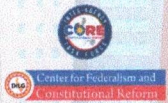


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POLITICAL AND ELECTORAL REFORMS

PROPOSED POLITICAL AND ELECTORAL & PARTY REFORMS

POLITICAL PARTY

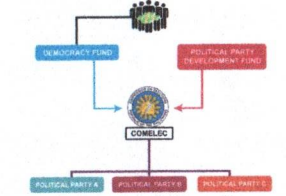
Establish political parties with definite guiding principles and program of government

Political parties should also have internal regulations that shall govern its operations and bureaucracy

Encourage the participation of citizens to political life through political parties

Participation of the marginalized and underrepresented, as well as women

CAMPAIGN FINANCE



How do we regulate overspending and improve overall campaign and party finance?

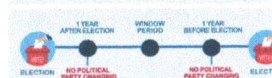
Democracy Fund, a mechanism that will govern the finances of the political party and candidates, including those for campaign finance and party work and development. It shall serve as a repository of all campaign funds and contributions and act as a measure to monitor and regulate contributions by individual citizens

Political party development fund, to be drawn from the annual national budget, shall also be established for party work, for maintaining the party and its normal activities, including campaign in an election year

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ANTI-TURNOATISM (ANTI-BALIMBING)

Members of any political party elected to public office are prohibited from changing political parties within their term of office.

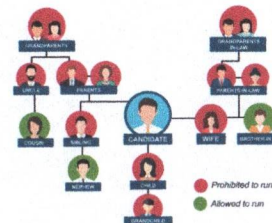


Candidates and officials of any political party are prohibited from changing political party one (1) year after the election and one (1) year before the next election.

No political party shall accept any member in violation of sub-section (a) and (b). Any violation shall be a ground for the cancellation of its registration.

The Commission on Elections (COMELEC) shall ensure compliance with these provisions and periodically require political parties to submit an updated list of their members, including any changes arising from violation of the above provisions.

ANTI-POLITICAL DYNASTY



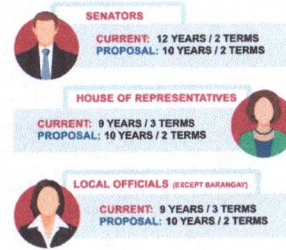
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ANTI-POLITICAL DYNASTY

The spouse of or any person related to an incumbent elective official within the second civil degree of consanguinity or affinity cannot run for the same position, as well as simultaneously run for Governor and Vice-Governor, and for Mayor and Vice-Mayor in the immediately following election.



TERM LIMITS OF ELECTED OFFICIALS



ECONOMIC REFORMS

GOALS OF THE NATIONAL ECONOMY

Section 1, Article XII of the 1987 Constitution provides that the goals of the national economy are:

A sustained increase in the amount of goods and services produced by the nation for the benefit of the people

An expanding productivity as the key to raising the quality of life for all, especially the underprivileged

A more equitable distribution of opportunities, income and wealth

Why relax or remove the foreign investment restrictions?

It is the binding constraints to the growth of Philippine economy, which has suffered in decades due to low capitalization, high unemployment rate, poor infrastructures, and non-inclusive development

Protectionist provisions do not promote healthy competition in a dynamic global economy

Aims to attract foreign investors to invest in our country. Make more jobs and opportunities for the Filipinos.

ECONOMIC REFORMS

THE EFFECT OF OPENING UP THE ECONOMY TO THE FOREIGNERS

Ensure free competition and in the process, reduce our dependence on a few large companies and monopolies in the country

Promote market efficiency based on the competency of producers and the enhancement of consumer

Enhance international competitiveness by meeting trade agreement obligations

It will generate jobs, thereby increasing employment opportunities

PROVISIONS ON THE CONSTITUTION

PUBLIC UTILITIES SECTION 11, ARTICLE XII Liberalization of Operation Public Utilities

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION SECTION 4, ARTICLE XIV Operation of Educational Institutions

MASS MEDIA & ADVERTISING SECTION 11, ARTICLE XVI Regulation of Mass Media and Advertising Industry

NATURAL RESOURCES SECTION 2, ARTICLE XII Statutory Flexibility in Equity Participation, Terms, and Conditions on Exploration, Development, and Utilization of Natural Resources

ANGAT PROBINSYA! ANGAT PAMILYA!

SERIES OF HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DRAFT CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM



CORE RATIONALE

Three seemingly ribbons emblematic bridges from the core to Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao (three stars), indicates that changes from the core (center) will be conveyed to the whole country.



The "sun" symbolizes a new start. "Let the change start from the core."

Blue in the Philippine flag means peace and justice. This color was used to the word CO (institutional) as "constitution" aggregates principles in order to maintain tranquility.

Red color was used to the word RE (reform). Symbolizes a strong urge to reform the Constitution.

CORE as the Constitutional Reform message brand

We use CORE as the message brand because in order to have the necessary changes in our society to take place, it should start from the guiding principle of the land and that is the core of the land which is the Constitution.

CORE PILLARS

BAGYANINAN AND PROBINSYA, PALUYAGAN ANG METRO MANILA

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BASIC CONCEPTS

WHAT IS WRONG WITH THE CURRENT CONSTITUTION?

The current Philippine Constitution is no longer relevant to the present problems and issues confronting our country.

There is a need to address the problems on politics such as political dynasties, problems in the economy:

PRICE INCREASE YET SUBSTANDARD QUALITY OF PRODUCTS

LACK OF OPPORTUNITY IN EMPLOYMENT AND SLOW SERVICES

ISSUES OF DEVELOPMENT IN REGIONS

If there's a need to amend the Constitution, then what parts of the Constitution should be revised?

Electoral and Political Reforms issues that pertain to political dynasty, political butterfly and turnoatism;

Economic Reforms This is about attracting foreign investors and generating more opportunities.

Regional Progress and Development It is related to giving the regions the substantial budget that they need and empowering them to facilitate better governance.

EMPOWERING REGIONS

THE SUPREME COURT RULING ON MANDANAS V. OCHOA

The ruling on Mandanas v. Ochoa clarifies that the share from the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) of the LGUs does not exclude other national taxes, such as tariff and customs duties. The exclusion of tariff and customs duties from the base for determining the just share of the LGUs contravened the express constitutional mandate in Section 6, Article X of the 1987 Constitution.

The national taxes to be included in the computation of the just share of LGUs from the IRA according to the Supreme Court ruling

- The national internal revenue taxes enumerated in Section 21 of the National Internal Revenue Code collected by the Bureau of Internal Revenue and the Bureau of Customs.
- Tariff and customs duties collected by the Bureau of Customs.
- 50% of the value-added taxes collected in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao, and
- 30% of all other national tax collected in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao.
- 60% of the national taxes collected from the exploitation and development of the natural results
- 85% of the excise taxes collected from locally manufactured Virginia (tobacco, cigarettes and other tobacco products)
- The entire 50% of the national taxes collected under Sections 100 (Value-Added Tax on Sale of Goods or Properties), 108 (Value-added Tax on Sale of Services and Use or Lease of Properties)
- 5% of the 25% franchise taxes given to the National Government under Section 6 of Republic Act No. 6631 and Section 3 of Republic Act No. 6932

EMPOWERING REGIONS

PROPOSED SOLUTION: INCREASE IN IRA SHARE

Inclusion of customs duties and other national taxes

Address the vertical imbalance through greater tax decentralization

Reassess the tax and expenditure assignment across different levels of local government

Redesign the intergovernmental transfer

What are benefits of increased share from the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA)?

The increased share from the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) will guarantee the LGUs with better funding to implement and deliver their policies and for their constituents

It will resolve the perennial problem of unfunded mandates being passed by the National Government to the LGUs

An effective tool to empower the LGUs in their spending priorities

EMPOWERING REGIONS

THE PROPOSED CRITERIA FOR THE DETERMINATION OF JUST SHARE OF LGUS IN THE NATIONAL TAXES MAY BE MEASURED BY THE FOLLOWING INDICATORS:

POVERTY INCIDENCE

GEOGRAPHIC PECULIARITIES

LEVEL OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT REVENUE

SEAL OF GOOD LOCAL GOVERNANCE

LEVEL OF OWN-SOURCE REVENUE

JUST SHARE OF RESOURCES FOR LGUS

Financial needs which may be indicated by poverty incidence and local geographic peculiarities in the LGU concerned

Organizational Capacity which may be indicated by the level of financial management revenue and the seal of good local governance of the LGU concerned

Resources which may be indicated by the level of own-source revenue

SECTION 6, Article X, 1987 Constitution Proposed Revision

Local government units and the Regional Development Authority shall have a just share, as determined by law on the basis of their financial needs, organizational capacities, and resources. In all national taxes based on the second year preceding the current fiscal year and which shall be automatically released to them.

EMPOWERING REGIONS

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL (RDC)

The Regional Development Council (RDC) is the primary institution that coordinates and sets the direction of all economic and social development efforts in the region. It also serves as a forum where local efforts can be related and integrated with national development initiatives (Executive Order 308, series of 1987).

PURPOSE OF ENHANCING THE RDC

It will establish effective regional development mechanisms that empower both elective government officials and managers and career officers of national government agencies at the regional level.

Enables the RDC to formulate, implement and monitor its regional development plans.

Strengthen the policy-making capacity of the local government units and national government agencies through the mechanism of a newly empowered regional council.

EMPOWERING REGIONS

PROPOSED FUNCTIONS OF THE RDC

Identify the regional plans and programs that can be fully realized in accordance to the interests of the region in close coordination, consultation, and participation of local government units through their elected local chief executives

Formulate and implement its development plans and programs

Ensure the funding for its operations and implementation of various programs and projects. The RDC's operations will be fully supported by funds allocated for such purposes

Serve as a bridge in harmonizing national government priorities with that of the regional and local government plans and programs

EMPOWERING THE REGION MEANS:

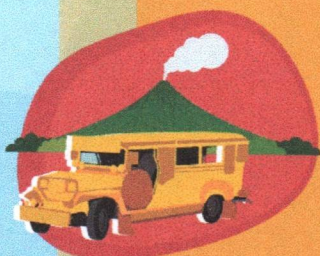
- More infrastructures will be established
- Development of programs and projects for the welfare of Filipinos
- Increase of job opportunities in the provinces



FOUR PILLARS

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PAGYAMANIN ANG PROBINSYA PALUWAGIN ANG METRO MANILA



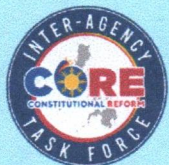
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- Constitutionalizing Mandanas Ruling

GOBYERNO PARA SA TAO HINDI PARA SA TRAPO

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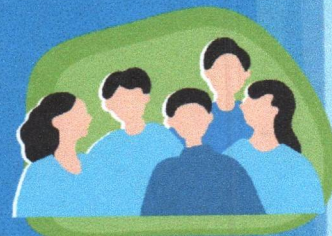


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ANGAT PROBINSYA, ANGAT PAMILYA!

4

- Panahon na para sa pag-angat ng probinsya at ng bawat pamilya
- Panahon na para makinabang ang bawat pamilyang Pilipino
- Para sa pamilya, para sa bayan



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1 PAGYAMANIN ANG PROBINSYA PALUWAGIN ANG METRO MANILA




- **SECTION 6 OF ARTICLE X – Financial needs, organizational capacities, resources**

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