



## REGIONAL TASK FORCE TO END LOCAL COMMUNIST ARMED CONFLICT MIMAROPA Region

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August 22, 2023

**Dir. FELIX S. MIRASOL, JR., CESO IV**  
Regional Executive Director  
DENR MIMAROPA

Dear **Dir. Mirasol**:

Greetings of Peace!

The RTF-ELCAC has been serving as an effective platform for convergence of government efforts in addressing the CPP-NPA-NDF or Communist Terrorist Group (CTG) problem in MIMAROPA region. Since its institutionalization through the Joint RDC-RPOC MIMAROPA Resolution No. 01, s. 2019 passed on 28 March 2019, the involvement of all government agencies in the whole-of-nation strategy sustained the gains of the government security forces in the region, severely weakening its collectives in Mindoro Island, and completely eradicating all of its politico-military structures in Palawan.

In December 2021, Palawan has been declared as cleared of all guerilla fronts by the AFP-PNP-LGU Area Clearing Board, and in March 2022, the Intelligence Community affirmed that there are no longer any guerilla formations and any functional Party cells in the province. This led to the final crafting and passing of the resolution by the Palawan Peace and Order Council (PPOC) declaring the Island of Palawan as insurgency-free on 02 December 2022. Further, since October 2021 the Regional Intelligence Committee 4B (RIC-4B) assessed the CTG in urban area of Puerto Princesa City as already dormant evidenced by absence of significant activities even during red letter days and events when Communist Terrorist front organization would normally launch mobilization.

Thus, to formally recognize this milestone, the NTF-ELCAC in collaboration with the RTF-ELCAC MIMAROPA, PTF-ELCAC Palawan, and CTF-ELCAC Puerto Princesa City will hold a **Celebration of the National Peace Consciousness Month 2023 and Official Declaration of Palawan Island as Insurgency-Free with HE President Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos Jr. as Guest of Honor and Speaker with the theme, "Kapayapaan, Responsibilidad ng Bawat Mamamayan."**

In view thereof, as partner and member of the RTF-ELCAC, we are respectfully inviting you to join us in this momentous event on **01 September 2023 at Citystate Asturias Hotel Palawan, Puerto Princesa**. We would appreciate receiving your confirmation **on or before 30 August 2023** by accomplishing the confirmation slip thru <https://bit.ly/September1Confirmation>.

Should you have any queries or concern, you may contact the RTF-ELCAC Secretariat thru mobile numbers 0917-842-0677 or 0939-901-4849 or via e-mail at [dilgmimaropa.lgmed@gmail.com](mailto:dilgmimaropa.lgmed@gmail.com).

Your attendance is highly requested and we look forward to your continuous support towards ending local communist armed conflict.

Very truly yours,

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