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BAGUIO CITY AND BENGUET

LONG LIVE THE FILIPINO!!!

“Oplan Katok” Yields Positive Results in CAR

CAMP DANGWA, Benguet. - The implementation of “Oplan Katok” where police visit homes of gun holders reminding them to renew their firearm licenses or surrender their firearms for safe-keeping, has yielded positive results in the Cordillera region.

Police Chief Superintendent Benjamin B. Magalong, head of the Cordillera Police Regional Office (PRO-Cor) reported that their office has recorded a total of 9,279 expired and un-renewed firearms as of December 2012.

Baguio City has the biggest number of un-renewed firearms with 3,895, followed by the province of Abra with 1,850, Benguet with 1,377, Kalinga with 877, Ifugao with 640, Apayao with 378 and Mountain Province with 262.

As a result of the Oplan Katok in which police visited a total of 10,991 firearm holders in their homes from January 1, to April 7, 2013, 1,082 gun holders have renewed their firearm licenses, 1082 applied for renewal while 242 surrendered their

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Abangan ang mga maiinit na exposé hinggil sa mga iba't-ibang kandidato, kung nararapat nga ba silang iboto!



Malapit na ang botohan! Huwag tayo papaloko sa mga matatamis na dila ng mga kandidato. Alamin ang katotohanan tungkol sa kanilang pagkatao!

BIDA, TIMPUYOG, LP, IBA ETC... - Sino sa mga kandidato ang nararapat makamit ang inyong boto? Pakatatandaan, tatlong taon silang mamumuno. Sino sa kanila ang magbibigay ng wasto at karapat dapat na serbisyo publiko. Maging mapanuri, suriin mabuti ang kanikanilang mga plano, programa at mga pangako kung kapanipaniwala, praktikal at abot kaya./Photos from Candidates Leaflets

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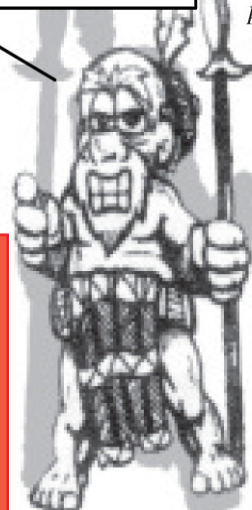
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BY: ORWEN TRAZO



BGHMC Surgical Team Conducts Free Surgery in Mountain Province

BONTOC, Mountain Province - Some 35 patients benefited from the free surgical mission conducted by a surgical team from the Baguio General Hospital and Medical Center (BGHMC) at the Bontoc General Hospital.

The BGHMC surgical mission headed by Dr. Jimmy Cabfit was held last April 4 to 6 in line with the celebration of the 46th Foundation Day of Mt. Province and the 9th Cultural and Lang-ay Festival.

Of the total patients operated, 22 were minor surgeries and 13 were medium and major surgeries. There were only three pediatric cases.

Provincial Health Officer, Dr. Nenita Lizardo, said aside from the free professional services offered by the specialist doctors, patients were also given free medicines.

Donors of drugs and medicines were CFB Marketing, Luis Hora Memorial Regional Hospital (LHMRH), Ivan's Pharmacy, Lanz Pharmacy, and St. Mark and Ira Pharmacy.

There were also 77 patients who underwent free endoscopy conducted by the Endoscopy team of BGHMC headed by Dr. Rommel Palaganas.

Only four of the total patients have normal finding while one patient was differed since he can not tolerate the procedure.

The surgical mission is a regular activity of the Mountain Province Foundation Day and the Cultural and Lang-ay Festival since in 2006 while the Endoscopy mission started in 2011.

Aside from the surgical and endoscopy missions, the Bontoc General Hospital and the Philippine National Police Cordillera Regional Office also conducted free medical and dental mission. There were 369 patients served in the medical mission and 164 patients in dental services.

These activities are in line with government efforts to bring health services especially to the poor who could hardly afford the cost of surgery and hospitalization. Doctors and nurses of the Bontoc General Hospital assist during the health missions./JDP/JBS-PIA CAR, Mountain Province

Lawmaker : Pay P58-M Reef Penalty in Cash, not Kind

The United States government should pay up in cash on the P58 million penalty imposed on the US Navy vessel that ran aground and caused damage in the World Heritage site Tubbataha Reef while at the same time called on the government to reject US suggestions to settle its obligations in kind.

"I insist that the US government pays up in cash, the suggestion that they would settle their obligations through donations or aid loans are not acceptable. They should follow what the Philippine law required for the incident," he said.

"Even if the return from the offer to pay in kind would be bigger than the actual fine, it remains unacceptable since what is provided in the law should be followed," Escudero said.

Agreeing to the US government suggestion that it provide aid instead of paying a fine is equivalent to accepting that the USS Guardian should not be held accountable for the destruction it caused on Tubbataha Reef, according to Escudero.

"The law already imposed an inequitably small fine compared to the dam-

Free Anti-Rabies Vaccination, Workshop Highlight Askal Day in Baguio

BAGUIO CITY - More than 70 pets particularly cats and dogs were given free anti-ra-

bies vaccines and other services while pet owners had workshops during the 2nd Askal Day at the People's Park Malcolm Square last week.

According to Animal Kingdom Foundation Education Officer Kristine Bien, the event aims to promote equal importance among animals especially "asong kalye" or the askals and now being popularly known as the Aspin or Asong Pinoy.

"We want to impose equal importance among all kinds of dog," said Bien.

The one-day event also included free consultation for the pets as well as forum on handling and taking care of pets in homes and how to be a responsible pet owner among kids.

Dr. Shelly Aral of the Department of Health and Dr. Jerry Sabado of the Department of Agriculture provided information about rabies and the effects and discussed illegal dog meat trading.

Children were also given art and theatre workshops including painting and games involving their pets and parents. They had a bonding and quality time together.

Just recently, AKF has also partnered with the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) for the Animal Welfare under the Family Development Program, to provide animal welfare consciousness among the members of the family and to stop the practice of dog meat eating.

AKF is working towards a more animal welfare-friendly Philippines through their various programs and advocacy like campaign against illegal dog-meat-trade, seminars on animal welfare law, Animal Welfare & Responsible Pet Ownership Education for School Children, Humane Handling Euthanasia & Pound Management for Local Government Units, Free Medical & Grooming Services, Free Anti-Rabies & Neutering Program, and Rescue & Rehabilitation Center & Adaption Program.

The event was also in partnership with the city government of Baguio - City Veterinary Office headed by Dr. Brigitte Piok./JDP/Redjie Cawis & F. Carasi / PIA-UC Intern

Benguet PNP ups Preparations for the May 13 Polls

LA TRINIDAD, Benguet - The Benguet police is enhancing preparations for the May 13 automated polls even as the province has always been peaceful during elections.

During the recent Provincial Command Conference for Baguio City and Benguet, the Benguet Provincial Police Office presented the deployment and security plan which puts into priority the vital installations and infrastructures in the province including the Binga and Ambuklao Dams.

BPPO Director PSSupt. Rodolfo Azurin Jr. said that the Benguet PNP is ready to implement its plan particularly by providing more security to the dams that provides electricity to the Luzon grid.

"We have to consider the security of the vital installations in the province of Benguet, specifically the Ambuklao and Binga dams which are source of power and electricity that is very important during the May 13 elections," said Azurin.

He explained that although the PNP is not seeing any threats to the vital installations in the province and the people, they should remain vigilant to ensure that the May elections will be peaceful, orderly and fair.

The police chief noted that Benguet has always been peaceful during the conduct of elections but still the police force will be deploying almost 400 personnel to the different polling centers in schools, to the municipal halls up to the provincial capitol.

He said that the BPPO will provide security starting from the transport and delivery of the Precinct Count Optical Scan(PCOS) machines to the different polling centers until retrieval of the machines after the elections.

They will be working closely with the AIR21, the official cargo partner of the Commission on Elections on the logistics, and plan how to deliver the PCOS and other election materials to the areas of Benguet particularly those which can only be reached by passing thru the Ilocos Region such as Barangay Kayapa in Bakun via Ilocos Sur and Barangay Ansagan in Tuba via Binalonan, Pangasinan, he added.

Azurin mentioned that they could offer their vehicles to transport the PCOS machines and other election materials to polling precincts that are hard to reach. He assured that their force will remain apolitical in the forthcoming elections./JDP/RC-PIA CAR

areas should, however, be increased since the fine under the current law is too small compared to the actual damage caused," Escudero said.



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BENECO, NGCP Assure Power Supply During Election Day

BAGUIO CITY - Players in the power industry assured that there will be adequate power supply during the automated May 13 national and local elections here.

Benguet Electric Cooperative(BENECO) General Manager Gerardo Versoza, in a kapihan forum, assured that power supply is adequate and that the different voting or polling precincts in the city of Baguio and the municipalities of Benguet will be supplied with electricity during the elections.

BENECO legal officer Delmar Carino also assured that they will strictly follow the guidelines set by the National Electrification Administration to all the electric cooperatives to ensure enough power supply and avoid any interruption and problem during the election day itself.

Carino said that before the election day, BENECO will conduct a thorough inspection of the entire distribution and perform preventive maintenance. They will also make inventory of supplies and make necessary procurement of critical materials to ensure that their facilities and equipments are working properly.

They will also coordinate with school officials for their inspection and repair or replacement of electrical wirings, switches convenience outlets as well as protective devices of school buildings which will serve as polling centers, he added.

According to Carino, BENECO will deploy a 24-hour skeletal force on election day for any line or equipment breakdown. A stationary lineman and a roving crew will be assigned in every polling center to conduct routine line patrolling and respond to electrical troubles.

He also bared that their Engineering Department will conduct an inventory of generators to back up power supply should any hitch occur during the election day.

Carino encouraged the public to report all significant outages and problems especially in the far-flung areas in Benguet.

Meanwhile, Lilibeth Gaydownen, National Grid Corporation of the Philippines North Luzon Corporate Communications and Public Affairs Officer, said that the regular line maintenance and preventive maintenance that the NGCP has been conducting since February this year is to ensure that the transmission lines of the North Luzon will function well during the May elections.

In a statement, "in time for the upcoming May elections, NGCP commits to the public that the country's power grid will remain reliable and stable during the crucial political event." "We will make sure that power delivery is excellent and transmission lines and equipment are at their best to ensure that we have electricity for the voting machines."

NGCP also formed a special task force which will be responsible for the smooth transmission of electricity and creation of contingency plans and measures during the election./JDP/RC-PIA CAR

"Oplan Katok"...

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firearms for safekeeping prior to renewal.

"We will continue knocking at the doors of gun owners for them to comply with the law by renewing their licenses or turn over their firearms in our office for safe keeping," Magalong said.

He appealed to gun holders to renew their firearm licenses to show

that they are responsible gun owners.

Meanwhile, on the enforcement of the Commission on Elections gun ban relative to the forthcoming midterm polls, Magalog reported that a total of 61 incidents were recorded in the region since the start of the gun ban last January 13 up to April 7. The operations resulted to the confiscation of 48 firearms and recovery of five others mostly in Abra./JDP/JBZ-PIA CAR

DOLE Awaits Comelec Exemption from Employment Ban of Students

T A B U K CITY, Kalinga - Employment of students under the Special Program for the Employment of Students (SPES) will start as soon as the Commission on Elections (Comelec) issues an exemption order from the election hiring ban.

Alexander Gumabol, provincial officer of the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) provincial office, here said they are awaiting the exemption order from Comelec.

"We hope Comelec would issue the order before May so that students could work for 20 days and get paid during their enrollment," he said

The SPES program help students to defray their school tuition fees from their wages for 20 days of labor from the DOLE with its 40 percent counterpart

and the sponsoring local government unit or private partner(60% counterpart) .

Gumabol said a total of 856 pledges came from six municipal local government units (LGUs), this city and three schools.

The LGU of Balbalan hires 26 students ; Lubuagan - 120; Pasil - 37; Rizal - 187; Tabuk - 238; Tanudan - 147; and Tinglayan - 35. Of the 37 hired in Pasil, seven are to be paid 100% by the LGU and in Tabuk, 106 by the Tabuk LGU.

Three schools, the Kalinga-Apayao State College hired 20 students

plus another 20 to be paid by the school; St. Louis College of Bulanao - 24; and Kalinga Academy - 15.

"Hiring was overshoot to 869, thanks to LGUs that hired additional SPES students beyond what they pledged," Gumabol said.

The 60% share of hiring LGUs and schools amounts to a total of P2.3 million while DOLE's

40% counterpart is P1.5 million. According to Gumabol, both the DOLE and Public Employment Service

Offices of the LGUs will supervise and monitor the work of students./JDP/P A B - P I A CAR,Kalinga

You deserve the leaders you get!

For the past several elections, all sorts of accusations, brik-brats, innuendos and what have you have been thrown and hurled at this newspaper. Some have called us pahayagang bayaran, some say bayad, some say binayaran ni ganito o ni ganoon, mga sira ulo yan, diyaryo ni ganito o ni ganoon, and some other expletives if printed are simply a waste of printers ink and paper. What is funny is that, if this paper is even a tenth of the negative things it is being accused of, then we should at least be deluged with criminal/civil suits, but fortunately that is not the case, for indeed our detractors should give credit where credit is due and in the case of the sometimes sensitive issues and exposes we come out with, credit should go to our informers and our research team. Although in all honesty, we do admit that the exposes

EDITORIAL we would want to do at present are sorely lacking in subject matters (the political candidates as subjects) and this is due in a large part to the editorial and management of this paper that also has other concerns to attend to other than newspapering. However, despite the setback, relevant information that we feel is for public interest still comes in from our network of informers. When it comes to exposing issues, that is clearly the prerogative of a newspaper, it has been like that and will always be like that, it is not for others to say what issues should and should not be taken up. The bottom line is, are the issues being exposed for the public interest?

Tell us dear readers, are the following issues concerning our political candidates worthy of an expose or not? **ALLEGATIONS OF A HIGHLY CORRUPT GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL**, would you vote for a highly corrupt public or private official, would you vote for a thief? **A SWINDLER AND/OR CON MAN MASQUERADING AS A PUBLIC/PRIVATE OFFICIAL**, would you vote for a person who is involved in a Estafa Case or an Illegal Recruitment Case? **A BOLD FACED LYING CANDIDATE WHILE MAKING USE OF HIS/HER POSITION TO GAIN FAVOR WHEN HE/SHE WAS STILL IN GOVERNMENT**, would you vote for a lying and cheating abusive official? **A WOMANIZING CANDIDATE**, would you vote for a womanizer? **A CHRONIC-COMPULSIVE GAMBLER**, would you vote for a Chronic/Compulsive Gambler? **WEAK, INDECISIVE, UNPRINCIPLED LEADERSHIP**- would you vote for a weak, indecisive and unprincipled leader? **CANDIDATE WITH ILL GOTTEN and/or UN-EXPLAINED WEALTH**, would you vote for a candidate who has mansions here and abroad and whose mansions he cannot explain how they came about?

Since public office is a public trust, we believe that it is our readers' right to be properly informed of the background, character and other dealings of our candidates for these are indicators of the kind of public officials they will be voting into office and the brand of public service you the voter can expect. Before you the voter, our readers, give your public trust (your vote) to these types of candidates, you the voter should ask yourself if you are willing to trust corrupt, weak, gambling, womanizing, thieving, scheming etc....., candidates, for at the end of the day despite of our having trumpeted and exposed some of the hard issues against these candidates there really is no one to blame, for you deserve the leaders you get.



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BY : ORWEN TRAZO



Bakit hindi dapat iboto si Arthur Allad-iw!!!- Ang aking nais na isalaysay ay mismong karanasan ng aming grupo The Junction Newspaper at ng Linis Gobyerno hingil kay Mr. Allad-iw kung saan sa aking opinyon ay isang pangitain sa kung anong klase ng ugali o karakter mayroon itong si Mr. Allad-iw na sa aking pakikiwari ay mataas masyado ang tingin niya sa kanyang sarili. Nangyari ito more or less mga taong 2005 kung saan ang Nordis ay nag eemail sa ibat ibang mga media outfits (kasama ang Junction sa email list nila) ng kanilang mga news releases. Kaya kapag nakakatanggap ang Junction ng mga news release ay kung minsan ay ginagamit ito bastat ang mahalaga ay parating iacknowledge accordingly ang source of the article or news item. Aba eh nagulat na lang kami ng biglang umangal itong si Allad-iw na siyang Editor ng Nordis at ang dami pang kiao-kiao kesyo bakit hindi sila binabayaran sa pag gamit ng kanilang artikulo, kesyo konti lang naman daw ang aming printing (eh dati pareho lang kaming nag papa-imprenta sa Unique printing kaya nag kakaalaman kung ilan ang iniimprenta) etc...., eh kung tutuusin mas marami pa kaming pinaimprenta keya sa kanila sa Unique at yun ay patutunayan mismo ng Unique nung mga panahon na yun. Eh di na bwisit yun aming impakto este de facto publisher na si Mr. Farres at sinagot siya in writing at sinabing, eh di huwag ka mag padala ng mga news release ninyo sa amin sapagkat in the first place we did not even allow you to include our email address sa inyong mailing list sa madalit salita spamming yan ginagawa ninyo. First incident pa lang ito, kaya Ok lang po yun pangyayari na yun, at pinalampas at nakalimutan na namin yun ere nitong si Kataas-Taasan Allad-iw, aba eh inulit nanaman kung saan kanyang ipinakita na marahil ay kulang siya ng pagiging isang edukadong tao na mayroon modo, alam naman natin na ang pagiging edukado ay wala sa dami ng kurso na natapos, maraming elementary o high school lang ang inabot ngunit mga tunay na edukado at may modo! Mga 3 years ago ay nag karoon ng awarding ang Linis Gobyerno (dalawang beses pa lamang nag karoon ng awarding ang Linis Gobyerno, taong 2001 at taong 2010) at napag kasunduan ng Board na mabigyan ng award ang apat lamang na sa aming pananaw ay may mga magagandang naitulong sa laban kontra korapsyon. Ang mga LG awardee ay sina Ms. Janette Malona un nag-expose ng mga anolmalya sa Bureau of Fire sa Region, si Bishop Oscar Cruz ang dating Arsobispo ng Pangasinan, si Arthur Allad-iw ang Editor ng Nordis at si Former Judge Pamintuan. Aba eh, ni wala kaming natanggap na anu mang response mula dito kay Allad-iw, di katulad ni Bishop kung saan nagpadala ng isang liham at ipinaliwanag niya (at nagpasalamat) kung bakit hindi niya matatangap ang award mula sa amin, ang ginawa ni Bishop Cruz ay isang marka at tanda ng siang edukadong tao. Si Ms. Malona ay mismog nag attend ng awarding at si Judge Pamintuan ay nag padala ng kanyang representante ngunit si kataas-taasan Arthur ay ni walang pinadalang representante o anu pa man komunikasyon nagsasabi na hindi nya o ayaw nyang tangapin ang award, ni ha-ni-ho, WALA, ISNABERO TUTUO ANG MAMA. Kaya kung ang pag babasehan ko ang dalawang insidenteng ito, aba eh, hindi pa Konsehal yan si Allad-iw eh ang taas ko ang tingin niya sa kanyang sarili eh baka pag naging konsehal yan ay lalo ng lumaki pa ulo nyan, baka di pa ako papasukin nyan sa opisina nya. Ang tama at etikal na Gawain ng isang taong may pinag-aralan at modo ay kung maka tangap ka na isang nominasyon para sa isang award o parangal at yuon ay hindi mo gustong tangapin, eh di sumulat ka o mag pasabi ka o tumawag ka at sabihin mo thanks but no thanks, hindi yun bastat iisnubin mo na lang. Kaya nabangit minsan ng aming De Facto Pub-

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"Statement of Faith"

BY: BATAS MAURICIO



LIFE'S INSPIRATIONS: "... Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God..." (John 1:12, the Holy Bible).

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"STATEMENT OF FAITH" OF "CHILDREN OF GOD, BLOOD KIN OF THE CHRIST": I am sharing with my readers here a piece entitled "Statement of Faith" from the group "Children of God, Blood Kin of the Christ". I am soliciting comments, and, perhaps, asking my readers here to answer this very important question: "are you a child of God, blood kin of the Christ?"

Here is the "Statement of Faith": "I am a child of God, blood kin of the Christ. God chose me, I did not choose God. God chose me even before the creation of the world, to be one with Christ.

"I am sent by Jesus, as Jesus was sent by the Father in heaven. I will go and make all the nations His disciples, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them all that He commanded us to do.

"I will proclaim the Word of God everywhere, all the time, even while I am lowly. I am a child of God, blood kin of the Christ, because I accepted and have faith in Jesus as my God and Savior.

"With my acceptance and faith in Jesus as my God and Savior, He redeemed and forgave me with His blood, He communed and united with me, and I became a new creation as part of his Holy Body. I believe that His blood of salvation now runs through my veins.

"I am a child of God, blood kin of the Christ, and I will be among those whom Jesus will bring up in the clouds at the end of time, and who will be with Him in Paradise in eternal life. Amen."

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BIBLICAL BASES OF THE "STATEMENT OF FAITH": It appears that the foregoing "Statement of Faith" is drawn from several passages of the Holy Bible. These are John 1:12, Ephesians 1:7, Hebrews 9:14, John 15:16, Ephesians 1:4, John 20:21, Matthew 28:19-20, 2 Timothy 4:1-2, 1 Timothy 1:26-29, 2 Corinthians 5:17, Ephesians 5:30, 1 John 1:7, 2 Thessalonians 4:13-17, and John 3:16.

It is in fact a statement of the foundational doctrines of "Children of God, Blood Kin of the Christ"—the very Biblical passages that gave birth to the group and which defines each and every member, as well as the calling that have been given to each of them.

This "Statement of Faith" in fact confirms to the members that they have been called, and are being sent, to proclaim the Word of God to the whole world, so that Jesus' admonition in Matthew 24:14—that "this Gospel will be preached to all the nations and then the end shall come"—will somehow find fulfillment.

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PALSIIT

Di Ammo Ti Patien!

BY: LEONARDO ROSQUETA AGUNOY



NALPASEN ti panagpipilli. Adda nagkadua a rikna dagiti naayat iti politica nangruna kadagiti politico. Dagiti naabak, kaslada la kakapkaon a baka. Agpaspasanaangda. Dida maaklon ti pannakaabakda. Kurangna laeng a mapanda kadagiti nagsapalan (junction) tapno sidirenda dagiti umili nga atapenda a nagulbod kadakuada! Ammotayon a ti napalabas a panagpipili, adu a kuarta ti rinuk-atan dagiti adda mabalinna a politico. Adda mabalinna, kuna 'toy numo ti biang ta adu latta met kadagiti politico ti pada a nakurapay. Kasta met no independent dagitoy agsipud ta awan ngarud ti pakiamongda iti kumappenganda koma a partido.

Saanak a naabak; nakusitak laeng! Dayta met ti kaaduanna a tantanawtawen dagiti di makaaklon ti pannakaabakna. Ania ngarud ti sumaruno a mapasamak? Agipila ti naabak iti reklamo! Kaanonto ngarud a masungbatan dayta a reklamo tapno matuntunan ti kinapudno? Di ammo.

Kasla met nadanuman a tokak iti ringgor ken ragsak dagiti nangabak. Adayo pay idi a maangay ti panagpipili, sangkasaodan a ti itlog, addan idia baki! Di pay napessaan, nabilangdan ti pick! Adda ngamin masterlist dagitoy a llamado a kandidato. Naaramid dayta a masterlist babaen iti kaadu ti rinuk-atanda a kuarta! Ay, Filipinas, aya, nagadu ketdin a wagas ti panagukkon ti magatadan a kalintegan!

Kalpasan ngarud ita daytoy a panagpipili, sapay la koma, a, ta makapudnotayo itan. Ti kayat a sawen 'toy numo ti biang, sapay la koma ta napudno dagiti politicotayo nga adda itan iti poder ti turay. Agritabohoda koma a sipuposo tapno iti kasta, awanto ti naruy a reklamotayo. No maminsan ngamin, nalaintayo nga umili nga agreklamo. Kasla ditayo maannugot a mangrugi iti bukodtayo a bagi dayta ita a pakabalawanto dagiti managliway a turayentayo. Adda daytay kalintegan a ditayo naragpat/naipatungpal iti bukodtayo a bagi. Maysa daytan ti pannangilakotayo ti butostayo kadagiti politico.

Malagip 'toy numo ti biang ti pasungad a saludsod ti staff ti maysa a turayen ti ili. Kuna ti staff: "Apay kadi?"

Ti oficina ti gobierno, isu ti oficina dagiti umili. Dagiti empleado ti gobierno, aggapu ti sueldoda manipud iti buis dagiti umili. Agbuis dagiti umili iti ania man a gatanggana a produkto. Dayta a buis, pangsueldo kadagiti adda iti gobierno ken kasta met a pangpundo kadagiti maipatungpal a proyekto. Iti ababa a pannao, ti staff a nagsaludsod iti "Apay kadi?" Saan koma a kasta ti rumbeng a saludsod: "Ania kadi ti nanumo a maipay ti oficina kadakayo, kabsat?" Ngamin, ni umili, simbrek iti oficina agsipud ta adda kasapulanna kadagiti public servant. Ken, awan ti pilpilien ti oficina nga iserbian.

Sapay komatamakaadapay dagiti agoficina iti gobiemo ti nadaydayaw a pannakisaritada kadagiti umili. Isuda koma nga empleado ti pagwadan iti nasayaat a kababalin.

PAGPAMPANUNOTAN: The art of a people is a true mirror of their minds. - JAWAHARLAL NEHRU.

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lisher at Executive Director ng Linis Gobyerno na marahil siguro kaya inisnub ni Allad-iw yun award ng Linis Gobyerno ay sapagkat isa sa mga adviser ng grupo ay si Bobby "Bungo" Ortega, alam na siguro ninyo ang ibig kong sabihin! Ngunit kung may basehan ang haka-haka na ito eh bakit sumapi itong si Allad-iw sa grupo ng Nationalista (Villar) nitong nakaraang eleksyon kung saan mayroon matibay na alyansa ang NP kay mismong si Bongbong Marcos, eh ngayon na sa LP naman siya, saan naman kaya siya sa susunod na eleksyon, baka sa Timpuyog na? Hi! Hi! Hi!

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Domogan-Vergara camp may laglagan kaya??? Gaano kaya ka tibay ang samahan ng Domogan Vergara partners in _____? Nag lalaglagan kaya ang dalawang ito kapag panahon ng halalan? Sabi ng mga ibang nakausap ko na mismong malalapit sa kampo ni Domogan na sa last 2 to 3 days pa nagbibigay ng order si Apo Domogan "dat kin be dan" kung sno ang kanyang tambal na Tngressman. Kung ating pagbabasehan ang nakaraang eleksyon nung taong 2004 at 2007 kung saan talaunan si Apo vergara, malinaw naman na nilaglag ni Apo Domogan si Apo Vergara, kelangan pa ba maging genius para ma analyze ang bagay na yan, sa laki ba naman ng lamang ng boto ni Apo Domogan. Obvious ba! Sa ngayon ang itinimbre sakín ng isa nating DPA (Deep Penetrating Angel) ay DA daw ang magiging last minute instructions ni Apo Domogan, at ano ang ibig sabihin ng DA - Domogan Alipores or baka Darling Aliping. Hi! Hi! Hi! Malamang ang sasabihin ni Apo Domogan ay lets all sing a **DU DU DU a DA DA DA**. Hi! Hi! Hi! Kung halimbawa ay magka-ganito ang sitwasyon aba eh, huwag ka mag alala Apo Bernie, suportaran taka sa yer 2016 pwede pa naman kayo tumakbo bilang Tongsehal este Konsehal, See you at 2016 Apo!!! Siyanga pala sino ang Kandidatong tumatakbo para Mayor at kandidatong para Congressman (mag karibal na partido) ang nag usap sa bahay ng isa nilang mutual friend at 4 AM last Sunday Morning? Ang may ari ng bahay ay isang dating Konsehal at matanyag na pamilya ng Baguio, ano naman kaya ang pinagusapan ng dalawang kandidato sa ganuon oras (baka innapreciate lang nila ang simoy ng Baguio air sa ganitong oras). Huwag kayo magalala mga dear readers at ibubulgar ko rin kung sino ang dalawang kandidatong ito pagkatapos ng eleksyon. Hi! Hi! Hi!

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Sino kaya ang utak at financier nitong nakaraang expose ng CFIRI !? Duon sa mga nakabasa ng mga expose ng Cordillera First Independent Research Inc. (CFIRI) nung eleksyon 2010, inyong mababasa ang mga hindi kanais-nais na info tungkol kina **Balisong, Yangot, Bautista, Aliping, Marrero, Sembrano, Domogan, Bagbagen, Cosalan, Acosta**. Kailan lamang ay nakatangap ako ng ilan



dokumento pati na rin ang xerox copy ng isang cheke na ibinayad daw o kontribusyon sa pag finance nito mula sa checking account ng isang politiko, ayon pa sa info ay bago na ipublish ang nasabing info ay mismong ang PR Man ng kandidato ang tumingin ng mga exposes at nagbigay na ng go-signal before printing. Tutuo kaya ang info na ito na yun isang Politoko na yun ang nag finance para gawin ng grupong ito? Kung tutuo ito, bakit pinayagan niya na ma-sama sa mga expose ang kanyang partner??? Ating aalamin sa isang mas malalim pa na pag sisiyasat (research). Siyanga pala na pansin ko lang na bakit walang in expose ang grupong ito tungkol kay Vergara, bakit kaya. Siguro mga fans ni Bernie ang mga gumawa nito. Hi! Hi! Hi!

Alamin kung karapat-dapat bang iboto ang isang kandidato

Karapatan ng mga Botante at mga mamamayan na malaman ang lahat ng posibleng mga bagay, transaksyon, karakter, ugali, atbp hinggil sa isang kandidato, maging ito ay opisyal o personal na mga bagay-bagay at impormasyon. Ang isang kandidato na balat-sibuyas at ayaw mabulat-lat ang lahat ng kanyang baho (kung mayroon man) ay hindi dapat sumapi sa larangan ng politika. Ang isang kandidatong iniisnub ang mga simpleng katanungan katulad ng mga katanungan ng pahayagang ito ay lalung-lalo nang hindi dapat makuha ang inyong mahalagang boto.


Re-Electionist Councilor Fred Bagbagen – Nang-estapa nga ba o hindi???

Taong 2007, itong si kasalukuyang Konsehal Fred Bagbagen na isa ngayong re-electionist Councilor sa partido na Timpuyog ay nakasuhan ng ESTAFA ng isang Mrs. Annamay S. Perez. Ang reklamo ay kasalukuyang nasa Regional Trial Court Branch 6, Criminal Case No. 27971-R. Ayon sa impormasyon na isinampa ng Baguio City Prosecutors Office, itong si Konsehal Bagbagen at ng kanyang kasamahan (co-accused) ay tumanggap ng kabuuang halaga na Three Hundred Sixty Three Thousand Pesos (P363,000.00) mula sa iba't ibang buyers ng lupain na pagmamay-ari ng pamilya Perez. Ang masaklap, hindi binigay ni Konsehal Bagbagen (at ng kanyang mga kasamahan) ang pera kay Annamay Perez o kahit kaninuman sa pamilya Perez. Sa medaling salita, binulsa nila ang pera ng mga pamilya Perez. Makikita rito ang Information Sheet mula sa City Prosecutor's Office, ang summary ng mga halagang tinaggap ni Konsehal Bagbagen et. al. ang larawan ni Ms. Annamay Perez kausap ang isang staff ng pahayagang ito at ang liham ng pahayagang ito kay Konsehal Bagbagen para kunin ang kanyang panig.



Ang larawan ni Mrs. Annamay Perez kung saan ipinapaliwanag niya sa isang staff member ng pahayagang ito ang kanyang panig.



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Konsehal Bagbagen mula
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P20,000 nuong February
19, 2008.*

Ang listahan ng mga halagang naibigay ng mga buyers ng mga lote na napunta kay Konsehal Bagbagen et. al.

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
FIRST JUDICIAL REGION
BAGUIO CITY
BRANCOE

JULY 2004

THE PEOPLE vs. THE DEFENDANTS,
Philippines.

FRANK LEO TELSIBULO
(Jr. Resident Magistrate,
Baguio City) and
ATTY. FRED S. BARRERAS
(Jr. Resident Magistrate,
Baguio City) both as Agents,
Accused.

S E A
Case No. ST-2276
DEEM CASE NO. 279717

E O R

TESTATA
(Age 315, Pw. Edged the
Resident Penal Code)

INFORMATION

The undersigned accused, FRANK LEO TELSIBULO and ATTY. FRED S. BARRERAS of the crime of TESTATA (Art. 315, Pw. Edged the Resident Penal Code), committed as follows:

That during the period from April 4, 2005 to September 8, 2005 and subsequently thereafter, in the City of Baguio, Philippines, and within the jurisdiction of this Honorable Court, the above-named accused, conspiring, confederating, and mutually aiding one another, with unlawfulness and fraud of the Republic, did then and there unlawfully, unlawfully and feloniously defraud ANTONIANG S. PEREZ and the members his family in the following manner, to wit: the said accused, being that the representatives of Francisco D. Perez and the heirs of the late Josephine S. Perez and who were themselves represented by herein complainant, Attorney S. Perez, after having collected the total amount of P250,000.00 representing payments of loan sold on buyers' and mortgage of said lands being portions of that certain parcel of land located at San Carlos Heights, Baguio City covered under Transfer Certificate of Title No. 1-14240 of the Register of Deeds of Baguio in the name of Francisco D. Perez; and the late Josephine S. Perez, with the express obligation to account for and remit the said collected funds complying with their obligations and then and there willfully, unlawfully and feloniously misappropriate, attempt and convert the same to their own personal use and benefit and despite repeated demands made upon them upon the discovery of the fraud, they willfully, unlawfully and feloniously fail and refuse to perform said obligation to the damage and prejudice of complainant ANTONIANG PEREZ and the members of his family in the aforementioned amount of THREE HUNDRED NINETY THREE THOUSAND AND SEVEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE Philippine currency.

CONTRARY TO LAW.

Baguio City, Philippines, December 11, 2005

APPROVED:
JOSEFINA T. VIRGARA
2nd Assistant City Prosecutor

APPROVED:
EDUARDO M. SANTOS
1st Assistant City Prosecutor

Ang Information Sheet kung saan makikita ang reklamo at habla ng Baguio City Pros. Office nuong Dec. 11, 2007.

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April 9, 2013

Atty. Fred Bagbagen
City Councilor
RECEIVED
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BY [Signature]

ATTY. FRED BAGBAGEN
City Councilor
City Hall, Baguio City

& Timpueng Headquarters, One Pack
Road, Baguio City

Subject: Request for clarification of the following issues

Dear Atty. Bagbagen:

With all due respect, we would like to request for clarification on the following information, for and in behalf of transparency and of the public interest.

1. What is now the status of Crim. Case No. 17971-B (Branch 5) for Estafa that has been filed against you and another co-accused by Annamary S. Perez?
2. What is now the status of Civil Case No. 4176-B-B (Branch 3) for Annulment of Real Estate Mortgage with Damages that has been filed against you by Perilita Ahleng, et. al.?

Please feel free to provide us with any other information you feel may be of the public interest. Should your reply be ready, kindly text/call 8917-8069913 or 442-3583 so that we can send over our representative to pick up your reply.

Thank you and more power to you and your candidates.

Very truly yours,

Nestor A. Castro
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Researcher

Ang liham ng pahayagang ito kay Konsehal Bagbagen noon pang April 10, 2013 kung saan kinukuha natin ang kanyang panig hinggil sa isyu na ito. Ang liham na ito ay kanyang dinedma at hindi pinansin hanggang sa kasalukuyan.

DATE OF RECEIPT	PAID BY / OCCUPANT	PAID TO	AMOUNT
April 4, 2005	David Ruffino	Atty. Baghagen	P50,000.00
April 8, 2005	Nelly Cabrutotan	Atty. Baghagen	20,000.00
April 8, 2005	Howard Goldan	Atty. Baghagen	50,000.00
April 14, 2005	Nelly Cabrutotan	Atty. Baghagen	30,000.00
May 31, 2005	Winnie Goldan	Frank Telantele	40,000.00
August 15, 2005	Winnie Goldan	Atty. Baghagen	50,000.00
August 15, 2005	Nelly Cabrutotan	Atty. Baghagen	15,000.00
August 15, 2005	David Ruffino	Atty. Baghagen	25,000.00
Sept. 5, 2005	Nelly Cabrutotan	Atty. Baghagen	8,000.00
Sept 6, 2005	David Ruffino	Atty. Baghagen	75,000.00
		TOTAL	P363,000

Ang liham na ating pinadala (April 17, 2013) sa tanggapan ni kagalang-galang na Prosecutor Gloria Agunos kung saan ating ipinaliliwanag sa kanya na sa ating pananaw ay karapatan ng mamamayan na malaman kung mayroon mga reklamo na mga nakasampa sa kanyang tanggapan hinggil sa iba't-ibang mga kandidato. Ayon sa liham na kasagutan ni Pros. Agunos (April 18, 2013), ang ating liham ay kanyang ifinorward kay DOJ Secretary. Aantabayanin natin ang kasagutan ng DOJ Secretary at ating ipaalam sa invo.

Operation Baklas Removes Illegally Posted, Oversized Campaign Materials

BAGUIO CITY - Campaign materials that did not follow the guidelines set by the Commission on Elections were taken down and removed during the 'Operation Baklas' in Baguio City this week.

Three major highways leading to Baguio City, Kennon Road, Naguillan Road and Marcos Highway including several barangays along the said areas were "cleaned" of political campaign materials during the Operation Baklas (remove, take out) lead by the Comelec last April 17 and 18.

COMELEC - Cordillera Regional Director Jose Nick Mendros personally led the Operation Baklas Task Force with its agency members, the Department of Public Works and Highways, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Baguio Fire Department and the Baguio City Police Office, to remove and take down election posters illegally posted at the different areas that are not designated by the COMELEC as common posting areas.

Areas which were removed of campaign materials include government buildings, structures and properties, barangay halls, basketball courts, waiting sheds, electric posts, trees and plants. Posters even in private residences or walls whose owners were not asked for consent, were removed.

The task force also removed oversized tarpaulins and posters even when it posted inside private residences or properties.

Mendros explained that pursuant to COMELEC Resolution Number 9617, a task force has been created to tear down and remove all unlawful election materials. This is composed of the election officer as chairman, the chief of police as vice chairman and the third member belonging to any of the deputized agencies of the Commission.

The task force duties and functions are to tear down and remove campaign propaganda materials posted in public places outside the common poster areas and to monitor

CSC-CAR Head Tells Agencies to comply with Anti-Red Tape law

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Taldo said the Charter is in the form of an information billboard and should be posted in the main entrance or any conspicuous place of the office.

The ARTA also requires offices to have special lane for special people like pregnant women, senior citizens or persons with disabilities including basic facilities such as waiting areas and comfort rooms which are accessible to the clients.

Other provisions of the law are the implementation of the "No Noon Break" policy, Anti-Fixer campaign measures, wearing of identification cards by frontline service providers and the setting up of a Public Assistance and Complaints Desk.

In her monitoring of selected offices in the province, Taldo noted the partial or improper implementation of the law in some offices. She cited the Citizens Charter of one office which was not in information billboard form and that it is not easily read by the clients while another office, although observing "no noon break" policy, has no regular personnel manning the office to attend to its clients.

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campaign materials. The regional election director also called on politicians to remind their campaigners to follow the COMELEC guidelines in posting election and campaign materials on designated common posting areas. (JDP/RC-PIA CAR)



"SPACIOUS" - Father Eligio Lubina blesses the newly renovated public market block 4 last April 10. With him are City Officials who also went around to see for themselves the improvements made to the facility./Photo by Paul Rillorta

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