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Apprehension of Smoke Belchers starts August 1



BAGUIO CITY – Smoke belcher, beware!

As part of its launching on August 1, the city’s Clean Air Task Force, re-named as the “Bantay Kalikasan Task Force” will start apprehending smoke-belching vehicles in line with the Clean Air Act.

The multi-sectoral aggrupation is composed of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), the Department of Transportation and Communication (DOTC), the city government, the Baguio City Police Of-

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BANTAYAN AT SIYASATIN
TRUTH O TUTA COMMISSION,/PERA SA BASURA,/NEW DENR DIRECTOR, HAMBOG? atbp.

By RUDY “BANTAY SIYASAT” GARCIA



We believe that the Golden Rule applies to animals, too. We don't accept the prevailing notion that "people come first" or that "people are more important than animals." Animals feel pain and suffer just as we do, and it is almost always humans making animals suffer and not the other way around. Yet in spite of how cruelly people behave towards animals – not to mention human cruelty to other humans- we are supposed to believe that humans are superior to other animals. If people want to fancy themselves as being of greater moral worth than the other creatures on this earth, we should begin behaving better than they do, and not worse. Let's start treating everyone as we would like to be treated ourselves.

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vice-Traffic Management Branch, the Traffic Management Group, Alay sa Kalinisan Inc. and other government and non-government agencies and volunteer groups.

DENR-Environment Management Bureau (EMB) pollution division chief Rolando Reyes said that five groups from the task force will be designated in various points of entry to the city namely Kennon Road, Marcos Highway, Naguilian Road, La Trinidad and in the Central Business District. The groups will be in their assigned places two hours a day on a random schedule.

He said that each group will have a smoke-emission testing machine operated by a certified technician from the Technical Education Skills and Development Authority (TESDA) to test whether a vehicle is a smoke belcher or not. Reyes said the calibration of these machines will be conducted at the DOTC later this month.

First-time offenders will be fined P1,000; P3,000 for the second offense and P5,000 for the third offense including a mandatory orientation on the clean air act. Those apprehended three times within a year will have their car registration cancelled for one year.

Reyes disclosed that several jeepney operators have earlier appealed for the reduction of the penalties but he explained that the task force could not reduce the fines since these are provided for in the Clean Air Act. He added that only Congress or the Baguio-La Trinidad-Itogon-Sablan-Tuba (BLISYT) airshed governing body could reduce the penalties.

"These will absolutely be no exemptions in the apprehensions of smoke-belchers whether these are public utility vehicles, private car or government vehicles," Reyes stressed adding that this is also the task force's way of helping the city government's environment protection campaign.

He added that not only smoke belchers will be apprehended starting August 1 but also those violating various traffic ordinances and other related laws and will be penalized accordingly to said laws. — Gaby B. Keith

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DENR asked to cancel lot applications at Forbes Park

BAGUIO CITY – Mayor Braulio Yaranon has asked the Department of Environment and Natural Resources Cordillera (DENR-CAR) here to cancel all the miscellaneous and townsite sales applications over lots within the Forbes Park reservation along South Drive here.

In his Administrative Order No. 104, the mayor also directed the city buildings and architecture officer to recall the fencing, building and such other permits issued to any person or entity applying for said lots located along South Drive from the Military Circle towards the Girl Scout area.

The mayor's move was prompted by

reports that TSA and MSA lot applications over said lots have been approved by the AO 504 committee.

Reports reaching the mayor said that some applicants are claiming that the lots are part of their ancestral domain.

The lots were said to be surveyed and are now being sold to lot speculators. The mayor said the survey plan was not approved by the DENR.

He said the practice has to be stopped immediately to prevent more lot applicants from being defrauded.

The mayor said the city will look into the deed of sales of those who bought said lots.

"The area is part of the Forbes Park forest reservation and the same does not fall within the alienable and disposable lands of the Baguio Townside Reservation. The area is heavily wooded and the same forms part of the watershed needs of Baguio City," the mayor noted in his order. — aileen p. refuerzo

Mayor orders demolition of illegal structures at Kennon Road, road rights-of-way

BAGUIO CITY – Mayor Braulio Yaranon has ordered the demolition of five structures being built at the vicinity of Kennon Road national park.

The on-going constructions, four of which are two-story residential houses and a fence are not covered by building permits as per report of the city building and architecture office (CBAO) under city building official Oscar Flores.

Flores recommended the summary demolition of said structures for violation of section 301 of Presidential Decree No. 1098 or the National Building Code and sections 28 and 30 of Republic Act No. 7279.

The mayor asked acting city legal officer Melchor Carlos Rabanes to prepare the necessary order for the summary demolition of said structures.

A similar order will also be prepared for a structure allegedly built at the quarrying area in Irisan which sits on a road right-of-way and was not covered by a building permit.

An investigation report from the CBAO

said the shanty was built on a portion of the lot within the road right-of-way allegedly subdivided by members of the Irisan Lime Kilns Retirees Descendants Association Inc. among themselves. The investigation was prompted by the complaint of Fred Rufino, a resident in the area.

In another move, the mayor has requested the city district engineering office to facilitate the removal of illegal structures built within the road right-of-way on various national roads within the city.

District engineer Nerie Bueno earlier reported that they had identified 13 illegal structures built on the rights-of-way along Asin Road, Baguio-Bauang Road, Sto. Tomas-Mt. Cabuyao Road and along Session Road 2.

Bueno said the owners had been issued third and final notices to voluntarily remove the illegal structures.

The mayor asked Bueno to institute the needed measures to remove the structures. — aileen p. refuerzo



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Mayor hails demolition of illegal structures at Dairy Farm

BAGUIO CITY – Mayor Braulio Yaranon Thursday hailed the demolition of illegal structures at the Baguio Dairy Farm here as a manifestation of the government’s resolve to protect its watersheds and reservations from incursions.

The mayor said he was informed by Dept. of Agriculture Cordillera acting regional head Atty. Cipriano Santiago that all of the structures have been demolished save for the four which are now the subject of court cases.

The dismantling operation was covered by Demolition Order No. 16 and 17 issued in 2003 but which was derailed after the National Commission on Indigenous People (NCIP) Cordillera issued a temporary restraining order and injunction in favor of the owners.

“We really need a firm action on this squatting concern because if we don’t take action now, our watersheds will soon be squatted upon. NCIP should be meddling with our the city’s affairs. The concern of the city and communities is to maintain our watersheds for us to continue enjoying clean air, water and to have more open spaces,” the mayor said.

Court records showed that the city government in June, 2003 planned to demolish the structures built by the heirs of Ikang Paus represented by one Olarte Alislis Paus on a land within

the Baguio Dairy Farm which is a government reservation for animal breeding station purposes under Proclamation No. 603.

The demolition order was issued by then mayor Vergara based on the complaint of Baguio Dairy Farm administrator Patrocinio Abaya and based on the recommendations of the city engineer’s office, the public order and safety division and the anti-squatting committee for violation of Presidential Decree 1096 or the Anti-Squatting Law.

To stop the demolition, the heirs filed a petition before the NCIP-CAR for injunction with prayer for the issuance of a temporary restraining order and writ of preliminary injunction.

The NCIP-CAR granted the TRO prayer on June 25, 2003 and issued the preliminary injunction on June 30 of the same year and subsequently dismissed the city government’s motion for reconsideration and motion to dismiss.

However, the city appealed the NCIP-CAR decision before the Court of Appeals which eventually ruled that NCIP had no jurisdiction over the case and that hearing officer Brain Masweng had no authority to issue the injunction as the case does not involve the implementation of Republic Act No. 8371 or the Indigenous People’s Rights Act (IPRA). – aileen p. refuerzo

Cepmo investigating sewer connections to drainage pipes

The city environment and parks management office is investigating reports of new sewer line connections to the underground water drainage system within the central business district.

“Although last year we notified and warned establishments of illegal connection of sewer into our drainage system at the (CBD), we are going back through the process for possible new illegal connections,” CEPMO officer-in-charge Josephine Chan said in a report last week to mayor Braulio Yaranon.

Chan said she has asked permission from the Department of Public Works and Highways for her office to open up manholes to trace the illegal sewage connections that should have been piped into the city’s sewer system.

The mayor earlier director the CEPMO dampen with the use of chemicals the sewer effluent smell in the CBD and have it flushed.

Meanwhile, Chan said her office is awaiting approval by the city council of a pro-

posed ordinance filed by councilor Daniel Farinas for the purchase of color-coded garbage receptacles in support of the on-going waste segregation program.

She expressed hope that “an ample amount be appropriated for this because we will not only be complying with (national law) requirements but also contributing to the beautification of the city.”

Farinas proposed six colored containers: blue for paper, yellow for plastic, red for metal, green for glass, brown for foot left-over and gray for other types of garbage.

“The new color-coded receptacles will be the easiest and simplest way to segregate garbage at source,” Chan noted. “ This will minimize efforts on information and education of the public on what is recyclable, non-recyclable, biodegradable.”

Pending approval of the measure, the CEPMO is using refurbished bins labeled for specific waste, starting at the Burnham Park. – Ramon Dacawi.

Mayor forms committee to prepare for 105th Civil Service Anniversary Celebration

BAGUIO CITY – Mayor Braulio Yaranon last week created a committee to spearhead the preparations for the 105th anniversary of the Philippine Civil Service and the Civil Service Month celebration this September.

The committee will be chaired by the mayor and Rep. Mauricio Domogan as honorary chair with Vice Mayor Reinaldo Bautista Jr. as vice chair and Councilor Leandro Yangot Jr., chair of the council committee on governmental affairs and personnel as action officer.

The members are city accountant Antonio Tabin, city budget officer Leticia

Clemente, general service officer Romeo Concio, city health officer Dr. Florence Reyes, planning and development coordinator Arturo Orig, city treasurer Thelma Manaois and city employees Gaudencio Gonzales, Arnold Katigbak, Mario Angnen and Joy Bareng who serve as representatives to city incentives bodies.

The committee will be tasked to spearhead the preparation of activities for the city government in coordination with various local and national government agencies to be led by the Civil Service Commission. – Aileen P. Refuerzo

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“Unless we dream the best for Baguio of which we are capable, our future will be poorer than it might be.”

A Public Message from Councilor Rocky Thomas A. Balisong

HIV Awareness Program

BAGUIO CITY – Two more Cordillerans, for the second quarter of this year, were reported by the City Social Hygiene Clinic to be afflicted with human immuno virus (HIV).

Social Hygiene Clinic chief, Dr. Celia Brillantes said that the victims were a male Baguio resident and a female Benguet resident who expired in one of the

hospitals in the city lat April.

“Most

HIV victims we

monitored were either overseas workers or connected with an overseas worker, which is true to the latest two victims,” Brillantes said.

The doctor said that she will coordinate with the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA) so that the clinic will be given more time in the pre-departure orientation seminar (PDOS) for Filipinos going abroad.

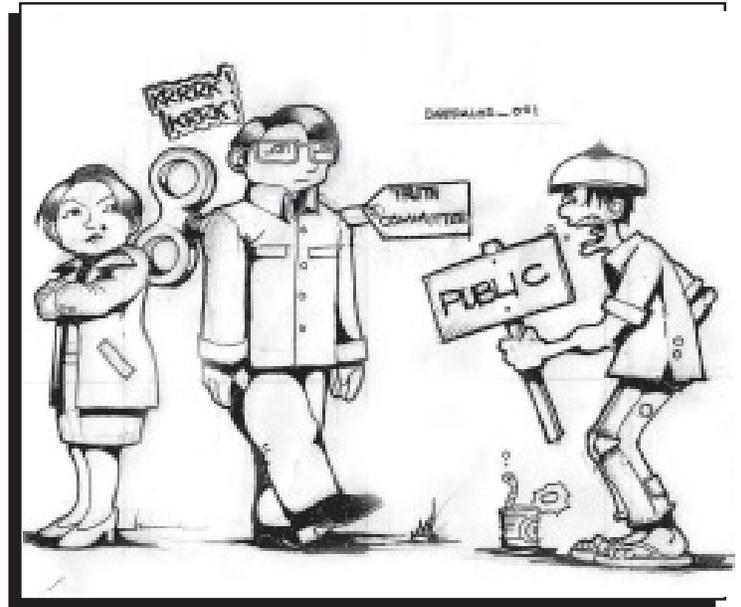
“To fully inculcate the consequences and prevention of HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted infections (STI) to the minds of departing overseas workers, at least a half day seminar regarding the disease is necessary,” the doctor said.

A value awareness seminar similar to the one being conducted by Councilor Galo Weygan for entertainers every Friday from 3 p.m. onwards at the Social Hygiene Clinic is also recommended to be included in the PDOS.

POEA has been requested to accommodate non-government and religious organizations to conduct lectures on value awareness and enhancement in the PDOS.

“On a technical sense, the prevention of HIV/AIDS and STI that we advice people with are abstinence, being faithful to spouse, the use of condom, avoidance of illegal drugs, early diagnosis and treatment and follow-up. The most effective prevention however rests on the moral values of the individual,” Brillantes emphasized.

Meanwhile, the most common STI being treated at the hygiene clinic is chlamydia infection. The most afflicted were women and were asymptomatic. Asymptomatic patients do not feel or exhibit the symptoms, however, they can transmit the disease to other people. – Art Killip



DEPTHNEWS

A BUMLUCK TOUR

BY JUAN L. MERCADO



Does news depend on vocal chords? Then, why do some announcers screech as if the world was coming apart at the seams? Old “geezers” like us don’t need hearing aids — yet. So, we’d prefer professional calm.

BBC reported the London bombing without screaming. Only a catch in Walter Cronkite’s voice broke the even tenor of his low-decibel report on John F. Kennedy’s assassination.

Nor does news depend on apocalyptic headlines.. “Biggest Rally in Makati” screams one paper. But what’s the context?.

Former Estrada minister Horacio Morales promised that one million would march at Wednesday’s rally. Forty thousand came. That’s less than four percent. Could you tell that from “the mother of all rallies” dispatches?

“What’s the alternative being proposed by the opposition?,” enquires an Internet essay : “Philippine History Abridged” or Ang Gulo sa Bayan Ko. (At presstime, I was trying to trace the author).

“Jinggoy (Estrada) says bring back Erap”, this article notes. “Rez Cortes wants Susan Roces to take over. But (Fortunato) Abat says it should be him while Billy Bibit says it should be a military junta.” . . .

“Bayan-National Democratic Front says it should be a coalition government with them at the helm. Sanlakas says it should be a revolutionary government”.

“Here’s Noli de Castro who ABS-CBN wants to be the new President. Not so fast, says Loren Legarda. She reminds everyone about her protest against Noli.

“Ping Lacson isn’t talking. But his body language points to his wanting to take over. Jojo Binay, says over his dead body! And Frank Drilon and Manny Villar think it should be them. So they’re positioning to be the vice president.

“What’s wrong with us?” , Abridged History asks. “Admittedly, this country is frustrating. But it’s the only country we’ve got. Will we ever see the dawn?” So, it takes you on a tour of malas: from Lapu-Lapu to La Gloria.

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PINUPUNA AT PINAPANSIN

**MORE BLIND ITEMS!!! MGA TAXI
MAG IISYU NA NG RESIBO!!!****BY ODELL "BOMBITO" AQUINO
Cp. Nos.:(0910)521-0317/(0927)778-2132**

FORBIDDEN LOVE AFFAIR – nais ko lang I share sa ating mga dear readers ang isang serial ng text messaging na natanggap ng inyong linkod (nitong July 17, 2005 at nagmula sa Cell Phone Number 0928-3724_ __ mula) hingil sa isang mukhang forbidden love affair ng dalawang local government-city hall employees. . Bagamat atin ng na kompirama at na beripika ang katutuhanan ng nasabing impormasyon mula sa texter ay aking pa rin ihahayag na wala ang mga pangalan ng mga main starrer sa pamamagitan ng blind item sapagkat isa itong personal na bagay at hindi naman tayo pumapatol sa mga ganitong uri ng kapersonalan. Nais ko lang ihayag para sa ay mapulutan ng aral ng mga ibang public officials na kung gagawa sila ng ganitong uri ng kalokohan ay simple lang sana at kung sa ingles ay be very discreet about it, sapagkat ang ganitong uri ng mga relasyon ay nakaka apekto rin ng kanilang mga kasamahan sa opisina..

10: 03 AM Good morning po sir Odell! O.K po ba magsumbong sa inyo tungkol sa relasyon ng boss sa kanyang subordinate? May asawa po kasi yung bos. Ang mali pa po sa city hall ----- opis cla pareho. Kayo na po verify pero alam po to buong opis namin. Bawal din po ito civil service rules.

10:12 AM Maari po na name withheld upon request na lang ako? Young supervisor – boss po ay division lang sa opis namin. May asawa na at lady po sya. Kahit po ipagtanong nyo kung pano nagkaroon ng 23k na cellfon ang opismate namin na lalaki. Nokia 6680 si ma'am ang bumili para sa kanya! Bawal po yun ayun sa civil service.

10:13 AM Kahit po blind item nyo muna sila. Malaswa po tignan para sa opis naming pero mali po kasi ginagawa nila. Apektado po kami.

10:23 AM Punta kayo opis nmin bukas o sa ibang lugar na lang. Palaban po kasi si ma'am khit alam ng lahat ginagawa nya deadma siya.

10:49 AM Yun lalaki po opismate din naming pero bago pa lang kasi siya sa ----- . Single at wala problema sa kanya 26 years old. Yung si ma'am ang married na't isa anak at 37 years old.

16:19 PM Goodafternoon po sir Odell yung Nokia 6680 na cellfon po pala 27K plus, mali po yung sinabi ko kanina na 23K. may idea na po ba kayo sino yung 2 opismates ko na yun? Nahihiya po kami sa opisina. Palagi pa nanood sila ng sine kape sa starbuks. Alam din naming palagi pumupunta bahay ni bos yung lalaki.

16:30 PM nakakahiya man po., txt kona lahat. Madami ang sabungero sa opis namin halos lahat lalaki, flying school. May isa pa po kaming opismate, married at lady rin ka affair naman po nya asawa ng isang taga mayor's opis rin. Mabuti na lang nag abroad na yung lalaki. Khit po mag tratrabaho kami maayos kung nakakakonsensya Gawain ng iba sa amin pag tatahimik lang kami nakakadistrak

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DALAWANG BALASUBAS NA KONSEHAL- at sino naman ang dalawng balasubas na konsehal na ito na hangang sa ngayon ay ayaw pang bayaran ang kanilang utang mula sa mga inilabas na political ads nitong nakaraang eleksyon. Tawagin na lang natin sila sa pangalan na Konsehal Pangakalawakan at si Konsehal Tuta ni master.. Alam nyo ba na itong si Konsehal Pangalawakan ay sinulatan na ng kawawang pahayagan ng pitong (7) beses mula pa nuong May 3, 2004 at ito naman si Konsehal Tuta ni Master ay sinulatan na rin ng anin (6) na beses mula pa nuong May 3, 2004. Isipin nyo nga naman mga dear readers itong dalawang konsehal na ito ay gusto pang goyohin yun pahayagang yuon na kanila naman kaalyado, eh di lalo na kung hindi nila kaalyado eh di lalaong nilang ginagago. Ganyan ka sama ang karakter ng ilan sa ating mga konsehal.

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BANTAYAN AT SIYASATIN

**TRUTH O TUTA COMMISSION/
PERA SA BASURA, /NEW DENR
DIRECTOR, HAMBOG? atbp.****BY RUDY "BANTAY SIYASAT" GARCIA****TRUTH COMMISSION OR TUTA COMMISSION?**

Alam nyo mga dear readers, paminsan-minsan Lang pong nakikialam ang inyong lingkod sa mga isyung nasyonal pero sa sandaling ito ay medyo saltikin nga natin itong isinusulong na truth commission.

Hindi naman sa tayo ay hindi pabor sa gagawing imbestigasyon upang lumabas ang buong katotohanan sa mga iskandalong kinasasangkutan ngayon ng sting Pangulong si GMA katulad na lang itong Gloria Gate Scandal.

Tayo po ay hindi pro GMA o anti GMA, hindi rin tayo pro o anti impeachment, resignation etcetera, etcetera!

Ang isyu dito ay ang kredibilidad, integridad ng nasabing bubuuin na truth commission at kung sinu-sino ang kinatawan.

Kung ang palasyo sa Malakanyang ang siyang pipili sa mga ilalagay diyan, hindi natin maiwasan ang magduda sa maaaring kalalabasan ng results sa imbestigasyon. Baka imbes na "true" ang labas eh "False" en of kors baka matawag pang False Commission sila imbes na Truth Commission o di kaya Tuta Commission.

Sa aking palagay, mas makabubuti kung ang mga taong ilalagay diyan ay iyong mga independent (hindi pulitiko) at may kredibilidad o anumang independent body na manggagaling sa ibang bansa o sa United Nations, pwede pa pero kung ipipilit ng Malakanyang ang gusto, pwede Pweeeh....!

Linawin nga rin natin itong inihayag ng sting Meyor Yaranon hinggil sa kanyang full out support sa sting Pangulong GMA.

Ayon sa kanya, sinusupportahan niya si GMA, Kung nakipag-usap man ito sa sa isang opisyal ng COMELEC noong nakaraang eleksyon. Wala naman anya na nagpapatunay na nandaya ito sa eleksyon!

Hindi daw dapat na husgahan kaagad ang sting Pangulo, bagkus ay idaan lahat sa due process!

Sa Metro Manila Lang daw ang magulo na kung saanman may mga rallies ng anti GMA at wala daw sa mga probinsya, kumbaga sa Manila Lang ang sumusuporta sa mga oposisyon!

Baka nakakalimutan ng sting d great Meyor ang nangyari noong mapatalsik mina sa kanyang puwesto si boss Erap! Nasaan ang sinasabi nyang due process? Naibigay ba kay Erap? Hindi rin ba sa Metro Manila Lang ang may People's Power kayat naalis si Erap sa Malakanyang at ang pumalit ay ang kanyang Bise na si GMA?

Alalahanin na parang nauulit Lang ang mga nagging pangyayari, at sa kasalukuyan ay hindi biro-biro ang nangyayari sa sting bansa. Masyado nang magulo dulot ng sobrang pamumulitika ng sting mga pulitiko, makikisawsaw pa tayo!

Kayat payo lang po Meyor at sa mga bright boys en girls diyan sa

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Meyor's Office, dahan-dahan Lang at baka kayo masilat "Just stop Look and Listen"

**PERA SA BASURA
KOREEEEEK!**

May pera kuwarta, datung sa ating basura, pero saan

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Depthnews... from page 4

In 1521, Lapu-Lapu was the local siga-siga and Magellan the culture-shocked Westerner. During the 333 years of Spanish rule, hundreds of rebellions flared. Not one succeeded. Puro malas!

Rizal's execution formed a critical mass. "At last we could rebel as a people, as a nation". But the Aguinaldo and Bonifacio factions engaged in ugly infighting from crab mentality.

In Spain's surrender, KKK patriots were ignored. Naisahan tayo. In the Filipino-American War, Aguinaldo was captured, thanks to Macabebe mercenaries.. This was the mother of all kamalasan. .

In the early US occupation, our population was 8 million The gap between the rich and the poor was wide.. We went crazy over American goods, and called this period : "Peace Time" — rudely interrupted by World War II with torture, famine, and death. Liberation saw Manila as the most destroyed city after Warsaw. Malas na malas! .

Our population was 17 million and US\$1 fetched P2 when we became the first Asian country to gain independence. But graft and communist rebellion marred later years. Martial law led to dictatorial abuse and near economic collapse. When Marcos fled his loot intact, P20 fetched \$1. Malas na naman!

"People Power was our shining glory." But coup attempts and power struggles, harassed the amateur Cory presidency. People Power pala was ningas cogon power. Exchange rate was US\$1 to P25. We were 55 million people.

The Asian economic crisis snuffed gains of Fidel Ramos' regime. And in the Erap para sa mahirap show, a nation sat through primetime TV aghast at watching the bizarre impeachment drama of bribery, gambling, drunkenness, womanizing.

With People Power II, Malacañang regained dignity. Absurdity was gone. Grammatical English was back. But the peso plummeted to P51 to US\$1 as the Abu Sayyaf and crimes rose. Now, we have the wire-taps and electoral fraud scandals.

"When will this end? And we're nowhere as a nation. Malas pa rin?! Yet, we're God-fearing, peace-loving, tolerant (matiisin to a fault). We sing our blues away. We have a sense of humor..

Bilingual, we have thousands of MBA's and PhD's from AIM, Harvard, Wharton, etc. (Most are overseas.) We've got a surplus of technocrats for nation-building. We want to work, go into business, obey the law. "We want to live and die here, if there is peace and order".

But, but, and but. We have many shortcomings.

We are immature in our politics. Given a choice between a movie star or an honest political scientist, we'll vote for the actor. No brainer tayo dito.

Like dogs, we pee (Bawal umihi dito) anywhere, Our driving is suicidal. Our service quality is inferior. Clerks are arrogant. Tourists get mugged by thugs in uniform.

Dios na mahabagin, Kailan pa kaya? (When, O compassionate Lord, when?), the article asks. Ubos na ang aming luha. Katog na ang aming mga tuhod. Tuyot na ang aming utak. Hingal na ang aming puso. (We've shed all our tears left. Our knees have calluses. Our brains are muddled, our hearts faint.)

At lalo pong hindi kami tanga. Sunod-sunod lang po ang malas: dagdag bawas.. (We're not dumb, Lord. But bad luck compounds misfortune. Now we have vote padding and shaving) — and Gloria-gate. #####

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How Koreans talk about the Philippines

BY FREDDIE J. FARRES



(Taken from the e-mail of cbdn yahoo group)

My Short Essay about the Philippines - by Jaeyoun Kim

Filipinos always complain about the corruption in the Philippines. Do you really think the corruption is the problem of the Philippines? I do not think so. I strongly believe that the problem is the lack of love for the Philippines.

Let me first talk about my country, Korea. It might help you understand my point. After the Korean War, South Korea was one of the poorest countries in the world. Koreans had to start from scratch because the entire country was destroyed completely after the Korean War, and we had no natural resources.

Koreans used to talk about the Philippines, for Filipinos were very rich in Asia. We envy Filipinos. Koreans really wanted to be well off like Filipinos. Many Koreans died of famine. My father's brother also died because of famine.

Korean government was awfully corrupt and is still very corrupt beyond your imagination, but Korea was able to develop dramatically because Koreans really did their best for the common good with their heart burning with patriotism. Koreans did not work just for themselves but also for their neighborhood and country. Education inspired young men with the spirit of patriotism.

40 years ago, President Park took over the government to reform Korea. He tried to borrow money from other countries, but it was not possible to get a loan and attract a foreign investment because the economy situation of South Korea was so bad. Korea had only three factories. So, President Park sent many mine workers and nurses to Germany so that they could send money to Korea to build a factory. They had to go through a horrible experience.

In 1964, President Park visited Germany to borrow money. Hundred of Koreans in Germany came to the airport to welcome him and cried there as they saw the President Park. They asked to him, "President, when can we be well off?" That was the only question everyone asked to him. President Park cried with them and promised them that Korea would be well off if everyone works hard for Korea, and the President of Germany got the strong impression on them and lent money to Korea.

So, President Park was able to build many factories in Korea. He always asked Koreans to love their country from their heart. Many Korean scientists and engineers in the USA came back to Korea to help developing country because they wanted their country to be well off. Though they received very small salary, they did their best for Korea. They always hoped that their children would live in well off country. My parents always brought me to the places where poor and physically handicapped people live. They wanted me to understand their life and help them.

I also worked for Catholic Church when I was in the army. The only thing I learned from Catholic Church was that we have to love our neighborhood. And I have loved my neighborhood.

Have you cried for the Philippines? I have cried for my country several times. I also cried for the Philippines because of so many poor people. I have been to the New Bilibid prison. What made me sad in the prison were the prisoners who do not have any love for their country. They go to mass and work for Church. They pray everyday. However, they do not love the Philippines. I talked to two prisoners at the maximum security compound, and both of them said that they would leave the Philippines right after they are released from the prison. They said that they would start a new life in other countries and never come back to the Philippines.

Many Koreans have a great love for Korea so that we were able to share our wealth with our neighborhood. The owners of factory and company were distributed their profit to their employees fairly so that employ-

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Bantayan... from page 5

napupunta? Bigyan nga natin ng pansin itong isinumbong ng isang residente diyan sa may Middle Rock Quarry!

Ayon kay manang e...siya ay umuupa kasama ang kanyang pamangkin sa isang espasyo sa isang bahay diyan sa nabanggit na barangay.

Kailan lang ay siningil daw siya ng may-ari sa bahay na inuupahan ng trenta pesos at obligado daw siyang magbigay ng nasabing halaga kada buwan para daw sa koleksyon ng basura at ito naman daw ay mapupunta sa pondo ng Barangay.

Lima silang umuupa sa nasabing bahay, samakatuwid 150 ang nakokolekta ng Barangay sa bahay na iyon.

Sabihin na natin isangdaan bawat bahay ang koleksyon kada buwan at ilang bahay ang mayroon sa nasabing Barangay, at kuwentahin nyo, di ba tumatagiting na malaking kuwarta?

Ang tanong ngayon, totoo kayang sa pondo ng Barangay napupunta ang kuwarta o baka naman sa bulsa lang ng mga gahaman?

Mayroon bang resolusyon ang naturang hakbang ng Barangay? Nagkaroon ba ng konsultasyon at pagsang-ayon ng mga residente sa resolusyon kung meron man? Sa nasabing resolusyon (kung meron) nakasaad ba na ang pagbabayad ay boluntaryo o obligado?

Pera po ang pinag-uusapan dito at gusto rin naming maging malinaw ang isyung ito, pakisagot nga po ito mga opisyaes diyan sa Middle Rock Quarry!

BAGONG DIREKTOR NG DENR, SOBRANG ATAT?

For the information ng ating mga Citicenry ng Baguio mayroon na pong nakaupo na bagong director ng DENR Office diyan sa may Pacdal Barangay.

Isang Mr. Moreno daw ang new director at ayon sa impormasyon masyado raw atat na atat itong si new director na maupo dahil nasa internet pa lang daw ang appointment eh nagkukumahog na itong ipinaxerox kaagad ang naturang dokumento at mabilis pa sa alas kuwatro na nagdeklara ng turn ober! Kawawang dating director, naging darna as in floating status.

Ayon sa mga ipis natin sa loob mismo ng DENR Office, ipinagyayabang daw nitong kanilang new director na rekomendasyon daw siya ni apo kongresman Domogan at malakas daw siya kay Secretary Mike Defensor!

Ipinangalandakan pa raw nitong si Moreno na marami daw silng aalisin na mga regulars at ipapasok niya ang mga co-terminus na mga tauhan.

Talaga naman Mr. Moreno, kauupo mo palang sa puwesto, hambog ka na, dinedemoralize mo kaagad ang mga employees, at gusto mo kaagad ay abrupt na revamp? (Kung totoo nga ang sumbong ha?)

Pero matanong ko nga itong si new director Moreno ng DENR, paano ka kaya naiupo sa puwesto bilang director eh ayon sa impormasyon 15% lang ang rate mo sa CSC (Civil Service Commission) at ang pagkakaalam namin ay hindi ito puwede sa high level positions ng ating Government Offices?

Oh, why, how come? Hindi kaya may bahid politika na naman itong pagkakiluklok kay Moreno?,

Tawagan nga natin ng pansin ang COA (Commission On Appointments) at si apo Domogan? Tootoo ba ang sumbong ng mga insiders diyan sa DENR, Pacdal?

Isusunod po namin ang mga kabulukan na nangyayari sa nasabing tanggapan...busisiin....

**MGA "UN Sung HEROES" NOONG JULY 16 EARTHQUAKE
DAPAT KILALANIN**

... Yes mga dear readers, sila yung mga tunay na nagsakripisyo

noong nagkaroon ng lindol ang ating siyudad ang isa mga lugar na naapektuhan!

Sila ang mga nagrescue na ang ibay nagbuwis pa ng buhay para lamang maisalba ang buhay ng kanilang kapuwa!

Sila na hindi man lang pinansin, kinilala, ni binigyan ng komendasyon sa kabayanihan na kanilang ginawa?

Sila na masasabi naming mga tunay na bayani noong July Earthquake at sila ang ating pinaparangalan lang at pinupuri ngayon, na kahit hull man ay naihabol din!

Sila ang mga ROTC Cadets natin sa ibat ibang Unibersidad dito sa Baguio City, lalo na ang ROTC Cadets ng University of Baguio!

Sila ay mga tunay na bayani, namatay man at nabuhay, para po ito sa kanila "Ikinararangal" at ipinagmamalaki namin kayo! Mabuhay!

MGA ABUSADONG PULIS, DAPAT SAMPOLAN!

Sino naman itong dalawang pulis na nambugbog sa dalawang guwardiya sa isang bar diyan sa dating Agrix building, Bokawkan Rd.!

Base sa impormasyon na ibinigay sa inyong lingkod itong 2 pulis ay kasalukuyan na nag-iiskoling ngayon sa Teachers Camp at nakadestino umano ang mga ito sa CIDG Dagupan.

Pumasok daw ang mga ito sa loob ng bar at nang malasing, binugbog ang dalawang guwardiya na nagbabantay sa bar.

Ayon pa, pilit daw tinatakpan ang presinto dos ang pagkakakilanlan sa 2 suspek na pulis, at ganoon din ang gamit na sasakyan ay pag-aari daw ng isang Kapitan ng PNP at iba raw ang nakarehistrong plaka!

Hmmm! Maganda yata itong masiyasat at mapaimbestigahan! Kayat nagiging bulok ang imahe ng ating kapulisan ay dahil sa mga pangyayari ring katulad nito. Dapat maputol kundi man maagapan ang pagdami ng ating mga abusadong pulis at mga konsitidor na mga superyor umaksyon na dapat ang mga kinauukulan! abangan...

Pinupuna... from page 5

Papano mo mapagkakatiwalaan ang mga hinayupak na ganyan eh ang liliit naman na halaga ay paikayan pa kung bayaran at ngayon ay lampas isang taona ay ededma na lang ng deadma sa kanilang utang. Kayat ang ginawa ng pahayagang yuon ay nag sampa na lang ng civil case para maging public record kung gaano ka balasubas ang dalawnag konsehal na yun. At sino ang dalawang mga konsehal naito? Ito ay sila, Konsehal Dirty English at si Konsehal Forever Obese.

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OBERSTAYING NA BA ITONG SI MR. WILFREDO CACDAC SA MAYORS OFFICE?- ayon sa ating DPA, hindi raw inaprubahan ng city council ang extension of term nitong si Mr. Cacdac ng Mayor's Office for the duration ng July to December of this year, tutuo kaya ito? Kung tutuo, ito aba eh, dapat huwag ka ng poporma-porma jan Mr. Cacdac at mag low profile ka na muna, diba SER?

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DAPAT LANG NA MAY RESIBONG INIISYU ANG MGA TAXI- magandang balita itong panukala ng City Council at ng LTO-LTFRB kung saan mag iisyu na ng mga resibo ang taxi drivers. Computerized ang resibo kayat anduon na lahat ang mahahalagang mga detalye at impormasyon, katulad ng oras, pangalan ng taxi, distansya ng tinakbo etc... Ito ay siguradong mag kakaroon ng deterrent effect para sa mga sira ulong driver para ng hindi sila gagawa ng kalokohan, at alam nilang madali silang mabibisto, ma tre-trace at mahahabol..

Para sa ano man daing, sumbong o reklamo na nais ninyong ating talakayin o ibunyag, maaring mag text o tumawag kayo sa aking Mobile Number (0927)778-2132 (0910) 5210317, or mag email sa info@linisgobyerno.org or odell_aquino2005@yahoo.com.

Republic of the Philippines
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
Branch 4
First Judicial Region
FAMILY COURT OF BAGUIO CITY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF MINOR JAESTINE MAE PIRECO PICAZO

SPOUSES JUAN NATHANIEL M. BALANGUE AND MARILOU ROBANCHO BALANGUE a.k.a. MARILOU DIZON BALANGUE,
Petitioners

- versus -

THE LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRAR CABA, LA UNION AND THE NATIONAL STATISTICS OFFICE, Respondents.

Special Proceedings Case No. 219-A

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ORDER

A verified petition filed by the petitioners through counsel, alleges among others that:

1. That Petitioners are formerly Filipino citizens who are now American citizens-both of legal age, and permanent residents of Lot 15 block 7, Douglas Fir Woodsgate Square, Camp 7, Baguio City. Respondent Local Civil Registrar of Caba, La Union, on the other hand, is a government official who holds office in Caba, La Union where he may be served with summons and other processes of the Honorable Court. Respondent National Statistics Office holds its Region 1 Office at San Fernando, La Union;

2. That petitioners are husband and

wife as evidenced by their marriage contract, a copy of which is attached to the petition and marked as Annex "A";

3. That Petitioner-husband has a first degree cousin, Edwin Corpus Sobredo (Edwin, for brevity), who was married to Loida Perito Picazo and who begot two (2) children, one of which is Jaestine Mae Pireco Picazo (JAESTINE, for brevity); A copy of JAESTINE's Certificate of Live Birth is attached to the petition and marked as Annex "B";

4. That Loida Perito Picazo died on March 6, 2004 in Caba, La Union, due to financial difficulties, EDWIN gave the custody of JAESTINE to the petitioners. As such, petitioners have been providing for all her needs, including love and affection. Petitioners have enrolled JAESTINE at the Metropolitan Baptist Academy in Baguio City a Kindergarten I;

5. That Petitioners are desirous to adopt JAESTINE and they possess all the qualifications to adopt her and none of the disqualifications provided for by law,

6. That petitioners have been permanent residents of Baguio City for more than three (3) years together with their children who are likewise American citizens. Their children are studying in the Philippines. It is the intention of the petitioners to reside here permanently up to the time that the adoption decree is entered.

7. That the country of the petitioners has diplomatic relations with the republic of the Philippines. Under the laws of their country, the United States of America, petitioners have the legal capacity to adopt in said country and that they will allow JAESTINE to

enter the USA as their adopted child;

8. That EDWIN, the biological father or JAESTINE, has given his consent for the petitioners to adopt JAESTINE;

9. That the children of the petitioners have likewise given their consent to the adoption of JAESTINE by their parents - the petitioners;

10. That the adoption of JAESTINE by the petitioners is for the best interest of the child.

On the basis of the foregoing, the petitioners pray that after due notice, publication and hearing, judgment be rendered by this Honorable Court and issue a Decree of Adoption declaring minor JAESTINE MAE PIRECO PICAZO as the child of petitioners Juan Nathaniel M. Balangue and Marilou Robancho Balangue; and ordering the Local Civil Registrar of Caba, La Union and the National Statistics Office to CANCEL THE Certificate of Live Birth of JAESTINE MAE PIRECO PICAZO and, in lieu thereof, ISSUE a new one with the following entries: Nme of Child : JAESTINE MAE R O B A N C H O BALANGUE; Name of Father : JUAN NATHANIEL M. BALANGUE; Name of Mother: MARILOU R O B A N C H O BALANGUE

Finding the petition to be sufficient in form and substance, let the same be heard before the Regional Trial Court, Branch 4, Baguio City on October 13, 2005 at 8:30 o'clock in the morning at which place, date, and time the petitioners shall prove their case. Any person interested may appear and show cause, if any there be, why the petition should not be granted.

Let a copy of this Order be published at the expense of the petitioners in the JUNC-

TION, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Baguio and in Benguet Province once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks.

The petitioners are directed to make an appointment with the Social Worker for the purpose of conducting the required case study on the *minor JAESTINE MAE PIRECO PICAZO*. The Court Social Worker is required to submit to the Court the case study not later than October 10, 2005.

SO ORDERED.

This 20th day of July, 2005, at Baguio City, Philippines.

(SGD.) AMADO S. CAGUIOA
Judge
July 24, 31, & August 7, 2005

Republic of the Philippines
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
Branch 9
First Judicial Region
La Trinidad, Benguet

IN THE MATTER OF PETITION FOR LEGITIMATION OF LERISSA CHOGSAYAN LAMBAYONG AND CORRECTION OF ENTRIES ON HER CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

LERISSA CHOGSAYAN LAMBAYONG,
Petitioner

- versus -

THE LOCAL CIVIL REGISTRAR OF LA TRINIDAD BENGUET AND THE NATIONAL STATISTICS OFFICE,
Respondents.

Special Proceedings Case No. 05-C-1288

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ORDER

Petitioner, through counsel, filed this verified petition on July 11, 2005 praying after due notice, publication and hearing that her civil status be corrected from legitimate to legitimated, the entries as to the date and place of marriage of parents be corrected from April 22, 1983 and Baguio City to April 26, 1986 and La Trinidad, Benguet, respectively, and the entries as to the first name of father and mother be corrected from Ceril and Olivia to Corsenio and Olivia, respectively, in her Certificate of Live Birth.

WHEREFORE, finding the petition to be sufficient in form and substance, let this petition be set for hearing on NOVEMBER 10, 2005- at 9:00 o'clock in the morning before the Session Hall of this Court, Provincial Capitol, La Trinidad. Benguet and all persons interested may appear and show cause, if any, why this

petition should not be granted.

Let this Order be published at the expense of the petitioner in the JUNCTION, a newspaper of general circulation in Baguio City and Benguet Province, once a week, for three (3) consecutive weeks, the first publication to be made not later than AUGUST 1, 2005.

Furnish copies hereof together with a copy of the petition and its annexes to the Office of the Solicitor General, Makati City; the Provincial Prosecutor of Benguet; the Local Civil Registrar of La Trinidad, Benguet; the Junction Publishing Company; the petitioner and her counsel.

SO ORDERED.

La Trinidad, Benguet, Philippines this 18th day of July, 2005.

(SGD.) FRANCIS A. BULIYAT
Presiding Judge
July 24, 31, & August 7, 2005

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation and Communications
LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING AND REGULATORY BOARD
Cordillera Administrative Region, Baguio City
JULIE BENITO
Applicant
Case No. 2003-CAR-1131
NOTICE OF HEARING
This is an application for the Extension of Validity of a Certificate of Public Convenience to operate a Vehicle for Hire Service for the transportation of passengers and freight on the line: ACOP, TUBLAY TO ANY POINT IN REGION I and vice versa with the use of one (1) unit.
Notice is hereby given that this application shall be heard by the Board on August 9, 2005, 2005 at 9:00 A.M. at the LTRFB Office, Pacdal, Baguio City which date and time the applicant shall formally submit his/her/their evidences.
At least ten (10) days prior to the above date, the applicant/s shall publish the NOTICE once in one (1) weekly newspaper of general circulation in the Cordillera Administrative Region.
Parties opposed to the granting of the application must file their written opposition supported by documentary evidence on or before the above date, furnishing a copy of the same to the applicant/s and if they so desire, appear during the hearing.
This application shall be acted upon by the Board on the basis of its records and the documentary evidences submitted by the parties unless the Board deem necessary to receive additional documentary and/or oral evidence.
WITNESS, the Honorable ALFREDO P. MONDIGUING - Regional Director this 14th day of July, 2005.
(SGD) ATTY. BRENDAD. POKLAY
Hearing Officer

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First Judicial Region
Office of the Provincial
Sheriff
La Trinidad, Benguet

FOR: ESTRA-
JUDICIAL FORE-
CLOSURE OF REAL
ESTATE MORTGAGE
UNDER ACT 3135
AS AMENDED

RURAL BANK OF
ITOGON (BENGUET)
INC.,

Mortgagee,

- versus -

SUSANA BATIL,

Mortgagor.

05-ExF-1036

**SHERIFF'S NOTICE
OF PUBLIC**

AUCTION SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135, as amended filed by Rural Bank of Itogon (Benguet) Incorporated herein referred to as the Mortgagee against SUSANA BATIL, herein referred to as the Mortgagor, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of June 30, 2005 amount to THREE HUNDRED FORTY ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FIFTY ONE AND 66/100 (Php 341, 151.66) PESOS, Philippine Currency, plus twenty percent (20%) interest per annum, and (20%) percent on whatever amount due the mortgagee from the mortgagors as attorney's fee as agreed and contained in the pertinent promissory note.

That the undersigned or any duly authorized sheriff will SELL at public auction on August 8, 2005 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter on from of the Provincial Capitola Building, La Trinidad, Benguet, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the hereunder described real property, includes all im-

provements thereon to wit:

**O R I G I N A L
CERTIFICATE OF TITLE
NO. P-2081 (Register
Deeds Province of
Benguet) Lot No. 80,
Gss-1-000-004, being N.
88-12 W., 829.34 m.
from B.L.B.M. No. I,
Kapunga, Tublay,
Benguet; thence N. 62-
45 E., 110.74 m. to point
2; S. 37-32 E., 02.92 m.
to point 3; S. 42-19 E.,
59.33 m. to point 4; S.
20-20 W., 60.79 m to
point 5; S. 69-39 W.,
42.72 m. to point 6; N.
64-20 W., 37.50 m. to
point 7; S. 56-47 W.,
27.60 m. to point 8; N.
79-08 W., 41.05 m. to
point 9; N. 17-17 E.,
61.23 m. to point 1,
point of beginning.
Containing an area of
ELVEN THOUSAND
EIGHT HUNDRED AND
EIGHTY-FIVE (11, 885)
SQUARE METERS.**

All points are marked on the ground as follows: Points 1 and 9 by Old P.S. Cul. Conc. Mons. 15 x 60 cms., and the rest by B.L. Cyl. Conc. Mons. 15 x 40 cms.

Bounded on the N., along line 1-2 by Lot 79, Gss-1-000-004 (Hector Batil); on the NE., along line 2-3 by Lot 29, Gss-1-000-004 (Macoy Lonzo); along line 3-4 by Lot 28, Gss-1-000-004 (Victor Fabian), and Intermittent Creek; on the SE., along lines 6-7-8 by Lot 18, Gss-1-000-004 (Medrano Mariano), along line 8-9 by Lot 5(LRC) Psd-154051); and on the W., along line 9-1 by Lot 2, Psu-1-002956.

Bearings true.

This lot was surveyed in accordance with law and existing regulations promulgated thereunder by, Robin G. Dulay Jr. Geodetic Engineer, from October 10-15, 1983 and approved on July 22, 1985.

NOTE: This lot is covered by F.P.A. No. (I-12)00515.

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

Interested bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the

above-sated time and date.

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

La Trinidad, Benguet, this 7th day of July, 2005.

**FOR THE PROVIN-
CIAL SHERIFF
EX-OFFICIO OF
BENGUET**

By Gregorio G. Tadeo
Sheriff IV

July 10, 17 & 24

Republic of the
Philippines
REGIONAL TRIAL
COURT

First Judicial Region
Baguio City
Office of the Ex-
Officio Sheriff

FORCLOSURE OF
MORTGAGE, under
Act 3135, as
amended

BANGKORURAL NG
MANGALDAN
(Rural Bank of
Mangaldan)

Mortgagee,

- versus -

EDGARDO J.

FRANCISCO, as

Attorney-in-Fact of
JOSELIN P.

MARCIAL and

REBECCA J. FRAN-
CISCO,

Mortgagors.

Foreclosure No. 369-
05-B

**NOTICE OF
SHERIFF'S SALE**

Upon application for Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of Mortgage, under Act 3135, as amended, filed by the BANGKO RURAL NG MANAGLDAN (Rural Bank of Mangaldan) against EDGARDO J. FRANCISCO as Attorney-in-Fact of JOSELIN P. MARCIAL and REBECCA J. FRANCISCO, with residence and postal address at No. 300 Marcos Highway, Baguio City, for the satisfaction of their

mortgage indebtedness which as of June 2, 2005 amounted to ONE MILLION PESOS (Php 1,000,000.00) excluding interest, charges, penalties, attorney's fees plus the fees and expenses incidental to the foreclosure sale, the undersigned will SELL at public auction on August 15, 2005 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter at the lobby of the Hall of Justice of Baguio City, to the highest bidder, in CASH and Philippine Currency, the following described mortgaged and properties including the existing improvements, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE: No. T-65784, Baguio City "A parcel of land (Lot 2-A-5-D, Psd-1-008195, being a portion of Lot 2-A-5, (LRC) Psd-147532, L.R.C. Rec. No.), situated at the Res. Sec. "J", City of Baguio, Island of Luzon. Bounded on the S.W., along line 1-2 by Existing Road (6.00 m.) on the N.E. along line 2-3 by Lot 2-A-4, (LRC) Psd-147532, on the S.E. along line 3-1 by Lot 2-A5-C of the subdivision plan. Beginning at a point marked "1" on plan Lot 2-A-5-D on plan xxx to point of beginning; containing an area of TWO HUNDRED AND NINETEEN (219) SQUARE METERS, more or less."

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE: No. T-46371, Baguio City "A parcel of land (Lot 12-E-6-D of the subdivision plan (LRC) Psd-343558, approved as a non-subdivision project, being a portion of Lot 12-E, Pds-1-004671, L.R.C. Civil Res. Record No. 211), situated in the Dist. Of Res. Sec. "L", City of Baguio, Province of. Island of Luzon. Bounded on the N.E., points 12-E-7 of the subdivision plan; on the S.E., points 4 to 5, by Lot 12-E-4; and on the N.W. points 1 to 3, by Lot 12-E-10, (Road) both of the subdivision plan. Beginning at a point marked "1" on plan xxx to point of beginning containing an

area of TWO HUNDRED SIXTEEN (216) SQUARE METERS more or less."

Prospective bidders may investigate the title to the properties of encumbrances if any there be.

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the

scheduled date and time.

Baguio City, Philippines, July 11, 2005.

(SGD.) REMEDIOS
BALDERAS-REYES
Ex-Officio Sheriff

(SGD.) NESTOR F.
RIMANDO
Sheriff IV

July 17, 24, & 31, 2005

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation and Communications
LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING AND
REGULATORY BOARD
Cordillera Administrative Region, Baguio City

SUSANA OFILAS

Applicant

Case No. 99-01-2572

NOTICE OF HEARING

This is an application for the Extension of Validity of a Certificate of Public Convenience to operate a Vehicle for Hire Service for the transportation of passengers and freight on the line: TUBLAY TO ANY POINT IN REGION I except Baguio City, La Trinidad, Itogon, Sablan, & Tuba with the use of one (1) unit.

Notice is hereby given that this application shall be heard by the Board on August 2, 2005, 2005 at 9:00 A.M. at the LTRFB Office, Pacdal, Baguio City which date and time the applicant shall formally submit his/her/their evidences.

At least ten (10) days prior to the above date, the applicant/s shall publish the NOTICE once in one (1) weekly newspaper of general circulation in the Cordillera Administrative Region.

Parties opposed to the granting of the application must file their written opposition supported by documentary evidence on or before the above date, furnishing a copy of the same to the applicant/s and if they so desire, appear during the hearing.

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WITNESS, the Honorable ALFREDO P. MONDINGUIB - Regional Director this 18th day of July, 2005.

(SGD)ATTY. BRENDA D. POKLAY
Hearing Officer

Measles elimination drive

BAGUIO CITY – To sustain high immunization coverage, the Philippine Measles Elimination Campaign (PMEC) Keep-Up 2005 has been conceived.

City health officer Dr. Florence Reyes said that the strategy was designed to revive the joint efforts of the local government units and the Department of Health in carrying out sustaining immunization coverage.

The Cordillera Administrative Region's coverage in the PMEC for fully immunized children is 78 percent, slightly higher than the national mark which is 76 percent.

"The Catch-Up Ligtas Tigdas mass immunization in 1988 and the follow-up campaign in 2004 resulted in significant decline in measles cases and deaths due to measles," Reyes said.

She said that the child health program remains a priority concerns of the government in line with the country's millennium development goal of decreasing child mortality

The Baguio Health Department staff members and volunteers from the barangays started the activity last June 27. It will end on July 29.

In line with this, BHD is calling all mothers in the city whose children are not yet immunized to bring their children to the nearest health center. – Art Killip

“The greatness of a nation and its moral progress can be judged by the way its animals are treated.”

-Mahatma Gandhi
(a message by Linis Gobyerno
www.linisgobyerno.org)

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ees could buy what they needed and saved money for the future and their children.

When I was in Korea, I had a very strong faith and wanted to be a priest. However, when I came to the Philippines, I completely lost my faith. I was very confused when I saw many unbelievable situations in the Philippines. Street kids always make me sad, and I see them everyday.

The Philippines is the only Catholic country in Asia, but there are too many poor people here. People go to church every Sunday to pray, but nothing has been changed. My parents came to the Philippines last week and saw this situation. They told me that Korea was much poorer than the present Philippines when they were young. They are so sorry that there so many beggars and street kids. When we went to Pagsanjan, I forced my parents to take a boat because it would fun. However, they were not happy after taking a boat. They said that they would not take the boat again because they were sympathized the boat men, for the boat men were very poor and had a small frame. Most of people just took a boat and enjoyed it. But my parents did not enjoy it because of love for them.

My mother who has been working for Catholic Church since I was very young told me that if we just go to mass without changing ourselves, we are not Catholic indeed. Faith should come with action. She added that I have to love Filipinos and do good things for them because all of us are same and have received a great love from God.

I want Filipinos to love their neighborhood and country as much as they love God so that the Philippines will be well off. I am sure that love is the keyword which Filipinos should remember. We cannot change the sinful structure at once. It should start from person. Love must start in everybody in a small scale and have to grow. A lot of things happen if we open up to love.

Let's put away our prejudices and look at our worries with our new eyes. I discover that every person is worthy to be loved. Trust in love, because it makes changes possible. Love changes you and me. It changes people, contexts and relationships. It changes the world.

Please love your neighborhood and country. Jesus Christ said that whatever we do to others we do to Him. In the Philippines, there is God who are abused and abandoned. There is God who is crying for love. If you have a child, teach them how to love the Philippines. Teach them why they have to love their neighborhood and country.

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Economy of Cordillera grows by 4.1 percent in 2004

The economy of Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR) continued to grow as it accelerated to a 4.1 percent growth in 2004 from 3.4 percent in 2003 due to the rebound of agriculture, forestry and fishery (AFF) sector and the improved performance of the services sector.

The AFF sector, which accounted for 14.0 percent of the regional economy, expanded by 5.3 percent in 2004, up from a decline of 0.6 percent the previous year. This growth was due to the sizeable improvement in both palay and corn production as a result of the use of high yielding varieties and favorable weather conditions.

The services sector, which comprised 22.5 percent of the GRDP of CAR, grew from 5.0 percent in 2003 to 5.8 percent in 2004. Trade, the fastest growing sub-sector, accelerated from 7.4 percent in 2003 to reach a remarkable 12.4 percent in 2004 largely due to the opening of a major commercial, recreational and shopping complex. Transport, communication and storage (TCS) grew from 7.0 percent to 8.6

percent due to the increase in land transportation and communication services in 2004. As visitor arrivals dropped, private services slowed down from 4.4 percent in 2003 to 3.4 percent in 2004.

The industry sector, which contributed the lion's share or 63.5 percent of CAR's GRDP, slowed down slightly from 3.8 percent in 2003 to 3.3 percent in 2004. Significant gains were posted in all sub sectors except for mining and quarrying. The construction industry recovered from its decline of 14.0 percent in 2003 to post a dramatic 8.0% growth in 2004 as public construction activities increased. Manufacturing managed to sustain a positive growth of 4.0 percent despite the slight decline in export value in the region's lone industrial zone. The sector's growth however was offset by mining and quarrying which slid from a high 17.5 percent growth in 2003 to a 2.7 percent contraction in 2004, mainly due to the reduced volume of both gold and copper production.— Benjamin Navarro/NSCB-CAR

Welcome ROBERT PLACE

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OWWA 'Tuloy Aral' project helps former OFW's dependents

The Overseas Workers Welfare Administration (OWWA) recently launched the "Tuloy Aral" project which aims to help OFW members and their dependents with their educational needs.

Regional Welfare Officer Saul de Vries said the project is an educational grant for dependents of OFWs who have finished their contracts and have returned home but were not able to go back for overseas work as well as those who suffered misfortunes, accidents, illnesses or deaths while serving abroad.

Qualified under the program are direct beneficiaries of an indigent or jobless OFW, enrolled in any public elementary and secondary schools with above average class standing. Requirements for the grant are birth certificate and report of indigent or social case study from the DSWD or prepared by a Family Welfare Officer (FWO).

In addition to this, there are other educational trainings and benefits being offered by OWWA to OFW

members and their dependents like Skills for Empowerment Scholarship programs (SESP), Education for Development Scholarship Program (EDSP) and Seafarer's Upgrading Program (SUP).

The SESP consists of 1 year to 6 months technical /vocational programs offered to land-based OFW members or their beneficiaries in coordination with TESDA. Tuition fee does not exceed P14,500 for one-year and P7,250 for the 6-month course.

The EDSP is a scholarship for active OFW members with OWWA and their dependents, with financial assistance not exceeding P30,000 per semester.

The SUP is a job-related skills training in priority maritime courses designed to upgrade knowledge and skills, develop expertise and update skills in accordance with technological advancement and international maritime. The financial assistance range from P 1,200 to P7,500.—PIA-CAR

Funds for garbage recycling proposed

BAGUIO CITY-Councilor Erdolfo Balajadia last week has proposed an ordinance appropriating P200,000 from the annual budget as continuing support through an "exposition of recycled products and recyclable materials from solid waste."

According to Councilor Balajadia, who chairs the City Council Committee on Environment, Health and Sanitation, the amount shall fund an exposition where recycled products may be displayed, to encourage the city's constituents to "develop artistic creativity by converting recyclable materials from solid waste into useful and attractive products that could also be sold as merchandise."

This endeavor, the councilor added, can "provide opportunity to the people in the barangays to augment their respective income."

The move, was also pushed by the council's earlier approval of Resolution 046, series of 2005 where barangays in the city are urged to establish their own Materials Recovery Facilities (MRF).

Garbage management is carried out in MRFs where reusable and recyclable materials are sorted out while biodegradable wastes are set for composting.

Accordingly, waste segregation in the city is being strictly implemented by barangay officials, in a bid to regain the city's cleanest and greenest title.

It was also proposed that the exposition be included in the Tree Planting Festival and the Executive Committee be tasked to formulate the necessary guidelines for implementation.

The proposal shall be tackled during the next council session.

Meanwhile, the proposed ordinance of Councilor Daniel Farinas as to color-coded containers for garbage is expected to be up for second reading after publication.

The proposed ordinance aims to simplify the collection of garbage in color-coded receptacles; blue for paper, yellow for plastic, red for metal, green for glass, brown for food and gray for other kinds of garbage. - juliegfianza

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Ifugao is 96% energized

LAGAWE, Ifugao- This province is already 96% energized as of May 2005 according to the records of Ifugao Electric Cooperative (IFELCO) which will make it easy for them to realize their target of a 100% electrification of the province by the year 2008.

Mrs. Jovita Allaga, head of the institutional service division of IFELCO said out of the total 175 barangays, 166 have been already energized leaving only 9 barangays to be provided with electricity by the year 2008 which will no longer be a heavy task to accomplish.

The rural electrification program is in line with the national government's thrust of providing electricity to all barangays to hasten development and improve the living condition of residents.

At present, IFELCO has already a total of 16,900 membership and 16,903 actual connection of electricity to household consumers.

Meanwhile, IFELCO has provided 716 solar panels to tap solar energy to far-flung areas where the installation of cable wires for electricity is very expensive and impossible due to isolation and inaccessibility.

The solar panels are sold to the household consumers at a discounted price of P19,900 household unit with P5,000 as downpayment and a P200 monthly payment for five years for them to fully pay the cost of the equipment.

Allaga said this scheme is intended in order not to burden the users too much especially those located in remote areas.

Several beneficiaries are thankful for the energization program of IFELCO. Basilio Ullani and Naty Binwag of Barangay Abinuan, Lagawe, which is a remote community, said the solar panels have given them access to better light and power so that their children can study even late at night using brighter light compared to the kerosene lamp. "Now we can also watch television even if can only receive one channel because cable television cannot reach our place," they added.

Of the total eleven municipalities of Ifugao, six towns were already completely energized while the other 5 municipalities have only one or two remaining barangays not provided with electricity, but IFELCO assured this can be realized with the sufficient remaining timetable left for them to accomplish it.—Dan Codamon / PIA Ifugao

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No backlog in electrification in Kalinga under PGMA

T A B U K , Kalinga – The Kalinga Apayao Electric Cooperative (KAELCO) vowed it will electrify all the remaining barangays in the province in response to the commitment of President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo to provide electricity for all during her term. According to Clifford Alunday, Information Officer of Kaelco, seven hundred twenty households in five barangays of the province were energized this year under the electricity and water for all barangays agenda of PGMA while 630 households in 3 barangays are on-going electrification. However, he said the remaining barangays

not connected with Kaelco grid are practically electrified with the presence of solar energy and micro-hydro plants.

Energized areas include Magnao, Guilayo, Addang and Dupag, all of Tabuk; and sitio Andarayan in Santor, Rizal. On-going electrification are the barangays of Aciga and Calbayan in Pinukpuk, Nambucayan in Tabuk, and Tawang in Balbalan. However, in the case of Dupag, household connection is not yet complete but the twenty-six applicants have already paid their office obligations to Kaelco. Alunday said, residents of Dupag generated savings from the con-

struction of their foot-bridge, which they used in paying office obligations to the electric cooperative. For Nambucayan, the grid line was installed but residents have not yet settled their obligations to Kaelco.

Alunday said funding spent on line installation to already energized barangays was provided by Kaelco with counterpart from the National Electrification Administration.

For this year, Alunday said nine barangays were programmed for electrification but four opted for the construction of micro-hydro power plant. Barangays 1 and 2 of Sumadel in Tinglayan, Mabongtot

and Tanglag of Lubuagan are lined for connection this year as their respective Local Chief Executives pledged counterpart assistance.

On the drawing board that opted for micro-hydro are the barangays of Western Uma, Lower Uma and Upper Uma, all of Lubuagan, Bulanao in Tabuk and Limos in Pinukpuk. The 3 barangays of Lubuagan requested funding from the Department of Energy for the construction of 1 each micro-hydro project as their place is abundant in water power source. For Bulanao, the provincial government proposed for a loan from

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TESDA scholarship declared operative

KALINGA — Around 200 students who are planning to take up technical courses in the province are expected to be granted scholarships after the Technical Educational Grant was declared valid and operative through a resolution authored by Board Member Sergio Anganganay recently.

Attorney Anganganay said that an amount of one million pesos from the 20% Economic Development Fund (EDF) under the 2005 budget was already approved and ready for implementation by the provincial government in partnership with the Technical Skills

Development Authority (TESDA).

Based on the guidelines provided by the SP, the 154 barangays of the province were given a quota to qualify one scholar from their locality, while the remaining 46 will be determined by the Provincial Selection Committee with Kalinga Governor Dominador T. Belac as the Chairman.

The educational grant was conceptualized by the SP through the leadership of Vice Governor Rommel Diasen last March in line with the Local Government Code (LGC) provision which gives the SP the power to establish a

scholarship fund for poor but deserving students.

A resolution was then enacted last March 6 and was immediately forwarded to the provincial governor for approval.

Said project is in line with the government's effort to provide educational for all through scholarships, trainings and grants.

To avail of said scholarship, applicants must have to enroll in any technical course within the province after qualifying and submitting the following requirements: barangay resolution recommending the applicant as the

number one preference to avail of the financial grant from their barangay; barangay certification attesting to the applicant's good moral character; BIR certification that the applicant or his family is exempt from paying income tax, or in lieu thereof; barangay certification that the applicant is a member of a family whose gross annual income does not exceed Php 50,000.00; high school card or high school diploma; birth certificate; application letter, and; bio-data.

Interested individuals may visit the Provincial Planning and Development Office for guidelines and other details.—Gigi Dumallig / PIA Kalinga

Police Files... from page 14**DALAWANG SUSPEK NG PANANAKSAK, DI PANAKIKILALA**

Isa nanamang kaso ng pananaksak ang naiulat na nangyari noong Hulyo 19, 2005 laban sa dalawang di pa nakikilalang suspek.

Ayon sa report ng pulisya, ang dalawang biktima na nakilalang sina "James" at "Jaime", pawang tubong Tadian, Mountain Province, ay bigla nalamang pinagsasaksak ng dalawang lalaki. Ang nasabing insidente ay naiulat na nangyari sa may Claridad St. bandang 9:40 ng gabi.

Agad na isinugod ng isang nagngangalang "Elvis" sa BGH-MC ang dalawang biktima dahil sa natamong mga sugat. Sa kasalukuyan ang mga suspek ay hindi pa nakikilala at ang kaso ay for follow up pa.

SHOPLIFTER, IKINULONG

Dumulog sa himpilan ng pulisya ang isang empleyado ng SM laban sa isang shoplifter.

Ayon sa nasabing empleyado na nakilalang si "Jesse", 26 anyos, isang babae ang pumasok sa loob ng establisimento at kumuha ng ilang grocery items na nagkakahalaga ng P 2091.75 at umalis ito nang hindi binabayaran ang mga nasabing grocery items. Agad na nahuli ang nasabing babae na nakilalang si "Gladys", 33 anyos at tubong Lower Brookside.

Ang nasabing insidente ay nangyari bandang 2:45 ng hapon noong Hulyo 19, 2005 sa may Supervalu Incorporated SM Baguio. Sa kasalukuyan nakakulong sa piitan ng Baguio City Jail ang nasabing shoplifter.

LULONG SA "RUGBY", HINULI

Sinampahan ng kasong paglabag sa PD 1619 o ang paghithit ng rugby ang isang lalaki noong Hulyo 21, 2005.

Ayon kay PO3 Juanito Meneses, na siyang complainant sa nasabing kaso, isang lalaki ang nahuling humihithit ng rugby sa may isang fastfood chain sa Baguio City Market bandang 2:00 ng hapon. Agad itong inaresto ng pulis at sa kasalukuyan ang lalaki na nakilalang si "Glenn", 20 anyos at tubong Bicol Province ay nakakulong sa Baguio City Jail.

ISANG PICKPOCKETER, ARESTADO

Isa nanamang kaso ng pickpocket ang naiulat na nangyari bandang 4:00 ng hapon noong Hulyo 21, 2005 sa may kahabaan ng Session Road.

Ayon sa biktima na nakilalang si "Kathy", habang siya at ang kanyang kasintahan ay naglalakad sa nasabing lugar, bigla na lamang may kumuha ng kanyang cellphone na isang Nokia 3315 na nasa loob ng kanyang bag. Napansin ito ng kasintahan kaya't humingi agad ito ng tulong mula sa mga pulis at agad naman rumesponde ang pulisya.

Ang suspek na nakilalang isang "Wilson", 23 anyos at tubong Sagada Mountain Province ay naaresto at kasalukuyang nakakulong sa Baguio City Jail.

PULISYA, MABILISANG RESPONDE

Agad na rumesponde ang Mobile 87 sa isang naiulat na awayang naganap bandang 12:40 ng madaling araw noong Hulyo 20, 2005 sa may Naguilian Rd. Baguio City.

Ayon sa biktima na si "Jaime", 27 anyos, sinuntok ito ng isang nagngangalang "Arthur" 19 anyos at tubong Bineng, La Trinidad Benguet. Sa kaagad na pagdating ng mga pulis sa nasabing lugar, naiwasan ang paglala ng awayan ng dalawa.

Sa kasalukuyan inaasahan ang pagkakaroon ng maayos na pag-uusap mula sa dalawang panig.

ISANG CUSTOMER, KINASUHAN

Isang customer ng Reman's Restaurant ang sinampahan ng kaso noong Hulyo 20, 2005 sa salang hindi pagbabayad.

Ayon sa isang empleyado ng nasabing restaurant, na nakilalang si "Leonora", 28 anyos at tubong Surigao Sur, bandang 3:30 ng hapon,

Mayor okays development of viewdeck parking area

BAGUIO CITY – Mayor Braulio Yaranon has approved a city council resolution authorizing the Filipino-Japanese Foundation of Northern Luzon Inc. through its chairman, Carlos Teraoka, to continue the development of the parking area at the bottom of the Kennon Road View Deck.

The project is part of a memorandum of agreement (MOA) entered into between the foundation and the city government last March 20, 2002. It will be at no cost to the city government.

Authored by councilors Perlita Rondez, Erdolfo Balajadia and Antonio Tabora Jr., the measure states that the said undertaking has brought many benefits in terms of tourism and preservation of historical landmarks such as Kennon Road.

"There is a need to continue the projects in the memorandum of agreement such as the construction of a parking area at the view deck in order to fully utilize the goal of the undertaking," the resolution adds. - Gaby B. Keith

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the Development Bank of the Philippines for the construction of a micro-hydro power plant that draws water from the existing NIA irrigation canal to run the turbine. Said plant if completed will energized the Capitol, Hostel, Provincial Hospital and other provincial government facilities.

Alunday said the remaining off-grid barangays are powered with 210 units of solar energy.

For the proposed electrification of hinterland barangays of Tanudan under the Kalahi-CIDSS program of President Arroyo, funding is still being scored out as the Kalahi funds is inadequate to provide the huge financial requirement needed to electrify the remaining 7 barangays of Tanudan.

Meanwhile, on anti-pilferage, Kaelco was able to apprehend 19 violators this year. Charges against violators of RA 7832 or the anti-pilferage law have been filed in

court. Alunday said though that some violators have already settled their cases amicably with Kaelco. Last year, 51 pilferers were apprehended, which some settled amicably with Kaelco, while others made promissory notes to settle on a later date.

Other than electrification, Kaelco also has other program offered to qualified consumers belonging to marginalized income families that help uplift their lives. Under its livelihood program, particularly animal dispersal which is now on its 5th year, 81 piglets have been dispersed on a pass-on scheme to subsequent recipients. Under its scholarship program, ten high school scholars of Kaelco also graduated from its educational assistance fund while 8 are in school. Each scholar is given P5,000 assistance per school year. -Peter A. Balocnit, PIA-Kalinga

pumasok ang isang customer at nag-order ng kanyang pagkain. Nang kunin na ng empleyado ang bill ng customer na nakilalang si "Jefferson", 19 anyos at tubong Bauko, Mountain Province tumanggi ito. Ang nasabing bayaran ay nagkakahalaga ng P361.00.

PICKPOCKETER, DINAKALIGTAS APULISYA

Isang suspek ng pagnanakaw ang nahuli ng isang pulis na nakilalang si SPO1 Andres noong Hulyo 20, 2005.

Ang nasabing suspek na nakilalang si "Eber", 22 anyos at tubong Mountain Province ay sinampahan ng kaso sa salang pagnanakaw ng isang Nokia 3530 na cellphone na pag-aari ng isang nagngangalang "Bessie", isang menor de edad.

Ang nasabing nakawan ay naiulat na nangyari bandang 7:40 ng umaga sa may Governor Pack Road, Baguio City.

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BIKTIMANG PAGNANAKAW, DI PINALAMPASANG SUSPEK

Bandang 9:15 ng gabi noong Hulyo 20, 2005, isang lalaki ang nauulat na ninakawan na at pinagsusuntok pa.

Ayon sa report, habang ang biktima na nakilalang si "Gilbert" 30 anyos at tubong Sagada, Mountain Province ay naglalakad sa may Carantes St., isang lalaki ang bigla na lamang itong sinuntok at pagkatapos kinuha ang kanyang cellphone na isang Nokia 2100.

Hindi pinalampas ng biktima ang nasabing suspek, hinabol nito ang lalaki na nakilalang si "John" 18 anyos at tubong Kalinga.

Agad naman itong nahuli ng mga pulis at nakuha mula sa kanya ang ninakaw na cellphone. Sa kasalukuyan ang suspek ay nakakulong sa piitan ng Baguio City

MENOR DE EDAD, INARESTO

Isang menor de edad ang inaresto ng pulisya sa kasong pagnanakaw noong Hulyo 17, 2005.

Ayon sa biktima, habang siya ay naglalakad bandang 7:45 ng gabi sa may Upper Mabini, Baguio City at nang madaanan nito ang Studio 59, dalawang lalaki ang bigla nalamang nanakit sa kanya, sinuntok ang kanyang balikat at kinorner ito. Kinuha mula sa biktima ang kanyang pera na nagkakahalaga ng P40.00. Ang nasabing biktima ay isang nagngangalang "Jeomar", 21 anyos at tubong Timoc, Ifugao.

Ang isa sa mga suspek na isang menor de edad ay naaresto habang ang isa ay hindi pa nahuhuli. Sa kasalukuyan ang nasabing menor de edad ay pansamantalang nakakulong sa presinto siyete.

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