectively, in green bonds last year to finance sustainable projects mostly in developing countries.

Source: <https://www.philstar.com/business/2021/10/01/2130854/dominguez-urges-rich-nations-raise-climate-change-aid>



Muntinlupa LGU explains foul-smelling algae bloom in Laguna Lake

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by [Jonathan Hicap](#)

The Muntinlupa City government explained that the occurrence of algae bloom or “liya” in Laguna Lake that is emitting a foul smell is a periodic occurrence and steps to mitigate this are already being undertaken

“Algae bloom, also known as Liya is a periodic occurrence in Laguna de Bay, particularly in the Central Bay and West Bay wherein Muntinlupa City is located. Those commonly found in Laguna Lake are blue-green algae, green algae and diatom. They are natural food for the fishes, and combined with environmental conditions such as sufficient sunlight, high water temperature, and calm water, the algae can grow at a very fast rate,” Muntinlupa Lake Management Office head Herminio dela Cruz told Mayor Jaime Fresnedi in a letter.



Muntinlupa Lake Management Office personnel at Laguna Lake (Herminio dela Cruz, LMO)

In an advisory last June, the Laguna Lake Development Authority (LLDA) said the algae bloom “could have been triggered by the combination of various factors such as the prolonged hot weather and calm lake condition this summer followed by the heavy influx of nutrients into the lake particularly nitrate and phosphate from the tributaries after the rainy season started this June.”

Dela Cruz said that algae bloom “becomes harmful when it decomposes in the process due to direct exposure to sunlight that lessens the dissolved oxygen in the water and causes stress to the fish and can cause fish kill.”

He said Muntinlupa residents, especially those who live along the lake’s shore, experience foul odor being emitted by algae bloom due to decomposition.

Extreme sunlight during summer causes the algae bloom to decompose and emit foul odor while during “amihan” or northeast monsoon, the direction of the wind plays a major role in building up algae bloom and water lilies along the shoreline of Laguna Lake, Dela Cruz added. Climate change is also a factor in algae bloom, he said.

The LMO has implemented programs and activities to lessen the problem of algae bloom in Laguna Lake.

Its Sagip-Ilog program is regularly conducted in coordination with barangays covered by the Laguna Lake. The hauling of garbage and water hyacinth from waterways lessens the problem, he said.



Four solar paddle wheels were installed in four areas to help increase oxygen supply to the lake to protect fish hatchery and fish cages.

Dela Cruz added that high powered submersible water pumps were also placed in strategic locations to serve as oxygen support in places where the paddle wheels cannot reach. Motorized boats are also used to create water activity in the lake to minimize the decay of algae bloom.

“Rest assured that the Lake Management Office does not rest in looking for ways to prevent/minimize and mitigate the present situation. The Strong Southwest Monsoon (Habagat) and strong rainfall can be a factor to help minimize and/or eliminate the decaying algae bloom along the territorial jurisdiction of Muntinlupa in Laguna de Bay,” according to Dela Cruz.



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2 importers face smuggling raps over cigarette, hazardous chemicals shipments

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by [Bethena Unite](#)

Two importers are now facing smuggling complaints for allegedly misdeclaring their shipments of cigarettes and hazardous chemicals in the country in June 2021, the Bureau of Customs disclosed.



(Photo courtesy of the BOC)

The BOC, through the Bureau's Action Team Against Smugglers (BATAS), has filed two criminal complaints before the Department of Justice (DOJ) against Goldlink Int'l Subic Inc. for the alleged misdeclaration and unlawful importation of over P111 million worth of counterfeit cigarettes that came in separate occasions on June 20 and 23 at the Port of Subic.

The bureau stressed that unlawful importation of counterfeit cigarettes is a violation of Republic Act No. 10863, otherwise known as the Customs Modernization and Tariff Act (CMTA) in relation to Customs Memorandum Order No. 20-2006; Tax Reform Acceleration and Inclusion Law; National Tobacco Administration (NTA) Board Resolution 079-2005; National Tobacco Memorandum Circular No. 03, s. 2004; and the Intellectual Property Code of the Philippines.

Lion King Industrial Corporation is also facing a criminal complaint for the alleged misdeclaration and unlawful importation of hazardous chemicals worth P3.8 million on June 9, 2021 through the Manila International Container Port.

According to BATAS, the importer violated pertinent provisions of the CMTA in relation to Republic Act No. 6969, otherwise known as An Act To Control Toxic Substances And Hazardous And Nuclear Wastes, Providing Penalties For Violations Thereof, And For Other Purposes ("R.A. 6969"), as implemented by Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) Administrative Order No. 1992-29; Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act 6969; and DAO No. 2013-24, Chemical Control Order (CCO) for Lead and Lead Compounds.

"To date, 73 criminal cases have already been filed before the DOJ against 237 individuals and customs brokers," the bureau said Thursday, Sept. 30.

Source: <https://mb.com.ph/2021/09/30/2-importer-face-smuggling-raps-over-cigarette-hazardous-chemicals-shipments/>



Build a sustainable future for all instead of Pasig River expressway – groups

By [Gaea Katreena Cabico](#)(Philstar.com) - September 30, 2021 - 9:25am



Photo shows project layout of Pasig River Expressway.
San Miguel Corp. via Move As One Coalition

MANILA, Philippines — Concerned citizens and organizations asked the government to stop the proposed Pasig River Expressway (PAREX) project and instead build a better and more sustainable future for Filipinos.

Groups opposing the project have been saying that the 19-kilometer elevated expressway's economic, environmental, health and heritage impacts will outweigh projected benefits.

They said that PAREX will exacerbate—not solve—the traffic congestion in Metro Manila and kill the Pasig River. The planned expressway is a project of conglomerate San Miguel Corp.

In a briefing on Wednesday, Greenpeace Philippines campaigner RJ Mallari said the project will affect the river's role in improving climate resilience and will cause more flooding and hotter temperatures in the capital region.

PAREX is also seen to worsen noise and air pollution, making communities surrounding Pasig River less livable.

The six-lane elevated expressway will run along the banks of the river from Radial Road in Manila to C-6 in Taguig.

“We should not build a lot of roads, bridges and buildings. We need to build a better future for everyone, for our future, my future. That means taking care of the environment, homes and communities and combatting climate change,” Jefferson Estela, convenor of Youth Strike for Climate Philippines, said in Filipino.

Tina Paterno, president of the International Council of Monuments and Cities, said that building PAREX “will take us in the opposite direction of sustainable development.”

“We’re sacrificing our river to solve a traffic problem. Is this how we want our leaders to decide on solutions to other problems in the future?” Paterno said.

“There are many possible futures before us that are more pro-development. There are alternative futures with less traffic centered around people and the planet. Which future would your children want?” she added.



72 days

Advocates said they were caught off guard by the government's approval of the P95-billion PAREX project, saying the period between the "first and only" public consultation and the groundbreaking ceremony last week was mere 72 days.

"We were shocked and disheartened when we learned that the contract between San Miguel and the government had been signed. There is no environmental compliance certificate (ECC) for the project yet but it already broke ground," Move as One Coalition member and former finance undersecretary Sunny Sevilla said partly in Filipino.

He added their questions on the project remain unanswered.

The Department of Environment and Natural Resources, which issues ECCs for projects, held a public scoping on July 14. During the event, mobility, environmental and heritage organizations registered their concerns over the planned expressway.

Despite opposition from groups and concerned citizens, the Toll Regulatory Board, together with the Department of Transportation, signed the Supplemental Toll operations agreement with SMC on September 21.

Three days later, the DOTR and the SMC held a groundbreaking ceremony for the project.

SMC President Ramon Ang on Wednesday defended PAREX and called the opposition to the project a "part of an orchestrated and continuing demolition job to paint the project as the opposite of what it truly is."

In response, Move as One Coalition convenor Robert Siy said dropping PAREX and pursuing river rehabilitation and sustainable travel alternatives are "much better" options.



CEMEX, Nestle take action for the climate

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CEMEX Philippines continues to gain ground on its *Future in Action* commitment through partnerships with the private sector, local government units, and other organizations working towards a sustainable future.

Among these partnerships is the plastic neutrality program of Nestlé Philippines, inked last year together with other program partners, where plastic wastes collected are co-processed. Just a year after the partnership was launched, Nestle announced that a total of 27,000 metric tons of plastic was diverted from landfills and bodies of water.

With a shared vision of sustainability and environmental responsibility, the collaboration between the two companies is a two-fold endeavor that contributes to CEMEX's *Future in Action* strategy to reduce CO₂ emissions by 35% by 2025 and around 40% by 2030. For Nestle Philippines, it is committed to a waste-free future by reducing its use of virgin plastics by 1,100 metric tons in 2021 and is continuously looking for more sustainable packaging through its research centers globally. CEMEX's co-processing role in this partnership helps provide a sustainable way of processing plastic wastes using its cement kiln.

"Sustainability is essentially a collaborative endeavor and our partnership with Nestlé enables us to continue our deep commitment and dynamic role in taking action for the climate," says Ignacio Mijares, CEMEX Holdings Philippines President, and CEO. "We will continue to build a better future for all as we proactively implement initiatives aligned to our Future in Action program," Mijares added.

Co-processing is a proven sustainable waste disposal solution in which segregated plastics are processed at extremely high temperatures to break materials down into simpler compounds. The non-recyclable wastes, such as plastics, are then converted into usable heat to help in the production of cement, lessening operational dependency on fuel and electricity use, and effectively contributing to a decrease in carbon emissions. The process is monitored in compliance with the standards set by the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR).

Apart from its partnership with Nestlé Philippines, CEMEX has actively been collaborating with various local government units, organizations, and communities to further its proper waste management initiatives and its Future in Action targets.

Source: <https://businessmirror.com.ph/2021/09/30/cevex-nestle-take-action-for-the-climate/>



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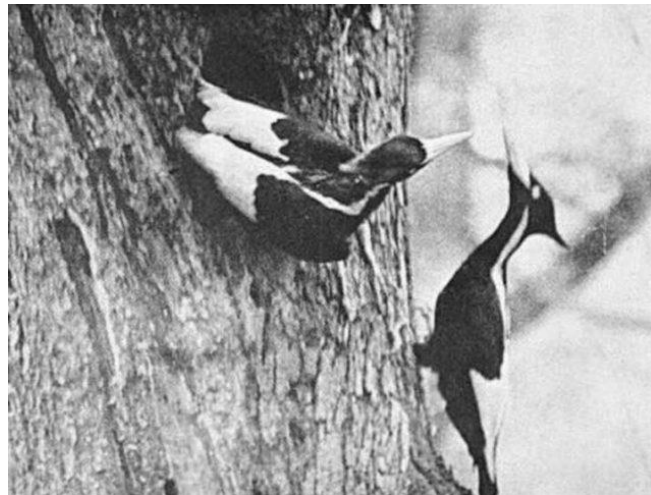
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US to declare 23 species, including ivory-billed woodpecker, officially extinct

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The ivory-billed woodpecker, whose last confirmed sighting was nearly 80 years ago, is one of 23 federally protected species that would be officially declared extinct – the most ever at one time – under a U.S. government proposal announced on Wednesday.

Although the woodpecker and some of the other creatures proposed for removal from the U.S. endangered species list have been functionally extinct for decades, scientists have warned that human-caused climate change and habitat destruction could make such disappearances more common.

“With climate change and natural area loss pushing more and more species to the brink, now is the time to lift up proactive, collaborative, and innovative efforts to save America’s wildlife,” said U.S. Interior Secretary Deb Haaland.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service proposal would mark the largest group of animals and plants to be formally consigned to oblivion at once under America’s main wildlife protection law, the Endangered Species Act (ESA), since it was passed in 1973.

Only 11 species previously listed under the act have been classified as extinct over the years, said Brian Hires, a spokesman for the Interior Department agency.

The 23 species now proposed for de-listing comprise a fruit bat, 11 birds, eight freshwater mussels, two types of fish, and a flowering plant in the mint family, the agency said.

The ivory-billed woodpecker, known to avid bird watchers as the “Lord God Bird,” was America’s largest woodpecker, but logging of old-growth forests in the U.S. South destroyed its habitat. Its last agreed-upon sighting was documented in 1944 in northeastern Louisiana, the service said.

Also on the list is Bachman’s warbler, considered one of America’s rarest songbirds. It has not been seen in the wild in the United States since 1962. The last documented sighting of the migratory bird anywhere was in Cuba in 1981.

Both the woodpecker and the warbler were first listed as endangered in 1967 under the precursor to the ESA, the Endangered Species Preservation Act.



Avian populations as a whole have diminished by nearly 3 billion birds in North America since 1970 amid rapid environmental changes linked to human activity, according to the wildlife service.

Eleven of the species proposed for classification as extinct are native to Hawaii and the Pacific Islands, falling victim to heightened risks posed by their very limited geographic range, the service said.

The wildlife service will accept public comment for the next 60 days, and a final judgment will be published on Dec. 29, Hires said.

The Endangered Species Act has had some success stories, too, with 54 species removed from protected status due to their recovery, including the American peregrine falcon and bald eagle. Another 56 species have been “down-listed” from endangered to threatened. A total of more than 1,600 domestic animal and plant species are currently listed, Hires said. — **Reuters**

Source: <https://www.bworldonline.com/us-to-declare-23-species-including-ivory-billed-woodpecker-officially-extinct/?fbclid=IwAR3zPP2IRLCFwI38SNdiUydh-wCvGbzlYCiZt510eOWp6M6kcO8XZTEREM>



House of Representatives approves P5.024-trillion national budget for 2022

RG Cruz, ABS-CBN News

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MANILA—Voting 238-6-0, the House of Representatives beat its own deadline to approve House Bill 10153 or the proposed P5.024 trillion 2022 national budget on second, third and final readings on Thursday, in time for the congressional adjournment for the filing of candidacies for the 2022 national and local Elections.

No amendments were made by the plenary, but the House created a small committee that will accept and process individual proposals from lawmakers that will be included in the final version of the bill that will be submitted to the Senate.

Members of the small committee for the majority were Reps. Eric Go Yap, Joey Salceda, and Martin Romualdez; Rep. Stella Quimbo for the minority, and independent member Rep. Edcel Lagman. Lawmakers have until October 5 to submit their proposed amendments.

As there were no major amendments made by the House, education remained the top recipient of the budget, P773.6 billion in 2022 compared to P751.7 billion in 2021.

This is followed by the Department of Public Works and Highways, which received P686.1 billion in 2022 compared to P695.7 billion in 2021. The Department of the Interior and Local Government has the third largest allocation (P250.4 billion compared to P249.3 billion in 2021).

Despite being in the middle of the pandemic, the Department of Health only got P242.0 billion compared to P210.2 billion in 2021.

The Department of National Defense received P222 billion, the Department of Social Welfare and Development got P191.4 billion, the Department of Transportation got P151.3 billion, and the Department of Agriculture with P103.5 billion.

The Department of Justice got P45 billion, and the Department of Labor and Employment with P44.9 billion.

The budget of the top 10 departments amounts to P2.71 trillion and comprises 53.9 percent of the 2022 allocation.

The 2022 budget is 11.5 percent higher than this year's budget. It has P252.4 billion for health spending.

The measure will be submitted to the Senate whose members now have time to study the bill ahead of the resumption of sessions in October and approve the budget before yearend, preventing a reenacted budget.

On its last day, the plenary session ended deliberations on the budgets of the Office of the President, the Department of Education, the Department of Budget and Management, the Department of Social Welfare and Development, Congress of the Philippines, the National Commission on Senior Citizens, Lump Sum Funds and the Presidential Communications Operations Office.

Lawmakers raced against time the past 2 weeks, devoting at least 8 to 10 hours of plenary sessions a day while minimizing committee hearings, so they can finish the budget Friday and give senators enough time to approve the budget before yearend, preventing a reenacted budget.

Source: <https://news.abs-cbn.com/news/09/30/21/house-approves-p5024-trillion-national-budget-for-2022>

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DENR ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
No. 2021 - 18

SUBJECT : AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2019-04 ENTITLED "GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL AWARDS FOR GOVERNANCE AND LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE (EAGLE)"

In the interest of service and for purposes of providing clarity on the scope, criteria, and procedures of EAGLE under DAO No. 2019-04 issued on 08 March 2019, Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of said DAO is hereby amended, as follows:

Section 3. Scope and Coverage

This order shall apply to all DENR Regional Executive Directors (REDs), EMB Regional Directors, MGB Regional Directors, Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officers (PENROs), Implementing PENROs and Community Environment and Natural Resources Officers (CENROs) occupying their positions with a number of months as stated thru an issuance of EAGLE Advisory. The Key Officials will be assessed covering their performance in the specified year. Standards for qualification may be subjected to changes relative to management prerogative and priorities.

Section 4. Criteria

4.1 Efficiency/Effectiveness in the delivery of services/product results will comprise 60% of the total Performance Evaluation Rating. This will involve the measurement of accomplishments on the PBB Indicators as prescribed by AO 25 and DENR Internal Guidelines.

Site validation may also be conducted if required by the PBB Assessment Team (PAsT). A guideline/procedure will be provided thru an EAGLE advisory.

4.2 Leadership abilities will comprise the remaining 40% and will be gauged depending on the approved process of the Evaluator.

Management may opt to conduct the in-house evaluation of leadership abilities or thru a Third-party evaluator

Section 5. General Procedures

5.1 Implementation Phase

The Performance Evaluation for the EAGLE Award will be divided into two Phases and will be assessed by the PBB Assessment Teams (PAsT) for Phase 1 and Leadership Assessment Team (LAsT) for Phase 2;

5.1.1. Phase 1 - Determination of Efficiency/Effectiveness in the Delivery of Services/Product Outputs/Results. In this Phase, the DENR Regions, PENROs, Implementing PENROs and CENROs will be assessed on the various indicators identified by the Policy and Planning Service in coordination with the Bureaus including Good Governance indicators using the PBB system. In addition, field/site validation shall be conducted for the Top 3 or Top 5 key officials if the need arises.

5.1.2 Phase 2 - Determination of Leadership Abilities of the Top 3 or Top 5 REDs, RDs for Mines & Environment, PENROs, CENROs and Implementing PENRO. The main activities under this Phase are the administration of survey questionnaires, conduct of verification of survey answers and face-to-face interview.

This activity may be conducted thru online platforms to accommodate unavoidable circumstances e.g. Covid - 19 Pandemic.

5.2 Assessment Teams

5.2.1 PBB Assessment Teams (PAsT)

In the conduct of the Phase 1 of the Performance Evaluation, the PBB Assessment Teams (PAsT) shall be created at the DENR Central Office, Regional Offices including MGB and EMB Regional Offices to evaluate Efficiency/ Effectiveness in the Delivery of Service/ Product Outputs/ Results of the field officials nationwide. The Team shall have a Permanent Chair, Vice-Chair and Members which will be composed of the following. However, additional members but not limited to specified members, may be added if necessary

5.2.1.1.1 PAsT for Regional Executive Directors (REDs)

- Chair : Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs
- Vice - Chair : Assistant Secretary for Policy and Planning
- Members : Policy and Planning Service Representatives K4 Representative

Roles and responsibilities:

- a. Assess the performance of Regional Executive Directors using the PBB indicators;
- b. Rate and rank the REDs, PENROs, Implementing PENROs and CENROs who shall qualify for Field/ Site Validation and Phase 2;
- c. Conduct field/ site validation;
- d. Present to the Technical Working Group the result of rating and ranking; and
- e. Decide if a top 3 or Top 5 Key Officials will be assessed for the EAGLE phase 2 depending on the results of the EAGLE Phase 1.

5.2.1.2 PAsT for PENROs, Implementing PENROs and CENROs

Evaluation for REDs, PENROs, Implementing PENROs and CENROs shall be conducted by DENR Central office PAsT and the team will use the same methodology as the REDs assessment. Results of the evaluation shall be submitted to the Over-All Coordinator for EAGLE.

The inclusion of the Regional PMT and designation of the team leader will be stated thru an issuance of EAGLE advisory.

5.2.1.3 PAsT for Regional Directors for EMB and MGB

A unified methodology shall be adopted by a separate team from EMB and MGB for the assessment of RDs EMB and RDs MGB, respectively. Results of the evaluation shall also be submitted to the Technical Working Group which acts as the Over-All Coordinator for EAGLE

5.2.2 Leadership Assessment Team (LAsT)

For Phase 2, LAsT shall conduct the Leadership Performance Evaluation of the Top 3 or 5 REDs, PENROs, CENROs, RDs for MGB and RDs for EMB and Implementing PENROs. The conduct of this activity will either be DENR Central office composite team or a third-party evaluator or a combination of both evaluators. A separate Advisory will be issue for said team composition.

5.3 Procedures

5.3.1 Document Review

A systematic gathering of data or information from existing documents shall be conducted to establish the existence or non-existence of

facts like the attainment or non-attainment of targets. Validation of reported accomplishments shall rely on documents - (Means of Verification) submitted by the concerned offices.

The following are the steps on documents review using Means of Verification (MOVs):

- a. The list of indicators as basis for assessment shall be provided to PAsT and all the submitted MOVs will be gathered and evaluated by the team.
- b. Year under review is the preceding year, unless otherwise stated in the specific guidelines/ advisory, all documents/MOVs must be from the specified year.
- c. Indicate rating per indicator in the calibrated performance rating sheet provided.

5.3.2 Evaluation (PAsT Teams)

The reported accomplishments shall be evaluated based on the submitted Means of Verification (MOVs). Reported accomplishments without MOVs, incomplete documents and submitted beyond the set deadline shall be deducted correspondingly using the point system applied.

Targets and reported accomplishments shall be recorded in the Calibrated Performance Evaluation Rating (PER) Sheet.

The activity shall be conducted in a maximum period specified by an official EAGLE advisory.

The Central Office PAsT together with other team member from bureaus or regions or both shall evaluate the performance of the PENROs, Implementing PENROs, and CENROs. For Team composition a separate EAGLE advisory and Special Order will be issued. The REDs however will be assessed by the Central Office PAsT only. Results of the evaluation shall be submitted to the Technical Working Group for approval.

The unified methodology for the assessment of performance of the Regional Directors for Mines and Geosciences Bureau (MGB) and Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) shall be set by the Field Operations Group for PBB.

5.3.3. Ranking (Top 3 or Top 5 Performing REDs, RDs, PENROs, CENRO and Implementing PENROs)

PAsT shall present the result of rating and ranking to the Technical Working Group (TWG).

The Top 3 or Top 5 Officials for REDs, RDs of MGB and EMB, PENROs, CENROs and Implementing PENROs with the highest weighted score will be recommended to qualify for Phase 2 of the EAGLE Award.

In the event of a tie in the selection of Top 3 or Top 5 Key Officials, the Field Operations Group for PBB shall decide based on selected menu of indicators, approved by the TWG.

After presentation and having no further questions/clarifications from the TWG, the result of the performance evaluation thru documents review, shall be deemed final. The Top 3 or Top 5 for each category: REDs, PENROs, CENROs, RDs for MGB and RDs for EMB and Implementing PENROs shall qualify and advance for the Field/ Site Validation and Phase 2 of the EAGLE.

5.3.4 Conduct of Field/ Site Validation

The conduct of Field/ Site Validation will depend on the approved methodology issued thru an EAGLE advisory.

5.3.5 Conduct of Leadership Performance Evaluation for Top Key Officials (Phase 2)

The Leadership Performance Evaluation shall be conducted by Representatives from DENR Central Office or a Third Party. Methodology shall be based on the approved guidelines from the evaluators

Section 6. Measurement of Performance

6.2.1 Phase 1 - Effectiveness/Efficiency comprises 60% of the total performance rating of the EAGLE, will be heavily based on MOVs.

The performance indicators for rating the REDs, RDs of Mines and Environment, PENROs, Implementing PENRO and CENROs will be cascaded thru an EAGLE advisory.

Targets and validated accomplishments shall be recorded in the Calibrated Performance Evaluation thru an EAGLE advisory.

The reported accomplishments shall be evaluated based on the submitted Means on Verification (MOVs). The score shall be computed and rated based on the adopted Performance - Based Bonus (PBB) System.

Reported accomplishments without MOVs, incomplete documents and submitted beyond the specified deadline stated in the Memorandum for this purpose shall be deducted correspondingly using the point system applied.

The methodology for Field/ Site validation shall be provided thru an EAGLE advisory

The REDs, PENROs, Implementing PENROs and CENROs nationwide will be ranked objectively based on the PBB Evaluation System and field/ site validation. The performance of the regional offices for Mines and Geosciences Bureau (MGB) and Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) shall follow the approved unified methodology.

6.2.2 Phase 2 - Leadership Performance Evaluation is equivalent to 40% each of the total score of the top 3 or top 5 REDs, PENROs, CENROs, RDs for MGB and EMB and Implementing PENROs based on the Leadership Evaluation Criteria set for this assessment.

Section 7. Point Scoring

The results for phase 1 and phase 2 shall be consolidated and tabulated. The total score for the EAGLE shall be computed as follows:

$$\text{Ave. \% Physical Accomplishment} \times .60 + \text{Ave. \% Leadership} \times .40$$

In case of a tie in the total score for Phase 1 and Phase 2, tie breaker shall be the Performance Evaluation Rating (PER) score in Phase 1.

The PAsT shall provide a report and recommend Eagle Awardees per category and the Steering Committee shall approve and endorse the said awardees to the PRAISE committee for conferment.

Section 11. Repealing Clause

Any previous DENR orders, memorandum circulars and other official issuances not consistent herewith are hereby amended, modified, or repealed accordingly. All other provisions of DAO 2019-04 shall remain valid, and with full force and effect.

Section 12. Effectivity

This Order shall take effect immediately after its publication in one (1) newspaper of general circulation and upon acknowledgement of receipt of a copy thereof by the Office of the National Administrative Register (ONAR), UP Law Center, Quezon City

ROY A. CIMATU
Secretary



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14,286 bagong COVID-19 cases nagpasipa sa local infections sa 2.54-M

(Philstar.com) - September 30, 2021 - 4:06pm



Commuters prepare their face shields as they board an EDSA carousel bus at the Monumento station in Quezon City on Sept. 23, 2021.
The STAR/Michael Varcas

MANILA, Philippines — Nakapagtala ang Department of Health (DOH) ng 14,286 bagong infection ng coronavirus disease (COVID-19), Huwebes, kung kaya't nasa 2,549,966 na sumatutal ang nahahawaan nito sa bansa.

Batay sa mga bagong nakalap na datos ng Kagawaran ng Kalusugan, narito ang bagong mga pasok na datos para araw na ito:

- **Lahat ng kaso:** 2,549,966
- **Nagpapagaling pa:** 138,294, o 5.4% ng total infections
- **Kagagaling lang:** 8,268, dahilan para maging 2,373,378 na lahat ng gumagaling
- **Kamamatay lang:** 130, na siyang nag-aakyat sa total local death toll sa 38,294

21.1-M fully-vaccinated na sa Pilipinas

- Sumampa na sa 21.1 milyon ang nakatatanggap ng kumpletong bakuna laban sa COVID-19 sa Pilipinas, ayon sa [pinakabagong mga tala ng gobyerno](#). Bahagi lang 'yan ng kabuuang 45.14 milyong doses na matagumpay naiturok sa bansa.
- [Nadagdagan](#) naman ng 1.23 milyong doses ng Moderna COVID-19 vaccines ang suplay ng Pilipinas, matapos lumapag ang eroplanong nagdadala dito sa Ninoy Aquino International Airport ngayong umaga. Bukod pa 'yan sa 391,950 Pfizer vaccines na dumating ng bansa Miyerkules ng gabi.
- Sa gitna ng napipintong pagbabakuna ng Pilipinas sa "general population" nito sa Oktubre, kampante si presidential spokesperson Harry Roque na magiging [sapat ang suplay ng mga gamot para mapunan ang kakailangang COVID-19 vaccine doses](#).
- Samantala, kinumpirma naman ni Roque na [nalalapit nang pagdedesisyunan](#) ng DOH ang magiging alert level ng Metro Manila sa gitna ng pandemya. Dagdag naman ni Socioeconomic Planning Secretary Karl Kendrick Chua, nagkakaroon ngayon ng "opening" para ma-downgrade ito.
- Umabot na sa 232.63 milyon ang tinatamaan ng COVID-19 sa buong daigdig, ayon sa huling datos ng [World Health Organization](#). Sa bilang na 'yan, patay na ang 4.76 milyong katao.

— James Relativo at may mga ulat mula sa The STAR/Alexis Romero

Source: <https://www.philstar.com/pilipino-star-ngayon/bansa/2021/09/30/2130828/14286-bagong-covid-19-cases-nagpasipa-sa-local-infections-sa-254-m/amp/>



Metro Manila stays under Alert Level 4 from October 1 to 15

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Members of the Quezon City Police District continue to conduct checkpoint along the boundary of San Mateo, Rizal and Quezon City on Aug. 5, 2021.

The STAR / Boy Santos, file

MANILA, Philippines — **(Updated 10:32 p.m.)** Metro Manila, pilot area for a new quarantine classification system, will stay under Alert Level 4 from October 1 to 15, Malacañang announced Thursday night.

The National Capital Region was put on Alert Level 4 on September 16 but officials, citing lower daily increases in COVID-19 cases said a lower alert level in the capital was possible. The Department of Health has been cautious on the decrease in daily cases, saying testing had also decreased.

Less restrictions under Alert Level 4

In a statement, Palace spokesman Harry Roque said the pandemic task force approved raising to 20% capacity the following indoor services for fully vaccinated individuals in Alert Level 4 areas: dine-in services, in-person religious services, and personal care services.

He said establishments allowed to operate under the same alert level with Safety Seal Certification will also be allowed additional venue capacity of 10% beyond the prescribed venue or seating capacity.

"In the same meeting, the IATF also approved the reopening of fitness studios and gyms at a limited 20 percent capacity for fully vaccinated individuals, provided that all gym workers should also be fully vaccinated," Roque added.

"Both clients and service providers shall also wear face mask at all times and no group activities will be allowed."

Roque in a briefing on Thursday said the number of daily new infections has gone down from highs of 20,000 per day. He also said that government needs to sustain efforts against COVID-19.

"It shows that our strategy is working," Roque said.

Pilot pediatric vaccination approved starting October 15

The presidential spokesman also confirmed that the proposed vaccination of minors ages 12 to 17 starting was approved by the task force.



"The pilot will begin on October 15, 2021 under a phased approach as may be determined by the National Vaccination Operations Center," Roque said.

"The IATF also affirms, upon the directives of President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, the opening of the national vaccination program to the general population nationwide upon the determination of the National Task Force Against COVID-19 and its Vaccine Cluster."

Other community quarantine classifications

Enhanced Community Quarantine (Oct. 1-15)

Apayao, Kalinga
Bataan
Batanes
Bulacan
Cavite
Iloilo Province
Lucena City
Naga City
Rizal, Laguna

General Community Quarantine with heightened restrictions (Oct. 1 - 31)

Abra
Bacolod City
Baguio City
Batangas
Bohol
Butuan City
Cagayan de Oro City
Cagayan, Isabela
Capiz
City of Santiago
Davao Occidental
Davao de Oro will also be (only from October 1-15)
Davao del Norte
Ilocos Sur
Iloilo City
Lapu-Lapu City
Misamis Oriental
Negros Orienta
Nueva Vizcaya
Pangasinan
Quezon
Quirino
Surigao del Sur
Zamboanga del Norte
Zamboanga del Sur

GCQ (Oct. 1-31)

Agusan del Norte
Agusan del Sur
Aklan



Albay
Antique
Benguet
Camarines Norte
Cebu City
Cebu Province
Cotabato City
Dagupan City
Davao City
Davao Oriental
Davao del Sur
Dinagat Islands
General Santos City
Guimaras
Ifugao
Iligan City
Ilocos Norte
Lanao del Sur
Mandaue City
Marinduque
Misamis Occidental
Negros Occidental
North Cotabato
Occidental Mindoro
Oriental Mindoro
Puerto Princesa
Sarangani
Siquijor
South Cotabato
Sultan Kudarat
Surigao del Norte
Tacloban City
Tarlac
Zamboanga City
Zamboanga Sibugay

The rest of the country will be under the least stringent form of lockdown, modified GCQ.



US sending 5.3M more Pfizer vax doses to PH

By Joyce Ann L. Rocamora September 30, 2021, 2:54 pm



(PNA file photo by Robert Oswald Alfiler)

MANILA – Foreign Affairs Secretary Teodoro Locsin Jr. on Thursday said the United States will be sending an additional 5.3 million doses of Pfizer coronavirus disease 2019 (Covid-19) vaccine to the Philippines through the COVAX Facility.

"As I exchanged views w/ Rep. Steve Chabot, Babe Romualdez -- who'd just come in from an Asean meeting with NSC (National Security Council), he whispered to me that the White House told him that 5.3 million doses of Pfizer are coming to us through COVAX," he said referring to Philippine Ambassador to US Jose Manuel Romualdez.

"Thank you, America, thanks, Babe. Running total -- 14.1 million," he added.

Manila has so far received about 9 million doses of Covid-19 vaccine directly donated by the US government as part of President Joe Biden's commitment to helping vaccinate 70 percent of the global population by 2022.

In a virtual forum on Thursday, Romualdez said the US had been a "reliable partner for us" throughout this pandemic, with President Rodrigo Duterte himself extending his gratitude to the Biden administration for extending assistance during these trying times.

"While we are still battling this pandemic, let us not forget that there is more work to be done to ensure that no virus will once again bring the world down to its knees," he said.

"We continue to look to the United States to take the lead in rallying the international community towards a pandemic-free world, and we stand ready to do our part, in partnership with the community of nations, to achieve this objective," he added.

The US has worked closely with Philippine stakeholders throughout the pandemic to support the country's response to Covid-19.

As of September 21, the US government's Covid-19 assistance to the Philippines has already reached USD39 million (approximately PHP1.9 billion). **(PNA)**



INANG KRITIKAL AT INISKAM SA TOCILIZUMAB PUMANAW NA



September 30, 2021 @ 5:26 PM 14 hours ago

TULUYAN nang namaalam ang biktima ng iskam sa gamot laban sa COVID-19 na tinalakay natin dito sa ULTIMATUM kamakalawa.

Si Marinel Antolin, ng Sta. Lucia, Ilocos Sur.

Nalagutan ng hininga si Antolin kahapon ng umaga sa Mariano Marcos Hospital and Medical Center, Batac, Ilocos Norte.

Makaraang maiskam ito ng P20,000 mula sa presyong P50,000 para sa nasabing gamot, naghanap ang mga kamag-anak nito ng iba, partikular si Janine Tobias na hipag nito at nakahanap naman ng dalawang vial.

Ngunit naging huli na ang lahat kahit pa naiturok sa biktima ang nasabing dalawang vial ng gamot.

PAGHIHINAGPIS NG KABIYAK

Hindi napigilan ni Jayson Philip Tobias na ilabas ang kanyang saloobin na balot ng kalungkutan sa pagpanaw ng kanyang asawang si Marinel.

Heto, mga Bro.

Hindi ko alam kung san ko uumpisahan. Basta ang usapan natin, mahal, magpapa-hospital ka para mas magamot ka, 'di ba? Na gagaling ka?!

Usapan pa natin, sabay kayong lalabas ni baby Coby rito sa hospital .

Ang saya mo pa jan sa picture, oh. Sabe mo picturan kita dahil may dextrose 'yung dalawa mong kamay.

Pero bakit, mahal? Bakit iniwan mo na kami ng mga anak natin?

Naalala ko 'yung sabe mo nu'ng nasa Gabriela (Gabriela Sila Hospital, Vigan City) pa tayo na kung may mangyaring masama sayo, dapat si baby ang piliin ko. Pero sabi ko, ayoko, dapat dalawa kayo.

Ciguro nag-sacrifice ka na para kay baby Coby.

Alam ko naman na lumaban ka hanggang sa huli. Ginawa rin namin ang lahat para ma-save ka, alam mo 'yan.

Ngayon bumigay ka na, mahal ko.



MASAKIT MAN SABIHIN, PAALAM MAHAL KO, Marinel Antolin AT. REST IN PEACE, MAHALKO ! MAHAL NA MAHAL NA MAHAL KITA SOBRA! MAHAL KA NAMIN NANG PAMILYA MO. PANGAKO HNDI NaMIN PABABAYAAN ANG MGA BATA . AALAGAAN NAMIN SILA NANG MABUTI.



MAGKASUNOD NA DAGOK SA BUHAY

Halos kasabay ni Marinel na nagkasakit sa COVID-19 ang kanyang sariling ina.

Naging kritikal hanggang sa bawian ng buhay ang kanyang ina nitong Linggo sa Gabriela Silang Hospital sa Vigan City, Ilocos Sur at kinagabihan, inilibing din ito sa Sta. Lucia Cemetery ng Local Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office sa ilalim ni Romeo Buenavista at Municipal Engineering Office ni Engr. Norman Moreno.



Ginamitan ng backhoe ang paghuhukay ng libingan ng ina upang matiyak na may sapat na lalim at mabilis ang paglilibing.

Kaya naman, hindi masukat ang kalungkutan ng buong pamilya ng biktima.

Samantala, walang nakatitiyak sa kinabukasan ng walong buwang sanggol na sapilitang inilabas ng mga doktor mula sa sinapupunan ni Marinel sa pagsisikap nilang mabuhay ito.

Sinasalinan ang sanggol ng dugo sa pag-asang magpatuloy itong mabuhay.

AKSYON PARA SA KATARUNGAN

Sa huling pag-uusap ng ULTIMATUM at si Janine, gusto nilang harapin ang scammer sa Tocilizumab na isang Lyn Ana alyas Christine Joy Villanueva.



Matatandaang humingi ng advance payment na P20,000 ang suspek mula sa napagkasunduang P50,000 na presyo ng gamot at nagkasundong mag-abutan ng buong bayad at gamot sina Janine at ang suspek ngunit hindi kailanman nagpakita ang huli.

Ipinarating na sa Philippine National Police ang kasong ito upang umaksyon laban sa nakamamatay na pandurugas sa gamot.



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SETYEMBRE 30, 2021

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PORSYENTO NG AKTIBONG KASO

5.4%

TOTAL NG AKTIBONG KASO
138,294

PORSYENTO NG GUMALING

93.1%

TOTAL NG GUMALING
2,373,378

PORSYENTO NG NAMATAY

1.50%

TOTAL NG NAMATAY
38,294

MGA BAGONG KASO **14,286**

MGA BAGONG GUMALING **8,268**

MGA BAGONG NAMATAY **130**

KABUANG BILANG NG KASO **2,549,966**

MGA NAGPOSITIBO HULING SETYEMBRE 28

DATOS NGAYONG SETYEMBRE 30
AYON SA REPORTS NOONG SETYEMBRE 28

22.0%

PORSYENTO NG MGA
NAGPOSITIBO

62,369

BILANG NG
TINEST

HALOS
93.4%
ANG MILD AT
ASYMPTOMATIC
NA KASO!

BAWAL
WALANG MASK
AT FACE SHIELD

KABUANG PILIPINAS

PUNO NA BA ANG ATING MGA OSPITAL?

ICU BEDS (4.4K TOTAL BEDS)
74% Utilized

ISOLATION BEDS (21.4K TOTAL BEDS)
62% Utilized

WARD BEDS (15.9K TOTAL BEDS)
66% Utilized

VENTILATORS (3.3K TOTAL VENTILATORS)
54% Utilized

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

PUNO NA BA ANG ATING MGA OSPITAL?

ICU BEDS (1.6K TOTAL BEDS)
75% Utilized

ISOLATION BEDS (4.8K TOTAL BEDS)
53% Utilized

WARD BEDS (4.4K TOTAL BEDS)
64% Utilized

VENTILATORS (1.1K TOTAL VENTILATORS)
57% Utilized

KALAGAYAN NG MGA
AKTIBONG KASO

Mild 77.7%

15.8% Asymptomatic

0.9% Critical

2.0% Severe

3.72% Moderate



UPDATE AND MESSAGE OF THE DAY

Kinakailangan ang ating pagkakaisa sa pagpapatupad ng ating **Minimum Public Health Standards** upang mapigilan ang tuluyang pagkalat ng COVID-19. Maging alisto din sa mga sintomas at agad na makipag-ugnayan sa **BHERTS** o sa **One COVID Referral Center** upang maiwasang makahawa pa ng iba. Maaabot ang One COVID Referral Center sa **1555, (02)886-505-00, 0915-777-7777, o sa 0919-977-3333.**

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
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



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





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