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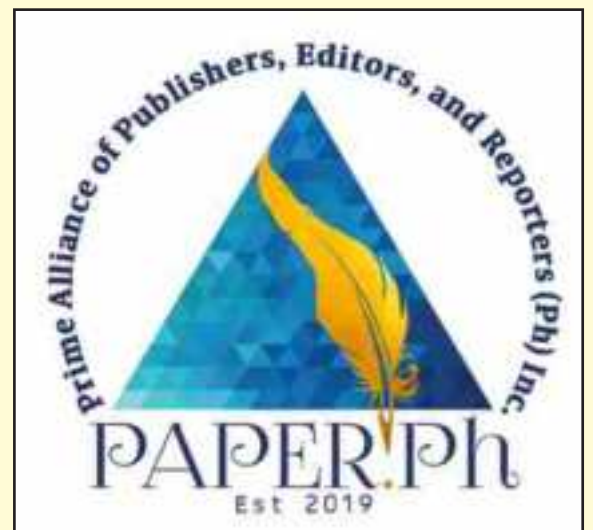
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DPWH assures 2027 completion of Punta-Open Canal Diversion Road

GEN. TRIAS CITY, Cavite (PIA) — To ease traffic and cut travel time in Cavite, the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) is fast-tracking the construction of the Punta-Open Canal Diversion Road Project which is slated for completion by the end of 2027.

During his inspection of the ongoing construction project last May 15, Secretary Vince Dizon assured funding for the remaining 2.35-kilometer-portion of the diversion road project.

"In-assure ko si Mayor [Luis Ferrer IV] na ang target natin ay matapos ito hanggang Tanza nang end of 2027. At itutuloy natin 'yung natitirang 600 meters papuntang Imus, matatapos na rin nang end of 2027."

Dizon admitted that the construction project has been met with major roadblocks, such as securing right-of-way permits. However, the DPWH said funds for the right-of-way will be downloaded to the city government to expedite acquisition and construction—a practice that will be adopted in future construction projects nationwide.

"'yung pondo na roughly P90 million para sa right-of-way acquisition [ay] ida-download na lang namin sa LGU. At ito na ang gagawin nating sistema all over the country."

The Punta-Open Canal Diversion Road, which broke ground in 2016, faced issues with right-of-way acquisition. Designed as a six-lane thoroughfare, it will shorten travel time from Arnaldo Highway to Tanza, Cavite, to 15 minutes from the current 40 minutes. (PB-PIA CALABARZON, with reports from DPWH)



Happy Birthday, Congresswoman Maria Vanessa Aumentado!



From the Prime Alliance of Publishers, Editors, and Reporters (PH) Inc. (PAPER PH), we warmly extend our birthday greetings to you on this special occasion.

May this day be filled with happiness, good health, and abundant blessings. We commend your unwavering dedication and commitment to public service, as well as your efforts in advancing the welfare of the people of Bohol's 2nd District.

Your leadership and passion for serving your constituents continue to inspire many and contribute to the growth and progress of your community. As you celebrate another year of life, may you be granted continued strength, wisdom, and success in all your endeavors.

Wishing you a joyful birthday and many more meaningful years of service, achievement, and fulfillment.

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Let's pray that every stage of your married life will be strong, full of love, smooth communication, and that the Almighty will continue to guide each and every stage of your life as a couple. Congratulations and long live po sa newlyweds! #SaDiyosSaTaoSerbisyonTotoo #sErbisyoLangpo #BagongParanaque

Remember, you may choose your sin, but you cannot choose the consequences.

Cebu-Malaysia to establish Food Security, Economic, Sports Hub in the City of Naga

ON THE WATCH

Rico Osmeña



The Cebu Provincial Government and a Malaysian based firm MTD Philippines, Inc. signed on Wednesday the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to establish the Food Security, Economic and Sports Hub in the City of Naga, Cebu.

The MOU is the first phase of the project to come up with the Feasibility Study.

During the signing, MTD Philippines President and CEO Engr. Patrick Nicholas David emphasized the importance of partnering with local government units that uphold good governance, as he cited the ongoing projects, the firm are into such as the New Pasig City Hall.

"We work with LGUs that not only promise but also deliver good governance. This is what we have always envisioned -- working with good leadership to deliver world-

class facilities free from corruption and wrongdoing. We are fatigued by stories of how bad government projects are. What we promise, we deliver -- and always ahead of schedule," Engr. David said.

The project will be located in a 45-hectare Satellite Provincial Government Center in the City of Naga. The project aims to bring provincial government services closer to residents in Southern Cebu which will help decongestion of the Cebu urban centers.

Cebu Governor Pamela Baricuatro highlighted the importance of the Food Security Center, noting that it will help address food insecurity in the province and reduce post-harvest losses among Cebuano farmers.

"The Food Security Center especially means so much to me because food security has always been one of my personal Advocates. This is why we continue pushing programs that strengthen Agriculture, support our farmers and fisherfolk, and ensure that food remains accessible and sustainable for our people," Baricuatro said.

She stressed that one of the reasons she pursued public office was her belief that Cebu deserves more accessible government services, stronger economic opportunities, expanded spaces for youth development through sports, and sustainable solutions for food security.

The project aside from Food Security Facility will

include a Fish Port and Fish Market, Sports Stadium and Aquatic Center with 20,000-seat capacity, Renewable Energy Facility, and a Transport Hub for ferries and public utility vehicles (PUVs).

More jobs and investments are expected once the construction begins, this is expected to generate around 5,000 jobs during its development and completion phases.

The Sports Hub is also expected to position Cebu as viable venue for international sporting events which would further boost tourism and economic activities in the province. The MOU signing was witnessed by Malaysian Ambassador to the Philippines Dato Abdul Malik Melvin Castelino, AFK Group CEO Tan Sri Dr. Azmil Khalid, Provincial Board Members Dr. Stanley Caminero, Malcolm Sanchez, Alfie Ouano, and Mike Villamor.

Please watch and listen to Karon SUGBO or TODAY CEBU business news and public affairs radio program over Rico Osmeña/ Daily Tribune livestream/ DYLA Cebu radio band 909khz AM band every 11 00am-12 00nn from Mondays to Fridays. Hosted by yours truly RICO MIRASOLOSMENA.

For informations, comments, suggestions, feedback, complaints and advises please email at rico.osmena@yahoo.com or text at 09273788432. Thank you so much. GOD bless our FAMILIES!

Drought hits 600 Cebu City Farmers

The Cebu City Agriculture Department (CAD) bared on Friday that 633 farmers and 233.57 hectares of farmland are now by drought. The affected areas were 19 upland barangays in the city.

CAD's consolidated report dated May 20, 2026 showed that 5,801 registered farmers were assessed in an initial monitoring, with 663 already partially affected by the lack of rain that disrupted crops, irrigation and agricultural productivity in the upland and rural barangays.

The assessment report would guide possible government interventions and assistance for affected farming families.

The Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) raised the El Nino alert as it warned that 79 percent probability that climate phenomenon will develop between June and August 2026 and persist until early 2027.

According to the report, Barangay Tabunan recorded the highest number of affected farmers at 1620, followed by Taptap with 74, Cambinocot with 72, and Pung-ol Sibugay with 68.

While on the damaged crops, Barangay Budlaan posted the highest impact at 51.91 percent, next was Tagbao at 45.59 percent, Tabunan at 42.69 percent, and Agsungot at 42 percent.

The report disclosed that 233.57 hectares of affected agricultural land out of 2,856.54 hectares were monitored in the initial assessment.

Among the crops heavily affected by the drought were banana, eggplant, string beans, tomato, cucumber, ampalaya, chili, pepper, sweet corn and ornamental plants such as orchids, gerbera, asters and wonder white flowers. Banana plantations in Budlaan, Bonbon, Mabini, and Sudlon 1 were affected, even the vegetable-producing

areas such as Tabunan, Taptap, Guba, and Sinsin had reported damaged tomatoes, cucumbers and ampalaya.

Ornamental plants were affected too in Barangays Babag, Budlaan, and Pung-ol Sibugay due to extreme heat and drought.

Cebu City Mayor Nestor Archival said the city government intensified preparations for the impact of prolonged lack of rain are being done, which May include declaring a state of preparedness and expanding drought mitigation measures.

He added possible interventions for affected farmers are cash assistance, free transport of produce, irrigation support, and the revival of the "Tabo sa Barangay" market linkage program to help farmers sell their products directly to urban communities.

Additional reports are still being consolidated from Barangays Adlaon, Lusaran, Sirao, Sudlon 2, Sapangdaku, Buhisan, Binaliw, Busay and Toong. **(By RICO MIRASOLOSMENA)**

Labor force slightly declines in CV

The Philippine Statistics Authority in Central Visayas (PSA-7) bared on Thursday that the region had a slight decline in the labor force in 2025 due to the twin disasters that hit Cebu.

In its presentation of the on the highlights of the Labor Force Survey in Central Visayas, in 2025, the Labor Force Participation Rate (LFPR) in Central Visayas was estimated at 63.9 percent slightly lower than the 64.7 percent recorded in 2024. In terms of magnitude, this corresponds to about 3.041 million Filipinos aged 15 years and over who were part of the labor force in 2025, slightly lower than the 3.045 million recorded in 2024.

The slight decline was due to the twin disasters that hit Cebu in 2025. The earthquake in northern Cebu and Typhoon Tino," said PSA-7 Regional Director Wilma Perante. There were several manufacturing companies closed down because of the twin disasters," she told DAILY TRIBUNE.

Across the provinces and Highly Urbanized Cities (HUCs) in Central Visayas, the City of Lapu-Lapu recorded the highest LFPR at 67.3 percent in 2025, while Cebu City posted the lowest with 60.1 percent.

Two provinces/ HUCs registered LFPRs higher than the regional average of 63.9 percent. These were Cebu Province (excluding HUCs) at 65.0 percent and Lapu-Lapu

City at 63.7 percent.

While the region's unemployment rate was estimated at 3.8 percent in 2025 or slightly higher than the 3.1 percent unemployment rate recorded in 2024.

In terms of magnitude, the number of unemployed individuals reached approximately 115,000 in 2025, compared to 2024's 94,000.

Among the Provinces/ HUCs in Central Visayas, the City of Lapu-Lapu posted the highest unemployment rate with 5.3 percent in 2025, and Mandaue City had the lowest unemployment rate of 2.8 percent.

Three provinces/HUCs registered unemployment rates lower than the regional average of 3.8 percent in 2025, namely: Bohol (3.6%), Cebu (excluding HUCs, 3.6%), and Mandaue City (2.8%).

The Employment Rate in Central Visayas was estimated at 96.2 percent, which was slightly lower than the 96.9 percent recorded in 2024.

However, the number of employed persons decreased to approximately 2.93 million in 2025, compared to 2.95 million in 2024. The Services sector accounted for the largest share of employment in the region, compromising 64.9 percent of the total employed population in 2025, followed by the industry sector with 19.5 percent and the Agriculture sector

with 15.7 percent.

By sub-sector, the top three contributors to employment were Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles (20.3%), Agriculture and Forestry (12.7%), and Construction (9.7%).

The highest increases in employment in 2025 compared to 2024 were Agriculture and Forestry with 39,000, Fishing and Aquaculture with 25,000, Education with 18,000, Accommodation and Food Service activities with 17,000 and Public Administration and Defense; Compulsory Social Security with 5,000.

In contrast, the sub-sectors posted the top 5 lowest annual decreases in the number of employed persons with Manufacturing (-49,000), Construction (-35,000), Other Service activities (-27,000), Information and Communication (-5,000), and Professional Scientific and Technical activities (-5,000).

Among the provinces/HUCs in Central Visayas, Mandaue City posted the highest employment rate at 97.2 percent in 2025, while Lapu Lapu City had the lowest employment rate of 94.7 percent.

Three provinces/ HUCs posted employment rates higher than the regional average of 96.2 percent in 2025, namely: Bohol with 96.4 percent, Cebu (excluding HUCs) with 96.4 percent, and Mandaue City with 97.2 percent. **(By RICO MIRASOLOSMENA)**

Review on Electricity bill charges urged by CERA

The Cebu Electricity Rights Advocates (CERA) has urged Congress on Sunday for a critical review on the components of the electricity bills as several charges continue to burden consumers.

CERA Convenor Nathaniel Chua told DAILY TRIBUNE that reviewing the different charges and taxes imposed on electricity bills is a bid to help lower the cost of electricity not only in Cebu but the whole country.

The Philippines remains among the highest power rates in Southeast Asia.

"We understand that these charges exist because of existing policies and laws such as the Electric Power Industry Reform Act (EPIRA). However, it begs the question whether these charges are still relevant and why consumers continue to shoulder them," Chua said.

He cited consumers' continues to raise concerns over charges such as universal charges, the lifeline subsidy, senior citizens subsidy, the Feed-in Tariff Allowance (FIT-All), Green Energy Auction Allowance (GEA-All), and the Value Added Tax (VAT).

He further clarified that the generation, transmission, and distribution charges are understandable, considering that these correspond to the actual services directly used by consumers.

"The problem with our current billing system is that these layered charges make electricity bills complex and burdensome. Consumers are not paying only electricity. They are also paying for government programs, subsidies, and inefficiencies within the system. We believe these should not be entirely passed on to consumers and that government must find other ways to fund them," Chua stressed.

Highlighted is the impact of the 12% VAT on electricity bills.

"It is unfair for consumers who are struggling with shoestring budgets. VAT is imposed on several components of the electricity bill, including charges related to system loss," he added. "This means consumers are effectively being taxed on electricity that was lost during delivery and never actually used by households."

"Consumers are often unaware of how these

charges are applied. The unbundled electricity bill may appear transparent, but to ordinary consumers -whose primary concern is simply how much they have to pay -- these layers of charges remain difficult to fully understand," he insisted.

"It is imperative that these charges be reviewed. Removing or reducing VAT on electricity alone would already help ease the burden on consumers. It is unfair for consumers to the taxes on charges that do not directly correspond to the electricity they actually use," Chua said.

"Why are consumers being forced to pay for the debts of the National Power Corporation? Why are consumers being made to shoulder electricity lost through system loss? Why are consumers being required to fund government programs through their electricity bills?", Chua asked.

CERA urged lawmakers to act swiftly as the cost of living continues to rise.

"However, consumers continue to suffer from high electricity rates, poor power services, and inadequate power infrastructure. So where is the benefit of the costs consumers continue to shoulder?" Chua reiterated.

SULONG CLARK AT ILOILO: DIGITALISASYON AT LIGTAS NA KALAKALAN

Tutok Aduana

by Sensei Ryu

Muling pinatunayan ng Kawanihan ng Adwana (BOC), sa pakikipagtulungan sa Kagawaran ng Pananalapi (DOF), ang kahandaan nitong isulong ang luntiang transisyon at matatag na ekonomiya sa rehiyon. Ito ay matapos makibahagi ang kawanihan sa ginanap na ASEAN-EU Sustainability Summit noong Mayo 7, na dinaluhan ng mahigit 200 lider mula sa iba't ibang bansa.

Sa naturang talakayan, ibinahagi ni Deputy Commissioner Agaton O. Uvero ng Assessment and Operations Coordinating Group ang sensitibong balanse sa mandato ng BOC: ang pagpapabilis ng lehitimong negosyo habang hinihigpitan ang seguridad sa mga border laban sa smuggling, kasama ang mahigit 40 ahensya ng pamahalaan.

"Kailangan mong parusahan ang ilegal na kalakalan at gawin itong mas magastos para sa mga sangkot dito, habang kasabay nito ay binibigyan ng pabuya ang lehitimong kalakalan," ani Uvero.

Bilang patunay sa direksyong ito, ibinida ni Uvero ang paglawak ng Super Green Lane Program kung saan nasa 300 pinagkakatiwalaang kumpanya na ang nakikinabang sa mabilis at paperless na mga transaksyon. Target din ng BOC na ganap nang i-modernisa ang kanilang Electronic-to-Mobile (E2M) system sa susunod na taon upang tuluyang mabawasan ang bukrasya at red tape.

Ang agresibong modernisasyong ito ay ipinatutupad sa ilalim ng pamumuno ni Customs Commissioner Ariel F. Nepomuceno. Layon ng kanyang mga reporma na bawasan ang human intervention at lumikha ng isang sistemang nakabatay sa teknolohiya at integridad—na linyado sa atas ni Pangulong Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. na i-digitalisa ang mga serbisyo ng gobyerno.

Naging bahagi rin ng delegasyon ng BOC sa summit sina Atty. Rod Pino, Cebu District Collector Alexandra Lumontad, Mactan Collector Gerardo Campo, COO III Andrea Lim, at Dr. Jess Llorando upang ipakita ang nagkakaisang puwersa ng kawanihan para sa isang

modernong adwana.

GLOBAL HUB AT PATULOY NA PAG-SULONG: ANG DOBLENG TAGUMPAY NG CLARK!

Papunta na nga ba ang Pilipinas sa pagiging nangungunang logistics hub sa buong Asya? Kung ang mga huling kaganapan sa Pampangang pagbabasehan, ang sagot ay isang malaking "oo."

Isang dambuhalang hakbang patungo sa mas matatag na ekonomiya ang opisyal na pagpapalawak ng FedEx Clark Gateway facility. Ayon kay Masamichi Ujiie (President ng FedEx North at South Pacific), ang proyektong ito ay patunay ng kanilang tiwala sa bansa upang mas mapabilis ang koneksyon ng mga lokal na negosyo sa pandaigdigang merkado sa pamamagitan ng mas makabagong 78,000-square-meter facility.

Sinuportahan ang makasaysayang groundbreaking ceremony ng mga lider ng pamahalaan tulad nina Finance Secretary Frederick Go at DTI Secretary Cristina Roque, na kapwa nagdiin sa halaga ng imprastruktura sa kalakalan. Naroon din ang mga haligi ng Clark na sina Joshua Bingcang (President at CEO ng BCDA), Noel F. Manankil (President at CEO ng LIPAD), at Agnes Devanadera (President at CEO ng CDC). Ang makabagong pasilidad na ito na itatayo ng Robinsons Land Corporation sa pamumuno ni President at CEO Mybelle V. Aragon-GoBio ay nakatakdang simulan sa ikalawang quarter ng 2026 at magiging eco-friendly at solar-ready.

Ngunit hindi lang ang hinaharap ang maningning sa Clark, dahil maging ang kasalukuyan ay hitik na sa tagumpay. Kamakailan lang ay nagpakitang-giting din ang Bureau of Customs (BOC) – Port of Clark matapos nitong lampasan ang kanilang revenue collection target para sa Abril 2026.

Nakakolekta ang port ng kabuuang Php 480.145 milyon laban sa target na Php 429.628 milyon—isang malaking surplus na Php 50.517 milyon o 11.76% na mas mataas sa inaasahan.

Ayon kay District Collector Jairus S. Reyes, na nakiisa rin sa pagtitipon ng FedEx kasama si Assistant Commissioner Atty. Vincent Philip C. Maronilla, ang tagumpay na ito ay bunga ng dedikasyon ng mga tauhan ng port at ng maayos na pagsunod ng mga stakeholders sa mga regulasyon ng aduana.

Sa ilalim ng direktiba ni Customs Commissioner Ariel F. Nepomuceno (na tinukoy rin sa ulat bilang Ariel C. Nepomuceno) na palakasin ang koleksyon habang pinapadali ang ease of doing business, ang mga pondong ito ay direktang sumusuporta sa pambansang adyenda ni

Pangulong Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. para sa mga programang pang-imprastruktura, edukasyon, at kalusugan.

Kapag ang pribadong sektor, ang mga ahensya ng Clark, at ang Bureau of Customs ay nagkaisa sa iisang direksyon, hindi malayong maging sentro talaga ng pandaigdigang kalakalan ang Pilipinas. Ang Clark ngayon ang buhay na patunay na kapag maayos ang pasilidad at tapat ang koleksyon, ang buong bansa ang sumusulong.

TAGUMPAY SA KOLEKSYON AT HIGIT NA PROTEKSYON: KUDOS BOC-ILOILO!

Magkasunod na tagumpay ang ibinida ng Bureau of Customs (BOC) – Port of Iloilo nitong nagdaang linggo, na nagpapatunay na hindi lang sila epektibo sa pangongolekta ng buwis, kundi matalim din ang ngipin laban sa mga iligalista sa Western Visayas.

Noong Mayo 14, 2026, pormal na nakiisa ang BOC-Iloilo sa reorganisasyon ng Anti-Smuggling Task Force sa Camp Delgado, Iloilo City. Ang pulong, na pinangunahan ng Department of Justice (DOJ) – Office of the Regional Prosecutor, Region VI, ay dinaluhan ni Atty. Lorenzo L. Dela Cerna (Chief ng Law Division at Deputy Collector for Administration) bilang kinatawan ni District Collector Noli P. Santua, Jr.

Sentro ng usapan ang paghihigpit ng mga border control measures at checkpoints. Isang malinaw na babala ito sa mga ismagler: sa pagkakaisa ng BOC at mga law enforcement agencies, pinalilit na ang mundo ng mga lumalabag sa batas sa rehiyon.

Ngunit hindi lang sa paggiba sa smuggling magaling ang Port of Iloilo. Sa mismong araw ding iyon, idinaos ang isang gabi ng parangal para sa kanilang pambihirang collection performance nitong Abril 2026, kung saan muling nahigitan ng port ang kanilang target na kita.

Pinangunahan ni District Collector Santua ang pag-abot ng Certificates of Recognition sa mga kawani ng Collection District VI, kabilang ang Sub-Port ng Pulupandan at Kalibo International Airport, pati na rin sa mga Contract of Service (COS) employees na naging katuwang sa tagumpay na ito.

Sa gabay ni Customs Commissioner Ariel F. Nepomuceno at pamumuno ni District Collector Santua, pinatunayan ng BOC-Iloilo na ang modernisasyon, integridad, at pagkakaisa ay mabisang pormula. Kapag tapat ang koleksyon at mahigpit ang proteksyon sa borders, ang buong rehiyon at ang ekonomiya ng bansa ang tunay na nananal.

SSS commits to faster, streamlined services as ARTA marks 8th year

QUEZON CITY, 22 May 2026 – The Social Security System (SSS) reaffirmed its commitment to faster and more responsive public service as it joins the Anti-Red Tape Authority (ARTA) in celebrating its 8th anniversary on Friday, May 22.

SSS President and Chief Executive Officer Robert Joseph M. de Claro said the agency continues to strengthen frontline services, simplify processes, and modernize systems to better respond to member concerns, in line with the shared goal of improving government service delivery for Filipinos.

"As one of the country's largest public service institutions, SSS recognizes that every transaction affects the daily lives of our members. We continue to improve our systems, processes, and frontline services because faster and more responsive government service is not only an operational goal, but a public responsibility," de Claro said.

"The agency's strong financial performance in 2025 has strengthened its capacity to expand member assistance programs and accelerate reforms aimed at improving service delivery," de Claro added.

In 2025, SSS posted a net income of P142.97 Billion while its Reserve Fund surpassed the P1 Trillion mark for the first time in the institution's history, a major milestone that further strengthens the long-term stability of the pension fund for current and future members.

"Our strong financial position allows us to invest directly in better services, new technologies, infrastructure upgrades, and programs that will improve the experience of our members," de Claro said.

He also highlighted the agency's expanded relief programs designed to help Filipino workers and families cope with the continuing impact of the national energy emergency.

As part of these efforts, de Claro said SSS is also preparing to roll out an Energy Sustainability Loan Program in September.

The program allows qualified SSS members with a Mandatory Provident Fund account to avail themselves of financing to install residential solar panel systems, payable for up to seven years. The Mandatory Provident Fund Program is a compulsory retirement savings scheme that automatically enrolls SSS members who are contributing to the regular SSS program with a Monthly Salary Credit (MSC) above ₱20,000.

SSS aims to support at least 100,000 homes by 2028 through the program, which seeks to help families manage rising electricity costs while promoting long-term energy sustainability.

According to de Claro, the initiative reflects the evolving role of SSS in responding not only to traditional social security concerns, but also to emerging

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economic pressures affecting Filipino households.

"As ARTA continues to push for reforms in government service delivery, SSS remains committed to developing programs that are more responsive, practical, and relevant to the everyday realities of the Filipino people," de Claro said.

FREE PUBLIC WIFI, PARA SA MAS KONEKTADONG KOMUNIDAD



Sa pangunguna ni Cong. Roy M. Loyola, katuwang ang Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) sa pamumuno ni Secretary Henry R. Aguda, matagumpay na isinagawa ang Ceremonial Launch and Turnover of the Free Public Internet Access Program Sites at Grant of SPARK Training Voucher sa Carmona Community Center (C3), Lungsod ng Carmona, Cavite.

Taos-pusong pasasalamat ang ipinaabot ni Cong. Roy sa DICT sa patuloy nitong suporta upang mapalawak ang access sa libreng internet connectivity sa mga pampublikong paaralan, barangay halls, at iba pang pampublikong lugar sa Carmona, Silang, at GMA, Cavite.

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PBBM Opens CALAX Subsection 3, Boosts South Luzon Connectivity



President Ferdinand Marcos Jr. led the opening of the 7.88-km Cavite-Laguna Expressway (CALAX) Subsection 3, extending the expressway from Silang (Aguinaldo) to Governor's Drive Interchange in General Trias, Cavite. The new segment is expected to further ease congestion and cut travel time between Biñan, Laguna, and Gen. Trias, Cavite, to just 26 minutes from one (1) hour, further strengthening South Luzon's transport network.

Designed to accommodate additional 6,000 motorists daily, Subsection 3 provides a faster alternative route for commuters and businesses by bypassing heavily congested local roads in Cavite's growing industrial and residential corridors.

With this milestone, the operational length of CALAX now spans 26 kilometers from the Mamplasan Entry in Biñan, Laguna.

The entire 44.6-kilometer CALAX project, will eventually link the Manila-Cavite Expressway (CAVITEX) in Kawit to the South Luzon Expressway (SLEX) in Mamplasan. The network features eight strategic

interchanges: Laguna Technopark, Laguna Boulevard, Santa Rosa-Tagaytay, Silang East, Silang (Aguinaldo), Governor's Drive, Open Canal, and Kawit.

Once fully integrated with CAVITEX, the combined network is projected to serve up to 95,000 vehicles per day, acting as a regional backbone for trade and mobility.

CALAX Subsection 3 (Governor's Drive Interchange to Aguinaldo Interchange stretch) will be free for all classes for one month. Motorists will only pay the existing toll fees for CALAX Subsections 4 to 8 (Mamplasan in Biñan, Laguna to Silang (Aguinaldo) in Cavite. Any updates will be announced by the Toll Regulatory Board (TRB) in coordination with CALAX management.

CALAX is an MPCALA Holdings Inc. project with the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) as project grantor. MPCALA Holdings Inc., the developer and operator of CALAX, is a subsidiary of the Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC), the toll road arm of the Metro Pacific Investments Corporation (MPIC).

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BOC COM NEPOMUCENO PINAPURIHAN MGA DAUNGAN NG BOC SA PAGLAMPAS SA REVENUE COLL. TARGET MULA ENERO HANGGANG ABRIL 2026



Mga katoto sadyang kakaiba ang nasaksihan ng mga kawani ng Bureau of Customs (BOC) sa kanilang Customs Commissioner katotong Ariel Nepomuceno gawa ng mga ipinamalas na malasakit, didikasyon, at disiplina na alalaumbagay taglay ang dakilang layuning maitaas ang antas ng kagawaran upang maipahayag sa buong bansa ang kahusayang nito na kayang tularan ang mga kaganapang naipapamalas ng Customs sa ibat-ibang bansa kung saan sa pamamagitan ng kooperasyon sa mga karatig bansa tulad ng ASEAN COUNTRIES ay malaking tulong particular na sa paghadlang ng mga pumapasok na kontrabando sa hanganan ng ating bansa.

Gayon din pagdating sa revenue collection, simula ng maitalagang Customs Commissioner si katotong Ariel Nepomucensen ay patuloy na namamayagpag sa pagtaas ng koleksyon ang bawat Dungan sa bansang Pinas. Kung kayat abot ang papuri ni katotong Komisyoner Nepomuceno sa ilang distrito ng koleksyon sa paglampas sa kanilang mga target ng kita mula Enero hanggang Abril 2026, na sumasalamin sa patuloy na pangako ng Kawanihan sa paglikha ng kita, pagpapadali ng kalakalan, at kahusayan sa operasyon alinsunod sa direktiba ni katotong Pangulong Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. na palakasin ang koleksyon ng kita ng gobyerno at suportahan ang adyenda ng paglago at pag-unlad ng ekonomiya ng bansa. Kabilang sa mga daungan na lumampas sa kanilang pinagsama-samang mga target ng kita para sa panahon ng Enero hanggang Abril 2026 ay ang Manila International Container Port (MICP) (P78.994 bilyon); Ninoy Aquino International Airport (NAIA) (P16.292 bilyon); Daungan ng Batangas (P79.615 bilyon); Daungan ng Legaspi (P1.232 bilyon); Daungan ng Iloilo (P1.447 bilyon); Port of Cebu (P16.473 bilyon); Port of Tacloban (P1.766 bilyon); Port of Surigao (P335 milyon); Port ng Cagayan de Oro (P15.750 bilyon); Port of Davao (P17.730); Port of Subic (P19.683); Port of Clark (P1.822); at Port of Aparri (P592 milyon).

Gayundin mga katoto, para sa Abril 2026 lamang, ang BOC-MICP (P20.859 bilyon); BOC-NAIA (P4.399 bilyon); Mga daungan ng San Fernando (P607 milyon); Batangas (P20.480 bilyon); Iloilo (P381 milyon); Surigao (P93 milyon); Cagayan de Oro (P5.056 bilyon); Davao (P5.034 bilyon); Ang Subic (P5.925 bilyon); Clark (P480 milyon); at Aparri (P161 milyon) ay lumampas din sa kani-kanilang mga target na kita, na lalong nag-ambag sa malakas na pangkalahatang pagganap ng koleksyon ng Kawanihan para sa taon.

Binigyang-diin ni katotong Komisyoner Nepomuceno na ang mga nagawa ng mga daungan ay hindi lamang sumasalamin sa malakas na pagganap ng koleksyon mga katoto kundi pati na rin sa disiplina, pagtutulungan, at dedikasyon ng mga kalalakhian at

kababaihan ng Kawanihan sa pagtupad ng kanilang mandato na maglingkod sa sambayanang Pilipino.

"Ang mga nagawa natin ngayon ay bunga ng pagsusumikap, disiplina, at mga sakripisyo ng ating mga kalalakhian at kababaihan sa lahat ng 17 daungan sa buong bansa. Ipinapaabot ko ang aking taos-pusong pasasalamat sa bawat tauhan ng customs na patuloy na naglilingkod nang may integridad at dedikasyon sa kabila ng mga hamon ng trabaho," sabi ni Komisyoner Nepomuceno.

"Sa mga daungan na lumampas sa kanilang mga target, binabati ko kayo sa inyong natatanging pagganap. Ang inyong mga tagumpay ay nagbibigay-inspirasyon sa buong Kawanihan upang mas magsumikap at mas mahusay na gumanap. Higit sa lahat, pinasasalamatan ko ang lahat ng ating mga distrito ng koleksyon—hindi lamang ang mga lumampas sa kanilang mga layunin—para sa kanilang kolektibong kontribusyon sa pagtulong sa Kawanihan na makamit ang pangkalahatang layunin nito sa kita. Mahalaga ang bawat pagsisikap, at ang bawat daungan ay may mahalagang papel sa pagbuo ng bansa," dagdag niya.

Hinikayat din ni katotong Komisyoner Nepomuceno ang lahat ng distrito ng koleksyon na panatilihin ang momentum at patuloy na palakasin ang kahusayan sa koleksyon, legal na pagpapadali sa kalakalan, at mga reporma sa institusyon sa ilalim ng adyenda ng Integridad, Pananagutan, at Modernisasyon (IAM) ng Kawanihan. Binigyang-diin niya na sa pamamagitan ng adyenda ng IAM, nilalayan ng Kawanihan na higit pang mapahusay ang transparency, mapabuti ang paghahatid ng serbisyo publiko, gawing moderno ang mga proseso ng customs, at itaguyod ang pananagutan sa lahat ng daungan bilang suporta sa adyenda ng ekonomiya ng gobyerno at pangako sa de-kalidad na serbisyo publiko.

GREETING: Special greetings and sincere gratitude to the President and CEO, Mr. Joseph "buddy" Madrigal and Chairman, Mr. Jefferson Cheng and also thanks to Special Assistant to the Chairman, Ms. Shirley Re niedo for your continued support kindness, thank you very much! God bless u more!!!

Hi katotong DR. SIEGFRED "YEYE" L MANAOIS, isang taong tunay na may malasakit at sadyang ipinamalas ang sakripisyo bilang lingkod bayan, kung saan sadyang kapuripuri ang ipanamalas na sakripisyo sa pagpanik ng pagtaas ng koleksyon simula ng maitalaga ito sa bodega ng PAIRCARGO sa Bureau of Customs(BOC) sa Ninoy Aquino International Airport, ang walang kupas na hinahangaan ng lahat sa taglay nitong kabaitan at pakikisama, walang mataas at mababa, lahat ay pantay-pantay ang kanyang pagtingin na alalaumbagay taglay ang dakilang hangaring maitaas ang koleksyon ng Kagawaran. Kung kayat 'sang damukal ang mga nakamit na parangal partikular sa ibat-ibang bansa tulad ng U.S. Embassy, Russian Embassy, China, at iba pa, ganyan katindi mga katoto ang tinutukoy kong tao si katotong DR. SIEGFRED "YEYE" MANAOIS SPL DEPUTY COLLECTOR PAIRCARGO ASSESSMENT COMPOSITE DIVISION BOC NAIA, kung saan nagtatrabaho ng 24/7 umulan at bumagyo, gabi na kung umuwi sa pagalalang makatulong sa mga taong nais makapaglabas ng kargamento upang mkadagdag sa pagtaas ng revenue collection. Mabuhay ka katotong DR. YEYE!!! GOD bless u more katoto!!!!



Hi to MANILA HEALTH DEPARTMENT Head & concurrent OMMC Hospital Director DRA. GRACE PADILLA! God bless you more katoto!!! Hi to MHD Dr. Creselda Coroza- Head District 1 Officer, Manila, God bless u more katoto!!! Hi to GABMC Hospital Director Dra. Janneth Tan, Hospital Administrator Mr. Migs, Chief Budget Officer Mr. Adrian and Chief MedTech Ms. Alma of Gat. Andres Bonifacio Medical Center (GABMC)! God bless u more mga katoto!!! Hi to Philippine Orthopedic Center, Hospital Director(POC) Dr. Brix Puhalte Jr. na nagmana sa ama nitong si Dr. Puhalte Sr. na nagiwang ng isang di matatwarang alaala sa POC at byuting secretary nito Ms. Jing Adriano!!! God bless you more mga katoto!!! Hi to POC OPD Dr. Baron, Dr. Robin Medalle at Dra. Gina Espinosa! Hi to POC XRAY RECORDS Head Gina Geronimo, Marivel, Ronnie, & Marvin God bless you more mga katoto!

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Usaping DABAKARDS lalo na sa mga kalapit na tanggapan sa paligid ng Intramuros!! Mga Katoto, kung nais niyong masarap na Lutong Pinoy na tsibug. Mag- aliw at mag relax habang nakikinig ng live acoustic at folk songs mag tungo sa I-TOP VIEW CAFÉ & RESTAURANT 4th floor, Roof Deck Intramall Bldg. 706 Escuela st. Intamuros , Manila. Lets eat , enjoy, and relax.



Sa panahon ng makabagong teknolohiya, hindi na tayo napag-iwanan ng ibang bansa. Subalit habang umuunlad ito, dapat tayong maging responsable sa paggamit nito—sa tamang panahon, tamang lugar, at para sa ikabubuti ng lahat.

Dahil sa social media, lumalaganap ang mga malalawang palabas na madaling mapapanood ng mga kabataan, bagaman hindi pa ito angkop sa kanila. Kailangan nila ng gabay ng mga magulang o nakatatanda upang hindi maagang masira ang kanilang kaisipan at kalusugang pangkaisipan.

Ang pag-aakalang karaniwan lamang ang ganitong mga bagay ay nagdudulot ng maagang pagbubuntis, mga magulang na hindi handa, sirang

Prevalent Sexual Content on the Internet

pamilya, at mga batang napabayaang. Nagkakaroon din ng marahas na pag-uugali at mga kaso ng karahasan dahil sa ginagaya nila ang nakikita. Ito ay mga salik na nakasasama sa ating ekonomiya.

Kung magiging maingat at responsable tayo, matutulungan nating mapigilan ito. Salain at limitahan ang mga pwedeng puntahan nilang mga pahina, at protektahan ang kaisipan ng ating kabataan. Gabayan at bantayan natin sila. Lagyan ng kodigo ang mga nilalamang hindi angkop, at mas mainam na ikonekta ang mga gamit sa malaking tabing upang madaling masubaybayan ang kanilang pinapanood.

Tsk! Tsk! Tsk! Padalang mensahe ni Mel ng Cavite. Salamat po.

Urged to cooperate with authorities

The recent shooting incident at the Philippine Senate during the service of a warrant related to Senator Ronald "Bato" dela Rosa has caused widespread public concern. A space dedicated to lawmaking and public service should remain free from conflict; clarity must guide the path forward.

The National Bureau of Investigation has denied presence during the incident. This claim requires verification through independent investigation, witness accounts, and security records. This review must examine the roles of all involved, from the Senate Sergeant at Arms, who is responsible for security within legislative grounds, to the law enforcement leaders tasked with following proper protocols.

The Senate is primarily a legislative body created to enact laws addressing crime, poverty, and injustice, rather than to harbor individuals avoiding legal processes. As leaders who shape policies for peace and order, senators should serve as examples for the public. Allowing actions that contradict established laws erodes public trust; if leaders fail to uphold the rules they create, citizens lose faith in institutions.

Tsk! Tsk! Tsk! Senator dela Rosa is urged to cooperate with authorities to ensure due process. Democratic institutions serve the public best when those within them act with integrity. Clear answers, impartial investigations, and a commitment to the rule of law are essential to maintaining the trust of the Filipino people.

Mekeni Showcases Export-Quality Filipino Products at IFEX Philippines 2026

PASAY CITY, Philippines — Mekeni Food Corporation is reinforcing its position as a globally competitive Filipino food brand as it joins the prestigious IFEX



Philippines 2026, happening from May 21 to 23, 2026 at the World Trade Center Metro Manila.

Recognized as the country's premier global food trade show, IFEX Philippines gathers international buyers, importers, distributors, and food industry stakeholders to discover authentic and innovative Filipino food products for



the global market.

At the exhibition, Mekeni is showcasing its wide range of export-quality products, underscoring the company's growing international presence and commitment to world-class food manufacturing standards. Today, Mekeni products are available in more than 20 countries across Asia, the Middle East, North America, Europe, and Oceania.

"Our participation in IFEX Philippines 2026 reflects Mekeni's continuing commitment to bring Filipino excellence to the global stage," said Pruds Garcia, President of Mekeni Food Corporation. "What started as a small homegrown enterprise in Pampanga has now grown into a brand trusted by Filipino families and international consumers alike. Through innovation, quality, and authenticity, we aim to further strengthen the presence of Filipino food products in the international market."

Mekeni's participation also highlights the company's adherence to globally recognized food safety and quality standards, enabling the brand to compete in highly demanding export markets.

According to Marilou Uy, Assistant Vice President for HR and Exports, IFEX Philippines serves as a valuable platform for expanding partnerships and promoting Philippine-made products worldwide.

"IFEX Philippines provides an important

opportunity for Mekeni to connect with global buyers and showcase the quality and competitiveness of Filipino food products," Uy said. "As consumer demand for trusted and high-quality food brands continues to grow internationally, Mekeni remains committed to continuous improvement, export excellence, and proudly carrying the Filipino brand across borders."

As one of the leading food manufacturers in the Philippines, Mekeni continues to champion local heritage and innovation through products that resonate with both Filipino communities abroad and international consumers seeking premium Asian food products.

IFEX Philippines 2026 runs daily from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM at the World Trade Center Metro Manila in Pasay City.



PHILHEALTH'S EXPANDED BENEFITS DELIVER REAL IMPACT AS PRIVATE HOSPITALS STEP UP FOR FILIPINO PATIENTS



PASIG CITY — PhilHealth's expanded benefit packages are now delivering tangible results for millions of Filipinos, significantly reducing out-of-pocket health expenses while inspiring stronger participation from the private healthcare sector. Over the past two weeks, President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. and PhilHealth President and CEO Dr. Edwin M. Mercado personally witnessed how these reforms are transforming healthcare access in two leading private hospitals.

On May 1, President Marcos and Dr. Mercado visited St. Elizabeth Hospital, Inc., where PhilHealth members were actively benefiting from the agency's expanded healthcare packages, including YAKAP primary care consultations, cancer treatment services, and life-sustaining dialysis care. The visit showcased how PhilHealth's strengthened benefits are helping patients access essential treatment earlier while shielding families

from the financial burden of illness.

Last May 11, the President visited The Medical City in Ortigas, where he inspected the newly opened Alfredo R.A. Bengzon Patient Access Ward, a 51-bed facility designed to provide world-class healthcare services to PhilHealth members with little to no out-of-pocket expenses.

The facility, which includes nine mother-and-baby-friendly rooms, stands as a powerful example of what can be achieved when private hospitals fully embrace their partnership with PhilHealth in advancing accessible, high-quality healthcare. Patients and their families shared firsthand how expanded PhilHealth coverage protected them from catastrophic medical expenses and allowed them to focus on recovery instead of financial hardship.

"The question is not capability, but will—the will to look at every PhilHealth member and say, 'You belong here,

too.'" said Dr. Mercado. "Decades from now, no one will ask how many private suites a hospital had. They will ask how many lives were saved and changed."

Building on these successes, PhilHealth is calling nationwide to join this shared mission of making quality healthcare truly accessible to every Filipino. The agency remains ready to support healthcare facilities seeking accreditation across its growing range of benefit packages—including primary care, outpatient emergency services, inpatient care, maternity services, dialysis, cancer care, and treatment of catastrophic illnesses under the ZBenefits Program.

Healthcare institutions interested in partnering with PhilHealth may visit PhilHealth Official Website or coordinate with the nearest PhilHealth Local Health Insurance Office.

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SECURITY BANK CORPORATION,
 Mortgagee,

-versus- EXTRA-JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE OF
 REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE UNDER
 ACT 3135 AS AMENDED BY ACT 4118

**RALPH JARED LAO TAN AND ANN
 MARJENETH CATARONG VALLEGA,**
 Mortgagors.

FC Case No. 19773-26

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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118 filed by **SECURITY BANK CORPORATION**, mortgagee, with office address at Security Bank Centre, 6776 Ayala Avenue, Makati City, against **RALPH JARED LAO TAN and ANN MARJENETH CATARONG VALLEGA**, mortgagors, with residence and postal address at 77 Warsaw Street, BF International Village, Las Piñas City, Metro Manila and/or Amaia Series Vermosa, Block 6 Lot 24 Phase 1, Brgy. Buhay na Tubig, Imus, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of April 1, 2026 amounts to **THREE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY SIX THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY EIGHT PESOS AND 68/100 (P3,456,978.68)**, Philippine Currency, including interest, penalties, and other agreed charges but excluding attorney's fees, sheriff's fees and all other charges incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned will sell at public auction on **June 9, 2026 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning** or soon thereafter at the main entrance of the Office of the Clerk of Court, RTC-Imus Hall of Justice, Aguinaldo Highway, Imus City, Cavite, to the highest bidder, for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following property with all improvements therein, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2023049491

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that certain land situated in BARANGAY OF ANABU & TANZANG LUMA, MUNICIPALITY OF IMUS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows:

LOT NO: 24, BLOCK NO: 6, PLAN NO: PCS-04-031690
PORTION OF: LOT 3 PCS-04-026562, LOT 523-B-2-B PSD-04-197902, LOT 3509-D PSD-04-184008, LOT 521 IMUS ESTATE & RS-04-002275 (continued on next page)

is registered in accordance with the provision of the Property Registration Decree in the name of:

Owner: RALPH JARED LAO TAN, OF LEGAL AGE, FILIPINO, SINGLE

Address: 77 WARSAW STREET BF INTERNATIONAL, LAS PIÑAS CITY, 1745

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION (Continued from page 1)

LOCATION: BARANGAY OF ANABU & TANZANG LUMA, MUNICIPALITY OF IMUS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON

BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	NW	LOT 23, BLOCK 6, PCS-04-031690
2-3	NE	ROAD LOT 6, PCS-04-031690
3-4	SE	LOT 25, BLOCK 6, PCS-04-031690
4-1	SW	LOT 15, BLOCK 6, PCS-04-031690

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LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	N. 05 ° 31' E	653.47 M.
1-2	N. 82 ° 54' E	11.00 M.
2-3	S. 07 ° 06' E	4.60 M.
3-4	S. 82 ° 54' W	11.00 M.
4-1	N. 07 ° 06' W	4.60 M.

AREA: FIFTY (50.60) SQUARE METERS AND SIXTY SQUARE DECIMETERS, MORE OR LESS

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

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on **June 16, 2026** at 10:00 o'clock in the morning without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the titles to the said property and encumbrance therein if any there be.

City of Imus, Cavite, May 4, 2026.

Fully Connected CAVITEX C5 Link Enhances Logistics Efficiency and Reliability



The logistics sector is recognizing operational predictability and asset efficiency as key benefits following the opening of the CAVITEX C5 Link Segment 3B.

Segment 3B is the final segment that completes the alignment of the 7.7-kilometer CAVITEX C5 Link, establishing a direct connection between the Manila-Cavite Expressway (CAVITEX) and C5 Road in the City of Taguig. While the industry continues to operate under challenging economic conditions, leaders note that the ability to bypass traditional urban bottlenecks provides a critical edge in maintaining supply chain reliability.

"The opening of the CAVITEX C5 Link Segment 3B eases up our daily transport movements, helping us keep up our delivery timelines and optimize our resources," said Doris Torres, Executive Director of the Philippine

Multimodal Transport and Logistics Association, Inc. (PMTLAI). "We welcome infrastructure that eventually reduces the total cost of logistics in the country."

At the operational level, the expressway significantly improves turnaround time. A route that previously took up to 1.5 hours can now be completed in as little as 15 minutes, enabling more consistent and predictable scheduling.

Arlyn Abello, Account Manager at Premier Global Logistics Corp., shared that improved traffic flow has enhanced fleet performance. "It has helped enhance the efficiency of our deliveries, allowing us to better meet our schedules and improve overall service reliability," Abello said.

Llalaksmi Freight Services Inc. also emphasized that the expressway enables them to avoid heavily



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congested inner roads, saving on operational costs and prioritizing driver welfare. "It helps reduce delays, fuel consumption, and overall stress for our drivers, which is a big factor in keeping operations smooth. Because of this, we're able to serve our clients more efficiently, particularly for time-sensitive shipments," the company stated.

While the alignment is now fully connected, a portion of Segment 3B is currently operating under a modified scheme, with two lanes in each direction, as the remaining Right-of-Way (ROW) concerns are being addressed to achieve its full six-lane capacity with a 2x2 service road.

Even in its current state, the project significantly enhances network connectivity, enabling logistics companies to better manage fleet utilization and ensure that time on the road is spent moving goods rather than idling in traffic.

The CAVITEX C5 Link expressway is a joint venture between Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation's (MPTC) subsidiary, the Cavite Infrastructure Corporation (CIC), and the Philippine Reclamation Authority (PRA), and operated by the PEA Tollway Corporation (PEATC).

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Selfie kasama ang mga susunod na kampeon sa Palarong Pambansa 2026! Good luck, Atletang Imuseño! Good luck, Imus Arsenal! #PalarongPambansa2026 #LungsodNgImus



Navarro-Alapan Bridge Inspection: Kasama ang ating Engineering Team, binisita at sinuri po natin ang tulay na magkokonekta sa Brgy. Navarro, General Trias City at Brgy. Alapan II-B, Imus City sa bisperas ng inagurasyon nito. Sa sandaling mabuksan ang nasabing tulay, inaasahan pong mas magiging mabilis, maayos, at maginhawa ang biyahe ng mga motoristang dadaan sa bahaging ito ng Cavite. #LetsJoinForces for better connectivity in General Trias! #InfrastructureDevelopment #RoadConnectivity #SDG9IndustryInnovationAndInfrastructure #AlagangGenTri

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PORT OF SUBIC WELCOMES NEW CHIEF: Outgoing Port of Subic District Collector Director Arnaldo M. Saulong and incoming District Collector Atty. Geniefelle P. Lagmay lead the formal leadership transition during a turnover ceremony at the Bureau of Customs (BOC) – Port of Subic. Assuming his new role, Atty. Lagmay expressed his gratitude to Customs Commissioner Ariel F. Nepomuceno for his trust and confidence, pledging a zero-tolerance policy against corruption alongside a deep commitment to transparency, accountability, and discipline. Under the new leadership, the Port of Subic aims to balance strict border protection and anti-smuggling efforts with the seamless facilitation of legitimate commerce and investments within the Subic Bay Freeport Zone, aligning operations with Commissioner Nepomuceno's Five-Point Priority Program and the national drive for public service excellence.

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