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AFPPS Conducts Internal Quality Audit

In accordance with its ISO 9001:2008 Certification, the AFP Procurement Service (AFPPS) conducted its Internal Quality Audit (IQA) for the first cycle of 2016 which yielding promising results.

Brig. Gen. Alvin Francis A. Javier AFP, Commander of AFPPS, created an audit team composed of trained AFPPS personnel –both military and civilians, to spearhead the process.

“So far, I received promising results –proper adjustments have been made and are continuing in accordance with our ISO certification,” says Brig. Gen. Javier.

“But, there is no room for complacency. We have to sustain the momentum to further improve the Service,” he adds.

The scope of the audit was Management Processes, Core Processes which involves Receipt and Evaluation of UPR, Proponent Evaluation Proceedings, Contract Administration and Contract

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AFPPS records P326 million residuals for 1st five months CY2016

The AFP Procurement Service (AFPPS), along with other procuring units of the AFP, has recorded more than P326 million residuals in favor of the government during the first five months of Calendar Year 2016.

The amount is equivalent to 7.81 percent of the total Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of various projects undertaken from January to May this year.

The said amount is derived from 15,609 purchase orders, work orders, job orders, disbursement vouchers and contracts processed by various AFP Procurement Service (AFPPS) units along with the GHQ and Major Service Bids and Awards Committees (BACs), Procurement Service Department of Budget and Management (PSDBM) and Philippine International Trading Corporation (PITC).

Registering the highest residuals for Public Bidding is the Philippine Army Procurement Center (PAPC), under Col. Joel I Enrile (GSC) PA, with a total residual of Php 106,848,370.18

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26 newly-hired civilian employees undertake orientation, training



(left picture) Ms Divine O Moraga, Chief Civ Pers Mgmt Div, OTAG spoke about Work Values and RA 6713 (Code of Conduct & Ethical Standards for Public Officials & Employee), while Ms Merlin T Mondero, Chief, Civ Pers Affairs Div, OJI (right picture) gives a brief history about Gender & Development (GAD).

Twenty-five (25) newly-hired civilian personnel of the AFP Procurement Service went through an orientation and training to familiarize them with their duties and responsibilities.

The orientation/training was held last June 3, 2016 at the AFPPS Multi-Purpose Hall with Ms Maritess N Daet, Chief, CAB, AFPPS as the Training Director, together with the help and support of the GHQ Mobile Training Team headed by Ms. Divine O Moraga, Chief, CPMD, OTAG.

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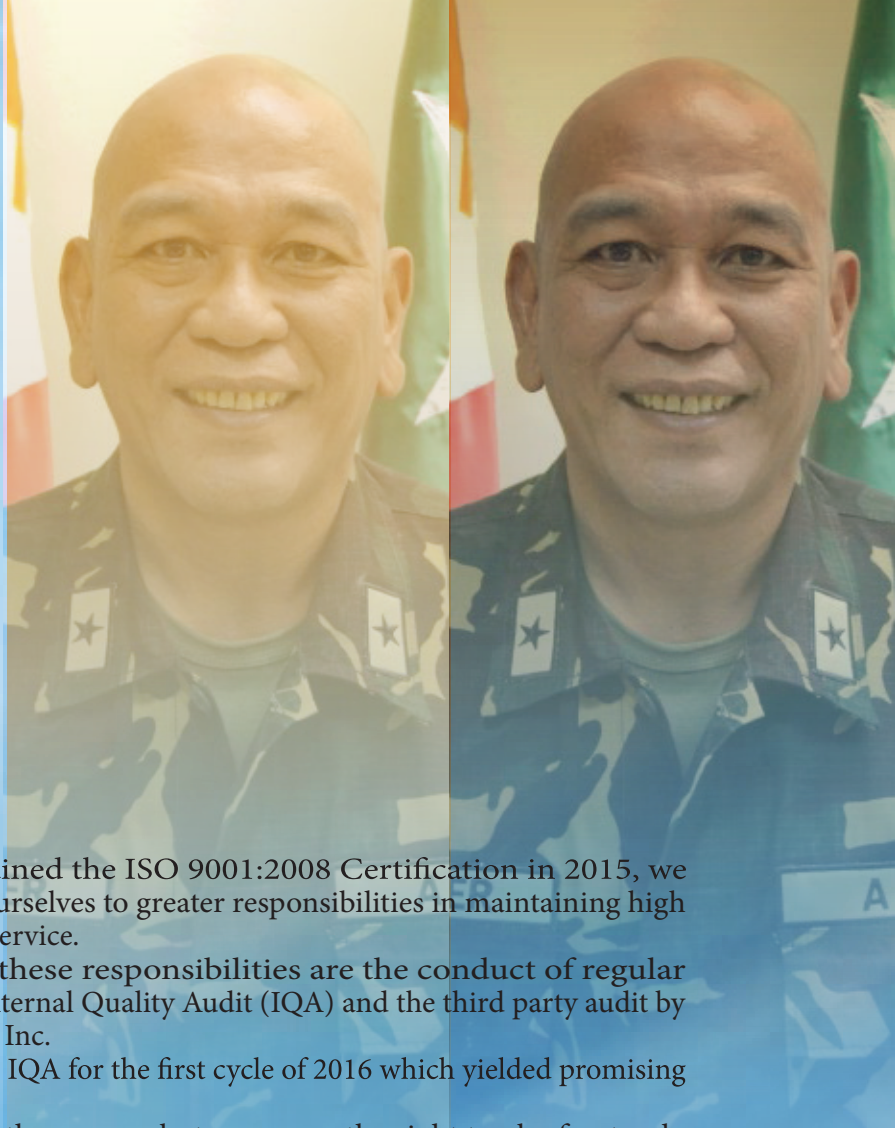
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BGEN ALVIN FRANCIS A JAVIER AFP

We have not perfected the process but we are on the right track of not only maintaining our ISO Certification but also further improving what we have achieved. As I have been saying 'there is no room for complacency at AFPPS.'



When we obtained the ISO 9001:2008 Certification in 2015, we committed ourselves to greater responsibilities in maintaining high standards of service.

Among these responsibilities are the conduct of regular Management Review, the Internal Quality Audit (IQA) and the third party audit by TUV Rheinland Philippines Inc.

Just recently, we had the IQA for the first cycle of 2016 which yielded promising results.

We have not perfected the process but we are on the right track of not only maintaining our ISO Certification but also further improving what we have achieved. As I have been saying 'there is no room for complacency at AFPPS.'

To all –we need to work harder as “one team, one family” to sustain the positive momentum.

The scope of the audit was Management Processes, Core Processes which involves Receipt and Evaluation of UPR, Proponent Evaluation Proceedings, Contract Administration and Contract Implementation and Support Processes.

Through these evaluation and assessment, we can identify our weaknesses – or the areas where we need to improve further, and our strengths –which we can maximize to better serve our catered units.

And by knowing our weaknesses and strengths, we will surely achieve what we are aiming for –that is an AFPPS in step with the AFP Transformation Roadmap aimed at having a world-class armed forces that is a source of national pride by 2028.

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Various COs join 'Brigada Eskwela 2016'

Members of the 101st Contracting Office lead the repainting of classrooms at the Tabak Elementary School last June 3 as part of "Brigada Eskwela 2016."



Elements of the 301st CO join the "Brigada Eskwela 2016" at various schools in La Union and Ilocos provinces.



In Cavite, members of the 302nd CO helped clean up David P. Jimenez Elementary School as part of the annual "Brigada Eskwela."



Members of the PAPC, along with teachers of Signal Village Elementary School, pose after participating in the "Brigada Eskwela."



101st CO, PAPC hold dialogue with catered units

New 101st Contracting Office (CO) chief Lt. Col. Raymelh A. Mondejar (QMS) PA conducted a dialogue with end users at the Philippine Army's 1st Infantry Division last March 30, 2016.

Talking to procurement non-commissioned officers of catered units, Lt. Col. Mondejar reminded them that 101st CO is always open to serve them and assist them with their logistical requirements.

The 101st CO chief also stressed that he is willing to personally address issues and concerns of catered units regarding procurement transactions.

At the same time, the 101st CO called on all procurement NCOs to submit their respective UPRs, complete with necessary requirements, to avoid delay in the transactions.



At the PAPC, a dialogue with catered units was also held to iron out issues and concerns of the end-users. The center stressed

the importance of complete supporting documents in the smooth flow of procurement.

102nd CO chief lectures on procurement process

Cpt. Efren A. Bangayan (QMS) PA, Acting Chief of 102nd CO, discusses the procurement process to procurement non-commissioned officers and NCO liaisons of catered units.



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104th CO troops join "Operation Baklas"

Personnel of the 104th Contracting Office (CO) joined various government and non-government organizations during "Operation Baklas" aimed at cleaning up poll materials used during the May national elections in Cagayan de Oro City.



The 104th CO actively assisted the local government of Cagayan de Oro City, Eagles Club, the National Bureau of Investigation, the Philippine National

Police (PNP) and other 4th ID members in the clean up drive last May 21.

"Operation Baklas" covered several barangays of the city from Patag going to Carmen.

105th CO leads seminar on APP for CY 2017

The 105th Contracting Office (CO), led by Maj. Judy C. Pascua (QMS) PA, conducted seminars and workshops to facilitate the early approval of the Annual Procurement Plan CY 2017 of the Philippine Army's 5th Infantry Division (5ID) with the end in view of a prompt supply and delivery of the logistical requirements of the end-users.



Maj. Pascua served as one of the panelist in the presentation of output at APP Seminar Workshop of the Command.

The Chief of the 105th CO has been acting as panelist of APP Seminar Workshop for three consecutive years. This is to ensure that correct mode of procurement is planned by end-users in order to have a smooth implementation of APP following year.

106th CO holds coordinating conference on procurement

Lt. Col. Patricio P. Alejaga (CE) PA, 106th Contracting Office (CO) Chief, presided over the first "Procurement Coordinating Conference" with Special Disbursing Officers (SDOs) and Procurement NCOs of all catered units under the 6th Infantry (Kampilan) Division, Philippine Army on April 5 at 106th CO



Conference Room, Camp Siongco, Awang, Datu Odin Sinsuat, Maguindanao.

Lt. Col. Alejaga said that the conference is part of the efforts to enhance the social skills of the concerned SDOs and NCOs and increase the unit's stakeholder engagement activities.

106th , 202nd , 302nd , 303rd , 403rd COs conduct "Sa Bahay Mo I-Canvas Ko"

The 106th Contracting Office, AFPPS conducted the "Sa Bahay Mo, I-Canvass Ko" activity during the opening of sealed canvass for the supply and delivery of welfare goods expenses for 38th



Infantry (We Clear) Battalion, 6th Infantry (Kampilan) Division, Philippine Army on 220920H April 2016 at Camp Siongco, Awang, Datu Odin Sinsuat, Maguindanao.

At the 202nd CO, Cpt. Ruby D. Villapando PAF, Acting Chief

of 202nd CO, presided over "Sa Bahay Mo, I-Canvass Ko"

activities at the unit's various catered units.



During the activities, project proponents

like Aerotech Supplies Philippines Inc. and Aeromaxis Maintenance Product Inc., DELAC Enterprise, among other, were allowed to drop their respective sealed bids.

Among the end-users were the Basic Military Training School, the 440th Air Maintenance Group, and the Fernando Air Base Hospital.

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Meanwhile, the 302nd CO also held actual canvassing at various catered units. Lt. Jeroen G. Resus PN presided over the holding of “Sa Bahay Mo, I-Canvass Ko” with 12 projects last June 10, 2016.

Lt. Col. Romulo R.



Satparam (OS) PA, Acting Chief of 303rd CO, presided over the conduct of “Sa Bahay Mo, I-Canvass Ko” at various catered units under the Naval Forces Southern Luzon.

At the 403rd CO, LCdr. Giovanni C. Cando PN led the conduct of “Sa Bahay Mo, I-Canvass Ko” for the 130th Dental Dispensary, Central Command, Cebu City.



107th , 201st , 304th , 401st COs welcome AFPPS Commander



Brig. Gen. Alvin Francis A Javier, AFPPS Commander, on May 27, 2016 visited the 107th Contracting Office (CO) at Fort Magsaysay in Nueva Ecija.

Accompanied by Cdr. Franklin B. Rotoni PN, Assistant Chief of Staff for Operations (PS3), Brig. Gen. Javier was accorded with arrival honors led by Col. Alfredo V. Rosario INF (GSC) PA, Chief of Staff, 7th Infantry Division (7ID).

The AFPPS Commander also received warm welcome from Brig. Gen. Ramon C. Yogyog, Deputy Commander of the Special Operations Command (SOCOM).

After the ceremonies, Brig. Gen. Javier immediately talked with the personnel of the 107th CO, urging them to sustain the good performance and ensure that the logistical

requirements of their catered units are delivered.

At the 201st CO at Clark Air Base in Pampanga, Brig. Gen. Javier was welcomed by Col. Ferdinand M Cartujano PAF (GSC), Deputy Commander of 600th Air Base Wing.



The AFPPS Commander also paid courtesy call to Maj. Gen. Arnold A. Mancita AFP, Commander of Air Logistics Command.



Brig. Gen. Javier had his name in the General's Tree Farm after the traditional tree-planting activity.

The Commander also took time to talk

with 201st CO personnel, led by Maj. Glenn J. Ventura PAF, and urged them to build deeper relationships with the stakeholders. He emphasized the advantages of the use of the Electronic Procurement Monitoring Information System and the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS).



Brig. Gen. Javier expressed his gratitude to RAdm Jose Renan C. Suarez AFP, Commander of the Naval Education Training Command (NETC), for his warm welcome during the AFPPS Commander's visit to Zambales.

During his visit, the AFPPS Commander prodded the 304th CO, led by Lt. Col. Michael P Duquez (OS) PN, which caters units under NETC, to continue working



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hard for the timely delivery of the logistical requirements of the command.

Brig. Gen. Javier was also warmly received at the Northern Luzon Command (NOLCOM) and Mechanized Infantry Division (MID) at Camp



General Antonio Luna in Capas, Tarlac during his visit.

No less than NOLCOM Commander Lt. Gen. Romeo T. Tanalgo AFP received Brig. Gen. Javier.



During his stop at the 401st CO, the AFPPS Commander was briefed on the procurement updates of the unit.

108th, 306th COs visit, dialogue with catered units



Cdr. Marlon B. Varona PN, 108th Contracting Office (CO) chief, initiated and conducted consultations and visitations to all their catered field units under 8th Infantry (Stormtroopers) Divisions, Philippine Army in Region 8 from May 16 to 24, 2016.



The consultations were aimed at engaging catered units representatives on the issues and concerns regarding the procurement processes and in line with the Republic Act (RA) 9184.

Cdr. Varona also relayed the AFPPS leadership's guidance

regarding the use of Electronics Procurement Monitoring Information System (EPMIS) in order to streamline the number of days on the processing of procurement transactions.

During the visitation/consultations and information drive, Col. Mario G. Lacurom INF (GSC) PA, Commander of 803Bde, expressed appreciation for the worthwhile consultations initiated by 108th CO.

Meanwhile, the 306th CO, headed by Lt. Col. Datuluna D. Dilangalen Jr. (FS) PA, led a stakeholders' dialogue and coordinating conference to all catered units under the Naval Forces Eastern Mindanao (NFEM) Conference Room on April 14, 2016.



The activity was attended by Logistic Officers, Procurement NCOs, MFOs, SAOs and FSUs of different line units and so with Accountant, COA and some suppliers.

Tackled during the activity were the procurement process and timeline on the introduction of EPMIS New Version and other issues and concerns that would benefit and promote good working relationship among all stakeholders.

109th CO chief lectures on RA9184

Lt. Col. Romulo R. Satparam (OS) PA, Chief 109CO, discussed the key features of RA9184, the alternative methods of procurement, the flow of procurement and APB/APP preparation to Funds Accountable Officers during a seminar and workshop.

Satparam held a lecture with 119 students of Basic Soldiery Refresher Training (BSRT) as audience on February 8, 2016.



He discussed the overview and key features of Republic Act (RA) 9184 or the Government Procurement Reform Act.

The lecture was part of the regular activity to all enlisted personnel who are undergoing the refresher course to keep them updated to the procurement processes.

110th CO holds procurement workshop

LCdr. Giovanni C. Cando PN, Acting Chief 110th Contracting Office (CO), led a lecture on the AFP Procurement System/ Procurement Planning to all Special Disbursing Officers (SDOs), Disbursing Officers (DOs), Finance NCOs and Procurement NCOs of catered units on 08 June 8, 2016 at the H7FSFO, FCPA, Camp Lapulapu, Lahug, Cebu City.

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AFPPS Team Building



By: Josef David Vega

AFPPS conducted a Team Building Activity at Calubcub Bay Resort and Recreation, San Juan, Batangas on May 20, 2016 with Brig. Gen. Alvin Francis A. Javier AFP and his lady in attendance.

Other Officers, Enlisted Personnel and Civilian Employees also brought along their dependents.

Activities were conducted to encourage the personnel and employees to pool their talents

through videoke challenge and fun games to boost team effort and strengthen camaraderie among the personnel.

In his message, Brig. Gen. Javier conveyed to the group the objective of this activity "This is to have fun, enjoy the amenities resort and to ease the stress from tons of work and compliances from the office," says Brig. Gen. Javier.

He also commended all the personnel and employees for the support and effort for the accomplishment achieved by the Service.



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(or 10.30% of the ABC) facilitated and implemented with the PA BAC, headed by Brig. Gen. Rodel Mauro R. Alarcon AFP.

Coming in at second is the General Headquarters Procurement Center (GHQPC), under Cdr. Rommel John I. Mendoza PN, with a total residual of Php 90,371, 434.34 (or 14.25% of the ABC) facilitated and implemented with the GHQ BAC 1 headed by Brig. Gen. Arnold Rafael Y. Depakakibo AFP.

GHQPC also led other AFPPS units in generating residuals in favor of the government through the alternative methods of procurement with Php19, 576,727.08 or 4.07 % of the ABC. The said residual is generated through the increase of suppliers and the proper conduct of GHQPC Canvass/Contracting Committee.

On the other hand, the 302nd Contracting Office, led by LCdr. Micah Rey Bautista PN, placed second in generating residual through alternative methods of procurement with a total residual of Php3,726,567.58 or 2.46% of the ABC.

Brig. Gen. Alvin Francis A. Javier AFP, Commander AFPPS, commended all the units that registered residuals –big or small, in favor of the government.

“Maximizing government resources entrusted to us is our own way of giving back to the service. Continue with the good work and congratulations,” says Brig. Gen. Javier.

MODE OF PROCUREMENT	ABC	BID PRICE	PROCUREMENT RESIDUAL	PERCENTAGE OF RESIDUAL	NR OF POs
Public Bidding	₱2,740,684,582.05	₱2,428,624,074.78	₱312,060,507.27	11.39%	392
Shopping	285,264,427.87	282,981,895.98	2,282,531.89	0.80%	2,311
Negotiated	664,391,716.95	655,224,144.73	9,167,572.22	1.38%	6,063
Direct Contracting	328,428,961.71	327,540,969.93	887,991.79	0.27%	5,236
Procurement thru PSDBM	109,649,715.46	109,649,713.24	2.22	0.00%	1,594
Procurement thru PITC	55,504,026.29	52,952,042.87	2,551,983.42	4.60%	9
Procurement thru other Agencies	58,349.75	58,349.75	0.00	0.00%	4
TOTAL	₱4,183,981,780.09	₱3,857,031,191.28	₱326,950,588.81	7.81%	15,609

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The purpose of this activity is to educate end-users in the conduct of procurement and for them to have a sound and better APPs.

111st CO briefs 52nd Engineering Brigade on procurement updates

The 111st Contracting Office (CO), led by Lt. Col. Wendell Lee B. Quilaman PN (M), participated in a conference and workshop on June 11, 2016 presided over by Col. Arnold F. Fernandez CE (GSC) PA, Commander of the 52nd Engineering Brigade.

Other attendees were members of the Brigade Staff, Technical/Special Staff, SDO Line Units and Liaison NCOs at Sariwanok Multi-purpose Hall, Camp Col Oscar F Natividad, Manolo Fortich, Bukidnon.

Lt. Col. Quilaman led a briefing in connection with the 1st and 2nd Quarters for CY 2016 procurement updates on the MOOE, Special Releases and Project Funds of the brigade. The Chief 111th CO discussed the procurement timeline and flow.



TRADOC, 112nd CO elated over completion of projects

The Philippine Army's Training and Doctrines Command (TRADOC) and the 112nd Contracting Office (CO) have expressed elation over the completion of projects funded by the Bases Conversion and Development Authority (BCDA).

The projects, composed of roadnets, guard house, manholes and inlets and reinforced concrete box culverts, among others at the Camp General Antonio Luna in Capas, Tarlac, were declared completed last April 29 following actual inspection by TRADOC TIAC for Infrastructure Projects.

The 112nd CO served as the procuring unit for the projects, conceptualized by the 51st Engineering Brigade.

As end-user of the projects, TRADOC was elated --citing the projects will surely benefit not only its constituents but also those who are visiting the command.



202nd CO undertakes security survey, inspection

To ensure personnel security alertness, the 202nd Contracting Office (CO), led by Acting Chief Cpt. Ruby D. Villapando PAF, was subjected to security survey and inspection (SSI) by elements of the Intelligence Unit of the Air Education and Training Command (AETC).

Aside from assessing the 202nd CO's security preparedness, the SSI Team also inspected the unit's office and equipment -- from computer passwords to bulletin board and filing system.



302nd, 202nd, 401st, 407th COs, PNPC hold team-building activities



The conduct of team-building activities is part of the efforts of the AFPPS leadership to promote camaraderie and teamwork among its

personnel. Through such events, members of various units are able to build better relationships and boost their morale.



301st CO, PAFBAC Secretariat hold clean-up drive



Elements of the 301st Contracting Office (CO) participated in a clean-up drive in Barangay Pagudpud, San Fernando City, La Union last June 3, 2016.

Members of the PAFBAC Secretariat, led by Lt. Col. Ma. Cherry Pie M. Fernandez PAF, initiated a clean-up drive in the vicinity of Camp Jesus Villamor Air Base, last May 19, 2016.

302nd CO lectures on procurement system

LCdr. Micah Rey L. Bautista PN, Chief of 302nd Contracting Office (CO), conducted series of lectures on AFP Procurement System to the Command's Logistics Officers and concerned personnel last April 19 to 21, 2016 at the NSSC Multipurpose Hall and 302nd CO Conference Room.



The said activities were aimed to impart knowledge about the AFP Procurement System for better appreciation of the process.

A total of seventeen (17) Officers and twenty five (25) Enlisted Personnel and Civilian Employees attended the activity.

303rd CO personnel join Commander's Cup

Members of 303rd CO (right, in yellow) participated in the Commander's Cup Sportsfest which aimed to promote camaraderie among units under the Naval Forces Southern Luzon.



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305th , 407th CO members attend physical, document security seminar

Members of the 305th Contracting Office (CO), under LCdr. Henry C. Maglasin Jr. PN, attended a lecture on Physical and Document Security jibed with Security Survey and Inspection conducted by Naval Intelligence Security Group 7 last May 18, 2016. The objective of the activity was to determine the existing security measures with the end- view of enhancing security posture of the unit.



At the 407th CO, Maj. Joy M. Rivera (FS) PA, Chief of 407th CO, led six other personnel in participating in a personnel and physical document security seminar presided over by the Assistant Chief of Staff for

Intelligence, Lt. Col. Joseph Jeremias Cirilo C. Dator (MI) PA, at the PMA Multi-Purpose Hall last May 13, 2016.

The objective of said seminar is to educate the personnel of the Command and Tenant Units of the Philippine Military Academy, both the military and civilian employees on the provisions of security.

306th CO, PABAC Secretariat hold earthquake drill

Elements of the 306th CO participated in an earthquake drill at the grounds of Camp General Manuel T. Yan Sr., in Compostela Valley province.



At Fort Bonifacio, members of the PABAC Secretariat do the "duck, cover and hold" technique during an earthquake drill.

404th CO attends crafting of WESMINCOM APP for CY2017

To ensure the smooth and proper crafting of Western Mindanao Command's (WESMINCOM) Annual Procurement Plan (APP) for Calendar Year 2017, the 404th Contracting Office (CO), led by LCdr. Alexander J. Orio PN, attended the crafting of the APP/PPMP at the command's conference room last May 26, 2016.



PNBAC, PNBAC Secretariat office undergo facelift

The office of Philippine Navy Bids & Awards Committee (PNBAC) and PNBAC Secretariat has just undergone major repair and improvement on its office to further boost the working condition and habitability of its personnel.



The repair includes among others are the following; a) Improvement of the Conference Room; b) Improvement of Chairman's Office; c) Improvement of PNBAC Secretariat Office; d) Improvement of document/storage room; e)



Creation of visitors holding area; f) repainting of exterior walls and g) removal of deteriorated gutter. The repair was funded/supported by O/N4, PN.

A simple blessing of the newly renovated office of PNBAC was conducted last 07 June 2016 with the Chairman PNBAC, Commodore RENE V MEDINA AFP and PN TWG graced the occasion.

Tatay na Sundalo

(pagbibigay pugay para sa mga amang kawal ng bayan)

Kunwa'y walang pakialam sa saglit na pamamaalam,
Sa piling ng asawa't mga anak, panahon ay 'di manamnam,
Tungkulin sa bayan na dapat ay panagutan,
Ipaglalan kahit kamatayan ma'y kahahantungan.

Minsan ang teknolohiya ay nagpapadagdag kalungkutan,
Mensahe ni anak na "Itay, umuwi ka na." ay hindi mapagbibigyan,
Ang sagot sa mga tawag ni misis ay hindi nagagawa,
Sapagka't trabaho at trabaho lang ang dapat na inuuna

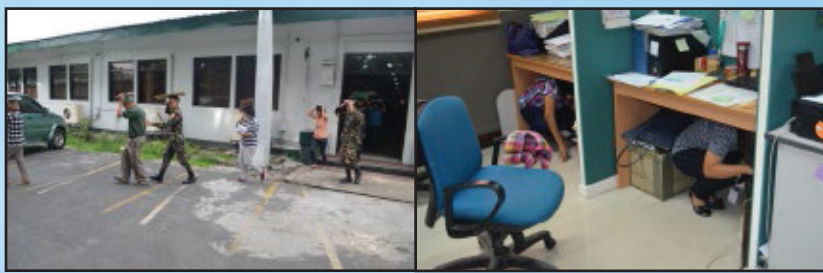
Ngayon ang dakilang araw ninyo,
Isang pagbibigay pugay sa lahat ng mga amang sundalo,
Saludo kami sa inyong kadakilaan at katapangan,
Na magsilbi sa bayan at pagiging isang amang masasandalan.

Kayo'y ehemplo ng mga kabataang nangangarap,
Nangangarap para sa sarili't bayan, pamilya at ekonomidad,
Sagisag ng katapangan at responsibilidad,
Ang inyong propesyon na tanging matatayang
lamang kayang humarap.

Orinal na isinulat ni:

Ms Ma. Theresa B Agonoy, CE
Contract Implementing CE
101st Contracting Office, AFPPS

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Earthquake Drill

Last June 2016, AFPPS participated in the national earthquake drill inside Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo Quezon City. All AFPPS personnel inside the buildings performed “duck, cover and hold” position to assimilate actual safety procedure during earthquake. then personnel vacated the buildings



and proceeded to the designated emergency evacuation area at Parking Bay (Basketball Court) with hard board over their heads. Personnel officer mustered all personnel at the site to determine if all personnel are accounted for.

Mutlah is the new AFPPS Chief of Staff

Lt. Col. Benjamin C. Mutlah (OS) PA was designated as new AFPPS Chief of Staff effective April 19, 2016. He replaced Cdr. Rommel John I. Mendoza PN, who was reassigned to the General Headquarters Procurement Center (GHQPC).

Prior to his assumption as AFPPS Chief of Staff, Lt. Col. Mutlah served as Assistant Chief of Staff for Operations (PS3) since April 1, 2012.

On the other hand, Cdr. Mendoza served as AFPPS Chief of Staff from June 1, 2015 to April 18, 2016.



Brig. Gen. Alvin Francis A Javier AFP, Commander AFPPS, hands over the office symbol to new AFPPS Chief of Staff Lt. Col. Benjamin C. Mutlah (OS) PA. Lt. Col. Mutlah replaced Cdr. Rommel John I. Mendoza PN, who was reassigned to the GHQ Procurement Center.



AFPPS personnel join fun run

The Command thru OSPS, AFP recently conducted the 2nd Quarter Fun Run activity for military and civilian personnel of GHQ and AFPWSSUs on 210500H June 2016 at the Camp Aguinaldo circuit.

The following are the categories for men and women: Category A (3km) 50 years old above; Category B (5km) 46 to 49 years old; Category C (km) 45 years old and below; Category D (10km) open.

Once again the AFPPS personnel proved that they can lead the way. Headed by the COL

AMOR T AGPALO PA (GSC), the Deputy Commander, AFPPS who was the 3rd placer and LTC JESSIE M TRINIDAD (OS) PA, the ACS for CEIS, PS6, was the 4th placer in (3km) “Officer Category” while MSg Jose Soniel F Ebol PA, the Unit Sergeant Major got the 1st Place in Category B (5km) and SSg Jerico B Perez PA, from OPS3 was the 4th Placer in Category C (7km).

The fun run result embodied the vision of BGEN ALVIN FRANCIS A JAVIER AFP, the Commander, AFPPS to ensure that every individual soldier under his command is physically fit for the rigors of military life.



AFPPS recommends 15 PA personnel for promotion

Higher rank connotes greater responsibilities and obligations. The AFPPS was allocated a quota of fifteen (15) PA personnel for promotion to the next higher grade.

The AFPPS Promotion Board composed of the Chief of Staff, Acting PS1/MFO, Acting PS2/Adjutant, PS3, PS4, PS6 and Sergeant Major convened on 09 June 2016 and deliberated / interviewed the recommended Enlisted Personnel who met the three (3) mandatory requirements for



promotion (Promex, Time-in-Grade and Career Course).

This Service will always take recognize the significant performance and effective work that contributed to attain the unit's mission accomplishment.

AFPPS subjects personnel to written exams

The AFP Procurement Service conducted the 2nd Quarter CY 2016 Written Examination to military personnel and civilian employees of HAFPPS, RFU, GHQ BAC 1 Sec and GHQ BAC 2 Sec on 150900H June 2016 at HAFPPS Multi-Purpose Hall as part of the AFPPS' Operational Program CY 2016 (Target vs Actual) in order to determine the extent of their comprehension on the specialized field of procurement which is basically our job. The examination was participated by forty two (42) military personnel and forty (40) civilian employees.

Prior to the written

LTC DAN L SALES (OS) PA, Commanding Officer, HSU also supervised the conduct of written examination with CPT RONALD ALLAN V OLE (CE) PA, Adjutant.



examination, integrated review session was conducted to the military personnel and civilian employees on 141500H June 2016 led by CDR FRANKLIN B ROTONI PN, ACS for Operations, PS3 to discuss important matters related to the examination.

The examination covered the important information from the revised IRR of RA 9184 7th Edition, AFP Logistics Letter Directive 13-02 dated 24 October 2013 and Department Circular Nr 12 dated 17 October 2014.

CPT RONALD ALLAN V OLE (CE) PA, Adjutant and SSg Ralph Jay C Suarez (CE) PA, Training NCO of OPS3 supervised the conduct of written examination for the 2nd Quarter CY 2016 to GHQ-based military personnel from the HSU, RFU and other Staff Offices at the AFPPS, Multipurpose Hall on 15 June 2016.



AFPPS Conducts Internal Quality Audit

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Implementation and Support Processes.

The main objective of the audit is to determine the conformance of AFPPS QMS in accordance to ISO 9001:2008 and other applicable statutory and regulatory requirements.

"Also, the audit can provide opportunities to continually improve the effectiveness of our QMS," says Brig Gen. Javier.

The IQA is one of the major requirements of an ISO-certified organization. The first cycle IQA for 2016 was held last June 22-24.

26 newly-hired civilian employees undertake orientation, training

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The activity is a three-day training attended by twelve (12) CE from the different Contracting Offices, two (2) from BAC Secretariat Offices, four (4) from the Procurement Centers and eight (8) from HAFPPS.

The conduct of this training is definitely a step in the right direction, for it enabled the participants to be equipped with the fundamental knowledge and right attitude necessary in the performance of their duties as a public servant. It also made them aware of AFP organization, its structure and culture. Moreover, the training discussed their duties and responsibilities in the accomplishment of their office functions and encourage them to develop strong commitment to public service.

TRANSPARENCY IN ACTION:

AFPPS units meticulously inspect delivered supplies to ensure that only the right and quality items are provided to soldiers.



← Elements of 101st CO check on delivered medicines.



↑ Col. Roberto T. Ancan (INF) GSC PA, Chairman of 3ID TIAC, leads the inspection of delivered supplies intended for the 2nd Quarter CY-2016 of the different 3ID Offices and other units last 26 May 2016 at 3ID warehouse.

→ 102nd CO members, along with elements of the Technical Inspection and Acceptance Committee (TIAC) of Philippine Army's 2nd Infantry Division (2ID), inspect food items.



← 104th CO members, along with TIAC personnel of 4ID, meticulously inspect tires and construction materials upon delivery.



Members of 303rd CO religiously check delivered medical supplies.



Personnel of the 403rd CO check on the delivered food items for catered units at the Command.



From bidding to delivery: the 402nd Contracting Office, led by Lt. Col. Russel T. Reinde (QMS) PA religiously follows provisions of Republic Act 9184 or the Government Procurement Reform Act.

Maj. Rivera, 407th CO Chief, facilitates the inspection of delivered Individual Clothing and Individual Equipmant (ICIE) intended for the incoming cadets at PMA.





AS PART OF ITS EFFORTS TO STRENGTHEN TIES WITH COMMUNITIES

PAFPC donates books to Manila street children

The Philippine Air Force Procurement Center (PAFPC), under the leadership of Lt. Col. Rhossel R. Duque PAF (GSC), donated books to the less fortunate children of Manila.

The book donation activity was held at the TuKLaSan (Tuklas, Kalinga, Larawan, Aralan at Sanayan) Center for Street Children located at Erda Sabana Road 10, Magsaysay Village Vista

Tondo, Manila last May 2, 2016.

The activity is part of the Command's thrust of strengthening Civil Military Operations by reaching out to the communities.

It was highlighted by the distribution of educational books that benefitted fifteen (15) street children followed by a feeding program and other activities such as singing, storytelling, etc.

The one-day, fun-filled event was made possible in coordination with ERDA Foundation Inc., Tondo, Manila.

The books distribution was led by the First Sergeant of PAFPC, TSg Ulysis S Usison PAF together with our personnel namely; TSg Jesus G Evasco Jr PAF, SSg Raymundo B Yana PAF, Ms. Gemb Kahmil P Garcia (CE) and Mr Edmundo P Mauricio (CE).

AFPPS holds Seminar for Handling Corrective Action

As part of strengthening the quality management system of AFPPS, a seminar for "Handling Corrective Action" was held last May 18, 2016 at the AFPPS Multi-Purpose Hall lectured by Ms. Belen Bello of LEU Training Consultancy.

The Inspector General (IG)/ Quality Management Representative (QMR) Col. Emmanuel P. Privado



problem. One example of application is for the unattained target from the established quality objectives. First, the root cause must be identified through root cause analysis in order to apply corrective action. Root cause analysis is an in-depth process or technique for identifying the most basic factor(s) underlying a variation in performance (problem). Focus is individuals. The 5 Whys is one example of tools used in determining root cause.

Example of 5 WHYS
Problem - Flat Tire

- Why? Nails on garage floor
- Why? Box of nails on shelf split open
- Why? Box got wet



- Why? Rain went through the hole in the garage roof
- Why? Roof shingles are missing "this is the root cause"

Likewise, this process corresponds to the continual improvement of the quality management system of AFP Procurement Service and also means support to the AFP Transformation Roadmap.

PA (GSC) gave his opening remarks through stating the purpose of the seminar which is to develop the unit's handling of corrective action and to conform with the requirements of ISO 9001. Activities were provided for the participants to gauge if the lecture was understood.

Furthermore, corrective action in ISO 9001 terminology is an action that eliminates the cause of the nonconformity in order to prevent recurrence while correction is an immediate action or quick fix to the



Another innovation adopted by the AFPPS leadership is the conduct of monthly teleconference between the Headquarters and various Procurement Centers and Contracting Offices. Through this, the Headquarters can communicate real-time with the chiefs of the PCs and COs without the hassle of travelling thus more time are spent to other duties.