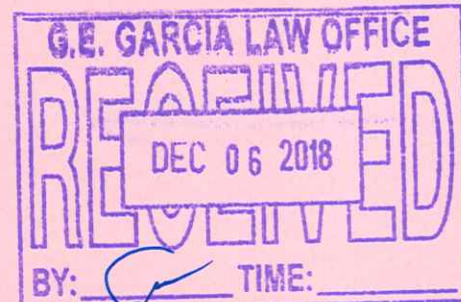




Republic of the Philippines
Presidential Electoral Tribunal
Manila



NOTICE

Sirs/Mesdames:

*Please take notice that the Tribunal issued a Resolution dated **OCTOBER 9, 2018**, which reads as follows:*

“P.E.T. Case No. 005 (Ferdinand ‘Bongbong’ R. Marcos, Jr. vs. Maria Leonor ‘Leni Daang Matuwid’ G. Robredo).- The Tribunal Resolved to

(a) **NOTE** the Explanation dated July 23, 2018 filed by Ma. Teresa H. Betito, ICO-Municipal Treasurer, LGU Tinambac, Camarines Sur, in compliance with the resolution dated June 5, 2018 relative to the Incident Reports, all dated June 5, 2018, re the following:

(i) Clustered Precinct [CP] No. 8 (Precincts 0007A, 0008B, 0088A and 0088B), Brgy. Sta. Cruz, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(ii) CP No. 17 (Precincts 14A, 14B and 14C), Brgy. Bagacay, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(iii) CP No. 9 (Precincts 8C, 8D, 8E and 8F), Brgy. Sta. Cruz, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(iv) CP No. 15 (Precincts 12D, 12E and 12F), Brgy. Antipolo, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(v) CP No. 7 (Precincts 0006B, 0006C and 0006D), Brgy. San Pascual, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(vi) CP No. 3 (Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C and 3D), Brgy. Salvacion Poblacion, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(vii) CP No. 6 (Precincts 0005A, 0005B and 0005C), Brgy. San Pascual, Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(viii) CP No. 18 (Precincts 14D, 14E, 14F and 14G), Brgy. Bagacay, Tinambac, Camarines Sur; and

(ix) CP No. 40 (Precincts 33A, 33B and 33C), Brgy. Manana(o), Tinambac, Camarines Sur;

(b) **NOTE** the Memorandum dated July 16, 2018 filed by Runstedt Arcosa, Municipal Treasurer, Ajuy, Iloilo, in compliance with the resolution dated June 26, 2018 relative to the following Incident Reports:

(i) Incident Report dated June 8, 2018 re: CP No. 39 (Precincts 0096A, 0097A and 0097B), Brgy. Progreso Municipality of Ajuy, Iloilo;

(ii) Incident Report dated June 8, 2018 re: CP No. 13 (Precincts 30A, 31A, and 32A), Brgy. Central, Municipality of Ajuy, Iloilo;

(iii) Incident Report dated June 11, 2018 re: CP No. 43 (Precincts 106A and 106B), Brgy. Rojas, Municipality of Ajuy, Iloilo; and

(iv) Incident Report dated June 11, 2018 re: CP No. 51 (Precincts 125A, 125B, 126A and 126B), Brgy. Adcadarao, Municipality of Ajuy, Iloilo;

(c) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 4, 2018 of Atty. Jose M. Tolentino, Jr., Executive Director, Commission on Elections (COMELEC), and **GRANT** his request for permission to pull out one (1) unit SD card duplicator stored at the Memory Configuration Room of the COMELEC Warehouse at Sta. Rosa City, Laguna, anent the on-going laboratory testing activities for the EMS, CCS and VCM/OMR in preparation for the 2019 National and Local Elections;

(d) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 5, 2018 filed by Atty. Crisanta V. Valera, Acting Secretary of the Tribunal, Senate Electoral Tribunal (SET), in compliance with the resolution dated August 14, 2018, stating that the SET has in its custody fifty-three (53) ballot boxes, specifically, twenty-two (22) ballot boxes from the Municipality of Dumangas, fifteen (15) from the Municipality of Oton, and sixteen (16) from the Municipality of Santa Barbara, and fifty-four (54) ballot boxes from Iloilo City; **CONFIRM** that the ballots from Iloilo City are not included in the precincts for the pilot provinces; and **DIRECT** the PET *Ad Hoc* Committee to **COORDINATE** with the SET for the retrieval of the 53 ballots boxes from Dumangas, Oton, and Santa Barbara;

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(e) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 11, 2018 filed by Antonio C. Marquillero, OIC-Municipal Treasurer, Concepcion, Iloilo, relative to the Incident Report dated July 11, 2018 re: Clustered Precinct No. 4 (Precincts 0011A, 0012A and 0013A), Brgy. Poblacion, Concepcion, Iloilo, in compliance with the resolution dated August 14, 2018;

(f) **NOTE** the Manifestation on the Scheduled Retrieval of Ballot Boxes in Negros Oriental dated September 14, 2018 filed by counsel for protestee Maria Leonor G. Robredo;

(g) **NOTE** the Manifestation dated September 17, 2018 filed by counsel for protestee Robredo, informing the Court of her observations during the first day of retrieval of the ballot boxes in the Province of Negros Oriental; stating that during the loading of the ballot boxes from Guihulngan City, representatives of both parties expressed their apprehension on the manner by which the ballot boxes were being arranged in the containers which might lead to damage in the ballot boxes; that in Guihulngan City, one (1) damaged ballot box was turned over to the Tribunal; that, in the Municipality of Bindoy, only one (1) damaged ballot box was accounted for during the inventory prior to transport to the staging area/warehouse; however, during the inventory, two (2) more ballot boxes have been arranged in a similar manner which risked damage to the ballot boxes and the red plastic seals; and **REQUIRE** the PET Retrieval Team to **EXPLAIN** the foregoing within ten (10) days from notice hereof;

(h) **NOTE** the Manifestation dated September 21, 2018 filed by counsel for the COMELEC, informing the Tribunal that the COMELEC will start the backing-up and/or cloning of the data of the Election Management System (EMS) Server on September 28, 2018 at 10:00 'clock a.m., COMELEC Warehouse, Sta. Rosa City, Laguna; and **GRANT** its prayers that this Manifestation be (1) duly noted; (2) deemed as satisfactory compliance with the resolution dated July 24, 2018; and (3) considered as a formal notice to the Tribunal and the concerned parties upon proper service;

(i) **NOTE** the Letter dated July 20, 2018 of Myrna C. Pacamarra, Municipal Treasurer, San Jose, Camarines Sur, informing the Tribunal that when they delivered the ballot boxes at the Provincial Capitol Complex, specifically at the Sangguniang Panlalawigan Building, no ballot box was wet upon their delivery and that all ballot boxes from their Municipality were dry and in good condition; and **REQUIRE** the Members of the Board of Election Inspectors (BEI) to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, the observations on the conditions of the ballots;

(j) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 13, 2018 filed by Vincent P. Baboza, Acting Municipal Treasurer, Carles, Iloilo, relative to the Incident Report dated July 10, 2018 re: Clustered Precinct No. 48 (Precincts 0099B, 0100A and 0100B), Brgy. Lantangan, Carles, Iloilo, in compliance with the resolution dated August 14, 2018;

(k) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 21, 2018 of Grace A. Jomillo, Acting Municipal Treasurer, submitting her verified explanation in compliance with the resolution dated August 14, 2018 relative to

(i) Brgy. Paloc Bigque – Clustered Precinct No. 50 (Precincts 0132A, 0133A and 0134A);

(ii) Brgy. Nanding Lopez – Clustered Precinct No. 46 (Precincts 0123A and 0124A); and

(iii) Brgy. Cali – Clustered Precinct No. 25 (Precincts 0066A, 0067A and 0067B);

and stating that with respect to Brgys. Nanding Lopez and Cali, the respective Annexes were likewise submitted to Atty. Linuel G. Alindogan, Head PET Retrieval Team Leader;

(l) **NOTE** the Verified Explanation dated September 22, 2018 filed by Ma. Lourdes C. Sarmiento, BEI, in compliance with the resolution dated July 31, 2018 relative to Clustered Precinct No. 41, Brgy. Oroc-Osoc, Caramoan, Camarines Sur;

(m) **NOTE** the Verified Explanation dated September 22, 2018 filed by Jubilee R. Collantes, BEI of Clustered Precinct No. 41, Brgy. Oroc-Osoc, Caramoan, Camarines Sur, in compliance with the resolution dated July 31, 2018;

(n) **NOTE** the Verified Explanation dated September 22, 2018 filed by Sonia F. Basiño, BEI of Clustered Precinct No. 41, Brgy. Oroc-Osoc, Caramoan, Camarines Sur, in compliance with the resolution dated July 31, 2018;

(o) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 12, 2018 of Maria Victoria B. Riva, Municipal Treasurer, Garchitorena, Camarines Sur, relative to the resolution dated July 24, 2018, submitting her Letter of Indorsement dated September 4, 2018 to Perfecto V. Llanza, Election Officer, and Louie B. Tuscano, former ICO, Municipal Treasurer's Office; and attaching the explanation of Former ICO-Municipal Treasurer Louie B. Tuscano and the BEIs of Precinct Nos. 24, 0044A and 0044B, Brgy. Salvacion, Municipality of Garchitorena;

(p) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 6, 2018 of Louie B. Tuscano, Former Municipal Treasurer, Garchitorena, Camarines Sur, relative to Clustered Precinct No. 24 (Precincts Nos. 0044A and 0044B), Brgy. Salvacion, Garchitorena, Camarines Sur, in compliance with the resolution dated July 24, 2018;


(q) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 10, 2018 filed by Rocky I. Mayores, BEI Chairperson, Herbert Victor N. Ramos, BEI Poll Clerk, and Nilva C. Malineza, BEI Third Member, relative to Clustered Precinct No. 24 (Precincts Nos. 0044A and 0044B), Brgy. Salvacion, Garchitorena, Camarines Sur, in compliance with the resolution dated July 24, 2018;

(r) **NOTE** the Letter dated September 24, 2018 filed by Jo J. Peñaflor, Chairperson, BEI assigned to Clustered Precinct No. 14, Brgy. Central, Ajuy, Iloilo, in compliance with the resolution dated August 14, 2018, attaching the Consolidated Affidavit of Explanation dated September 24, 2018 executed by her, Norlyn C. Arenal and Jun Victor Bactan, members of the BEI assigned to CP No. 14, Brgy. Central, Ajuy, Iloilo; and

(s) **NOTE** the Letter dated October 1, 2018 filed by Ester L. Villaflor-Roxas, Director IV, Election Records and Statistics Department, COMELEC, in compliance with the resolution dated September 11, 2018, submitting the Memorandum dated September 21, 2018 of Commissioner Luie Tito F. Guia, Commissioner-in-Charge, Random Manual Audit (RMA) Committee, to COMELEC Executive Director Tolentino, Jr., informing the Commission of the circumstances relative to the ten (10) ballot boxes of Negros Oriental which were subjected to RMA.

Acting on the following Incident Reports relative to the on-going revision of ballots, the Tribunal Resolved to

(i) **NOTE** the Incident Report dated August 30, 2018 re: Incident in Revision Committee No. 36, which reads 'At Around 2:40 p.m., the Head Revisor called our attention. It appears that the party revisor for the protestee is questioning the procedure implemented by the Head Revisor, wherein she allows the protestant's party revisor to object to the ballots even after tabulation has been conducted. At this point, the Party Supervisor for both parties approached explaining their respective positions' and **REQUIRE** the party revisors and party supervisors concerned to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, why their accreditation shall not be cancelled;



(ii) **NOTE** the Incident Report dated September 17, 2018 re: Clustered Precinct No. 33 (Precincts 83A, 83B, 84A, 84B and 88A), Brgy. Cabugao Norte, Municipality of Santa Barbara, Iloilo, at Table No. 12, which reads ‘The ballot box from Brgy. Cabugao Norte, Municipality of Santa Barbara, Iloilo (CP#33 0083A, 0083B, 0084A, 0084B and 0088A) contains 244 whole ballots and 231 half torn ballots bearing voters’ votes. The total based on the SOB of protestee was 475. There was no ER or MOV found inside the ballot box’; **DIRECT** the Revision Committee to **REVISE** the decrypted ballot images; and **DIRECT** the Board of Elections Inspectors to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, the above condition of the ballots; and

(iii) **NOTE** the Incident Report dated September 25, 2018 re: Clustered Precinct No. 13 (Precinct 0020A), Brgy. Bantayanan, Municipality of Tubungan, Iloilo, at Table No. 26, which reads ‘Damaged, ballots eaten by insects/rat, previously wet; physical revision no longer possible; MOV also damaged, ERs are missing’; **DIRECT** the Revision Committee to **REVISE** the decrypted ballot images; and **REQUIRE** the Municipal Treasurer of Tubungan, Iloilo, to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, the foregoing condition of the ballot box.

The Court further Resolved, upon the recommendation of Atty. Ma. Carina M. Cunanan, Acting Chief Administrative Officer, Presidential Electoral Tribunal, to **APPROVE** the renewal of the employment and contracts of services of the following contractual personnel of the PET, without prejudice to further renewal, if necessary:


Name	Position	Monthly Salary	Renewal Period
1. John Harlie P. Diaz	Assistant Tabulator	₱16,621.00	October 02, 2018 to December 31, 2018 or until the termination of the revision proceedings, whichever comes first
2. Miko Angelo L. Erme	Assistant Tabulator	₱16,621.00	
3. Mhelodee Beb B. Murillo	Assistant Tabulator	₱16,621.00	
4. Oliver Mari S. Santos	Assistant Tabulator	₱16,621.00	
5. Elaine A. Francisco	Revision Appraiser	₱24,224.00	
6. Kydee S. Fua	Revision Appraiser	₱24,224.00	October 10, 2018 to December 31, 2018 or until the termination of the revision proceedings, whichever comes first
7. Roanne Joy G. G. Garcia	Revision Appraiser	₱ 24,224.00	October 11, 2018 to December 31, 2018 or

			until the termination of the revision proceedings, whichever comes first
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The Court likewise Resolved, upon the recommendation of Atty. Linuel G. Alindogan, PET Retrieval Team Leader, to

- (a) **DIRECT** the Municipal Treasurer of Siaton, Negros Oriental, to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, why six (6) ballot boxes were already wrecked/damaged when they were delivered to the Retrieval Team;
- (b) **DIRECT** the City Treasurer of Guihulngan City to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, why the ballot box of Clustered Precinct No. 13 was wrecked/damaged;
- (c) **DIRECT** the Municipal Treasurer of Manjuyod, Negros Oriental, to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, why the ballot box of Clustered Precinct Nos. 1 and 8 were wrecked/damaged; and
- (d) **DIRECT** the City Treasurer of Bayawan City to **EXPLAIN**, within ten (10) days from notice hereof, why the ballot box of Clustered Precinct No. 104 was damaged.” Bersamin and Gesmundo, JJ., on official business. Reyes, J., Jr., J., on official leave. (1)

Very truly yours,


EDGAR O. ARICHETA
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**Board of Election Inspectors (of
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Brgy. Salvacion, Garchitorena) (reg)**
c/o The Municipal Election Officer
Office of the Municipal Election Officer
Garchitorena, Camarines Sur

Rocky I. Mayores (reg)
BEI Chairperson
Herbert Victor N. Ramos (reg)
BEI Poll Clerk
Nilva C. Malineza (reg)
BEI Third Member
c/o The Municipal Election Officer
Office of the Municipal Election Officer
Garchitorena, Camarines Sur

Jo J. Peñaflor (reg)
Chairperson, BEI assigned to
Clustered Precinct No. 14
Norlyn C. Arenal (reg)
Jun Victor Bactan (reg)
Members of the BEI assigned to CP No. 14
Brgy. Central, Ajuy, Iloilo
c/o The Municipal Election Officer
Office of the Municipal Election Officer
Ajuy, Iloilo

**Party Revisors and Party Supervisors in
Revision Committee No. 36 (x)**
c/o PET Office
SC-CA Compound
Supreme Court, Manila
(with copy of Incident Report [IR] dated
August 30, 2018 re: Incident in Revision
Committee No. 36)

**The Revision Committee for (CP) No. 33
(Precincts 83A, 83B, 84A, 84B and 88A), Brgy.
Cabugao Norte, Municipality of Santa Barbara,
Iloilo, at Table No. 12 (x)**
c/o PET Office
SC-CA Compound
Supreme Court, Manila
(with copy of IR dated September 17, 2018
re: CP No. 33 [Precincts 83A, 83B, 84A,
84B and 88A], Brgy. Cabugao Norte
Santa Barbara, Iloilo

Board of Elections Inspectors (reg)
c/o The Municipal Election Officer
Office of the Municipal Election Officer
Santa Barbara, Iloilo

**The Revision Committee for CP No. 13
(Precinct 0020A), Brgy. Bantayanan,
Municipality of Tubungan
Iloilo, at Table No. 26 (x)**
c/o PET Office
SC-CA Compound
Supreme Court, Manila
(with copy of IR dated September 25, 2018
re: CP No. 13 [Precinct 0020A]
Brgy. Bantayanan,
Tubungan, Iloilo)

The Municipal Treasurer (reg)
The Office of the Municipal Treasurer
Tubungan,, Iloilo
(with copy of IR dated September 25, 2018
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Brgy. Bantayanan, Tubungan, Iloilo)

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