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### NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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**TO :** Officers and Members of the National Executive Board  
Officers and Member of the Regional Scout Committees  
Officers and Members of the Local Council Executive Boards  
National Office Directors and Executives  
Heads of Offices and Section Heads  
Regional Scout Directors  
Council Scout Executives  
Officers-in-Charge

**SUBJECT :** 2017 General Elections: Nominees for Regular Members of the National Executive Board

1. The National Council, the corporate body of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines will be convening on 15-17 May 2017 at the Bohol Tropics Resort, Graham Avenue, Tagbilaran City, Bohol for the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council Meeting.

During the meeting, the members of the National Council shall elect for four (4) regular members to the National Executive Board for a term of three (3) years (CY 2017-2020), among others.

2. Prior to the conduct of the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council Meeting, the Committee on Nominations of the National Executive Board chaired by Atty. Jose Ma. C. Gastardo convened in an executive session and reviewed the qualifications of all nominees for regular members.
3. In view of the holding of the 2017 General Elections, we are pleased to inform you that the following nominees have been accepted by the Committee on Nominations, viz:

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|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 3.1. <b>ASIATEN, Danilo C.</b>       | Tarlac Council / CLR             |
| 3.2. <b>BANAL, Jorge Sr. L.</b>      | Quezon City Council / NCR        |
| 3.3. <b>BINAY, Jejomar C.</b>        | Makati City Council / NCR        |
| 3.4. <b>LAGDAMEO, Enrique B.</b>     | Pasay City Council / NCR         |
| 3.5. <b>ONA, Sofronio Jr. C.</b>     | Batangas Council / STR           |
| 3.6. <b>ORTEGA, Jose Rizalino L.</b> | Zamboanga City Council / WMR     |
| 3.7. <b>PAGDANGANAN, Roberto M.</b>  | National / Bulacan Council / CLR |
| 3.8. <b>RELLON, Allan L.</b>         | Tagum City Council / EMR         |

4. For your reference, herein attached to this document is the 2017 General Election Pamphlet containing the summary of the curriculum vitae of the nominees, including their accomplishments and contribution to the Scouting Movement. Likewise, the Election Rules and Procedures have also been attached for general information.
5. We are looking forward for an orderly, clean and honest elections.
6. Widest dissemination of this document is earnestly desired.



**ROGELIO S. VILLA, JR.**  
Acting Secretary General

Encl. As stated

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# 2017 GENERAL ELECTIONS

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## 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council Meeting

Bohol Tropics Resort, Tagbilaran City, Bohol  
15-17 May 2017



*"Growth and Stability"*



*"Our lives begin to end the day  
we become silent about things that matter."*

(Martin Luther King, Jr.)

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## Introduction

Scouting in the Philippines is now 103 years old, and the vitality of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) continues to depend on an energetic and dynamic interaction between the old and the new, between tradition and change, between the young people and the young at heart, between the great ideas and artifacts of the past and the new ideas and innovations that characterize the contemporary life.

One of the great features of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines is that it always has the opportunity to constantly renew itself. Each year, we have a new opportunity to take the best of our past, add all the talents and energies that our members, volunteers, lay leaders and professionals bring into the organization, and rededicate ourselves to the pursuit of developing the young people to create positive changes in their communities. This interaction between the past and the present, the young people and the pool of volunteers, lay leaders and professionals, will help lead us to a fuller understanding of our organization's purpose and to a capacity to endow all our endeavors with greater meaning.

On the other hand, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, is a character organization. Thus, it behooves us to demonstrate propriety and ethical conduct at all times. Keeping this in mind, the National Executive Board has promulgated policies, guidelines and procedures. These include the Election Rules and Procedures (ERP) governing the conduct of the election for members and officers of the National Executive Board, the highest policy and decision-making body of the organization.

The National Council of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, composed<sup>1</sup> of members of the National Executive Board, Charter Members, Life Members, Regional Commissioners, Chairmen and Commissioners of the duly chartered Local Councils, and other duly accredited delegates, will convene on 15-17 May 2017 at the Bohol Tropics Resort, Graham Avenue, Tagbilaran City, Bohol to elect the regular members of the National Executive Board<sup>2</sup>, among others.

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<sup>1</sup> Article IV, Section 2 of the BSP National By Laws:

**"Section 2. Membership.** The National Council of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines shall consist of the **a) National Executive Board, b) Charter Members, c) Life Members, d) Regional Commissioners, e) Chairmen and Commissioners of the duly chartered Local Councils, and other duly accredited delegates herein provided for;** provided that, in the case of Life Members, the number, membership and qualifications thereof shall be determined by the National Executive Board." (emphasis supplied)

<sup>2</sup> Article V, Section 1. Ibid:

**"Section 1. Annual Meetings.** The National Council shall hold an annual meeting not later than May 31 of each year, at such time, date and place as may be determined by the National Executive Board for the purpose of receiving the annual reports of the officers, **electing the regular members of the National Executive Board, xxx"** (emphasis provided)

In this case, it shall elect for **FOUR (4)** regular members to the National Executive who shall have three (3) year terms each, or for CY 2017-2020.

The BSP endeavors to have a diverse and a strong representation in the National Executive Board, including a multi-sectoral representation for the 15-man Private Sector Representatives. Towards this end, the BSP National Office has issued National Office Memorandum No. 18, Series of 2017<sup>3</sup>, directing all Regional Scout Directors, Council Scout Executives and Officers-in-Charge to vigorously recruit volunteers of prominent status to ensure a wide selection of candidates that will be elected to the National Executive Board.

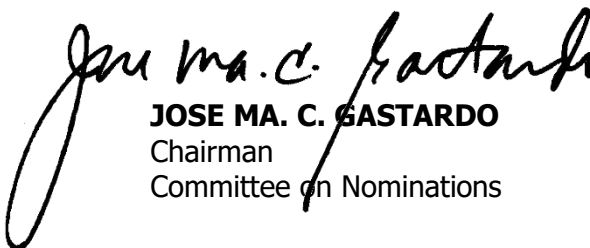
Thus, to guide all voting delegates in choosing their candidates, the Committee on Nominations of the National Executive Board has directed the BSP National Office, thru the Field Operations Division, to produce an 'election brochure' bearing all essential information about the candidates and their perceptions and on board and committee work in the Boy Scouts of the Philippines. Likewise, the election rules and procedures have also been included in this brochure for reference and convenience.

This year's candidates include the following:

1. Danilo C. Asiaten
2. Jorge L. Banal, Sr.
3. Jejomar C. Binay
4. Enrique B. Lagdameo
5. Sofronio C. Ona, Jr.
6. Jose Rizalino L. Ortega
7. Roberto M. Pagdanganan
8. Allan L. Rellon

May this election brochure guide each of you in selecting the candidates that best represent and safeguard the interests of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, and the young people that we ought to serve.

Thank you and we are looking forward for a free, clean and honest elections.



**JOSE MA. C. GASTARDO**  
Chairman  
Committee on Nominations

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<sup>3</sup> National Office Memorandum No. 18, Series of 2017 entitled 'Submission of Nominees for Regular Membership (2017-2020) and Private Sector Representatives in the National Executive Board (2017-2018)' was issued on 17 February 2017, circulated electronically via bsp@scouts.org.ph and was also posted in the official website, with direct link at <http://scouts.org.ph/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/NO-Memo-No.-18-s.-2017-Submission-of-Nominees-for-Regular-Membership-2017-2020-and-Private-Sector-Representatives-in-the-National-Executive-Board-2017-2018.pdf>



# DANILO C. ASIATEN

Tarlac Council  
Central Luzon Region

*Nominated By:*  
**Wendel E. Avisado**  
National President  
Boy Scouts of the Philippines



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*Full Name* **DANILO CANLAS ASIATEN**  
*Date of Birth* 8 February 1961  
*Place of Birth* Tarlac City, Tarlac

*Office Address* Asiaten Hotel  
18 Don Gregorio Avenue, San Sebastian Village, Tarlac City

*Profession* Businessman

*Scouting Position* Regular Member, National Executive Board  
*Tenure in Scouting* 17 years

### ***Positions Held in Scouting***

#### **International**

| <b>Description</b>                    | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>  | <b>Year</b>    |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------|
| APR Financial Resources Sub-Committee | Asia-Pacific    | Member           | 2016 – Present |
| Leyte Council Scout House Project     | Tacloban City   | Project Chairman | 2015           |

#### **National**

| <b>Description</b>                   | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b> | <b>Year</b>    |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| BSP National Executive Board         | Manila          | Regular Member  | 2005 - Present |
| NEB Committee on Economic Enterprise | Manila          | Member          | 2012 – Present |
| NEB Committee on Budget and Finance  | Manila          | Member          | 2005 - Present |
| NEB Committee on Ways and Means      | Manila          | Member          | 2005 - Present |

#### **Local**

| <b>Description</b>                         | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>      | <b>Year</b>  |
|--|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Local Council Executive Board              | Tarlac          | Regular Member       | 2001-Present |
| Tarlac Council Diamond Jubilee Celebration | Tarlac          | Ways and Means Chair | 2007         |

### ***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b>                              | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>          | <b>Year Received</b> |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Silver Tamaraw Award                              | BSP National Court of Honor       | 2017                 |
| Good Service Award                                | WSB – Asia-Pacific Support Centre | 2015                 |
| Certificate of Recognition for Invaluable Service | WSB – Asia-Pacific Support Centre | 2015                 |

|                                     |                             |      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------|
| Bronze Tamaraw Award                | BSP National Court of Honor | 2014 |
| Gold Usa Award                      | BSP National Court of Honor | 2010 |
| Silver Usa Award                    | BSP National Court of Honor | 2008 |
| Outstanding Lay Leader              | BSP Tarlac Council          | 2007 |
| Bronze Usa Award                    | BSP Tarlac Council          | 2006 |
| Silver Medal of Merit               | BSP Tarlac Council          | 2004 |
| Bronze Medal of Merit               | BSP Tarlac Council          | 2002 |
| Bronze, Silver, Gold Service Awards | BSP Tarlac Council          | 2000 |

***Statement of Support for Mr. Danilo C. Asiaten's Candidacy:***

Scouting has been the way of life of Dan. Being a father to seven wonderful kids, five of his sons have been exposed to Scouting. In fact, four of the five boys are all Eagle Scouts, while the youngest son is a Leaping Usa Awardee and is working his way for the Eagle Scout rank. Together with his sons, they have attended various Scouting events, locally and abroad. His second eldest son has represented the BSP twice in separate international events of the Asia-Pacific Region, while the youngest has been chosen as BSP's representative for a solidarity program during the 23<sup>rd</sup> World Scout Jamboree in Japan.

As an avid supporter and benefactor of Scouting, he has institutionalized Scouting as part of his school's curriculum and has since produced exemplary leaders - Eagle Scouts, Council and Regional Scout Representatives, Outstanding Boy Scouts, and Outstanding Scout Masters.

He has hosted two (2) international Scouting events in the Asia-Pacific Region – the Rover Scouting Program in 2003 and the Unit Leader's Roundtable Conference in 2007.



## **JORGE L. BANAL, SR.**

Quezon City Council  
National Capital Region

*Nominated By:*

**Godofredo T. Liban**

1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman

Local Council Executive Board of Quezon City

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*Full Name* **JORGE LERMA BANAL, SR.**  
*Date of Birth* 22 February 1939  
*Place of Birth* Ifugao, Mountain Province  
  
*Office Address* Barangay Saint Ignatius, Loyola, Quezon City  
*Profession* Realtor / Restaurateur  
  
*Scouting Position* Regular Member, National Executive Board  
*Tenure in Scouting* 15 years

***Positions Held in Scouting***

**National**

| Description  | Location | Position                      | Year         |
|--|----------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| National Executive Board                                 | Manila   | Private Sector Representative | 2002-Present |
| NEB Committee on Public Relations and Marketing Scouting | Manila   | Chairman                      | 2009-Present |
| NEB Committee on Audit                                   | Manila   | Vice Chairman                 | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Ways and Means                          | Manila   | Member                        | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Crisis Management                       | Manila   | Member                        | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Legal Affairs                           | Manila   | Member                        | 2016-Present |

**Local**

| Description                                  | Location    | Position              | Year      |
|--|-------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Local Council Executive Board of Quezon City | Quezon City | Council Vice Chairman | 2002-2010 |

***Experiences in Other Fields***

| Description                           | Location     | Position                | Year         |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| United General Industries, Inc.       | Metro Manila | Sales Manager           | 1963-1965    |
| Manila Memorial Park                  | Manila       | Sales/Training Director | 1966-1971    |
| St. Luke's Medical Center             | Taguig City  | Realtor                 | 1980-Present |
|                                       |              | Restaurateur            |              |
| Quezon City Youth Development Council | Quezon City  | President               | 1984-1987    |
| Local Government of Quezon City       | Quezon City  | City Councilor          | 1988-1992    |

|  |                   |  |                                       |
|--|-------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
|  |                   | Vice Mayor                                     | 7Apr-30June '98                       |
|  |                   | City Councilor                                 | 2001-2004                             |
| Philippine Mental Health Association                         | Philippines       | Director                                       | 1992-1993,<br>2001-2002,<br>2005-2006 |
| Mary the Queen Academy of Quezon City                        | Quezon City       | Vice Chairman, BOT                             | 2001-2003                             |
| Junior Chamber International (JCI)                           | Quezon City       | Prime Minister,<br>QC Jaycee Senate            | 1991-1992                             |
|  | Quezon City       | President,<br>QC Senate Foundation             | 1993-2000                             |
|  | Philippines       | National President,<br>JCI Senate Philippines  | 2005                                  |
|  | ASEAN             | President,<br>JCI Senate ASEAN                 | 2008                                  |
|  | Philippines       | National Chairman,<br>PH JCI Senate Foundation |                                       |
| Realty Development Corporation (LBP)                         | Metro Manila      | Director                                       | 2005-Present                          |
| Bases Conversion Development Authority                       | Baguio City       | Director                                       | 2007-2009                             |
| Federation of Senior Citizens Association of the Philippines | NCR               | Regional President                             | 2004-2008,<br>2009-2011               |
|  | Manila            | National President                             | 2011-2012                             |
| Rotary International District 3780                           | RC Downtown Cubao | President                                      | 1987-1988                             |
|  | RC Katipunan      | Charter President                              | 1992-1993                             |
|  | RI District 3780  | DG's Special Representative                    | 1995-1997                             |
|  | RI District 3780  | Double Paul Harris Fellow                      |                                       |
| Knights of Columbus  | Quezon City       | District Deputy, C-56                          | 2009-2010                             |
| Philippine Councilor's League, Inc.                          | NCR               | Regional Chairman                              | 2001-2004                             |
| Metro Manila PH Councilors League                            | Metro Manila      | Chairman                                       | 2001-2004                             |

### ***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b>                               | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>           | <b>Year Received</b> |
|--|------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Melchora Aquino "Tandang Sora" Service Award       | Local Government of Quezon City    | 1980                 |
| "Paglilingkod" Individual Award                    | Local Government of Quezon City    | 1980                 |
| Most Outstanding City Councilor (Hall of Famer)    | Quezon City Press Club             | 1990, 1996,<br>1998  |
| Most Outstanding JCI Senator for Community Service | Junior Chamber International (JCI) | 1991                 |
| Great Innovator of the City                        | Local Government of Quezon City    | 1997                 |
| State Family of the Year                           | Knights of Columbus (Luzon)        | 1999                 |

|                                |  |      |
|--------------------------------|--|------|
| Outstanding Faithful Navigator | Knights of Columbus (Luzon)                | 2000 |
| Bronze Usa Award               | BSP National Court of Honor                | 2002 |
| Silver Usa Award               | BSP National Court of Honor                | 2004 |
| Gold Usa Award                 | BSP National Court of Honor                | 2006 |
| Bronze Tamaraw Award           | BSP National Court of Honor                | 2010 |
| Silver Tamaraw Award           | BSP National Court of Honor                | 2014 |
| Gold Tamaraw Award             | BSP National Court of Honor                | 2017 |
| Ulirang Ama ng Angkan          | Mother's and Father's Day Foundation, Inc. | 2010 |

***Statement of Support for Mr. Jorge L. Banal, Sr.'s Candidacy:***

Jorge has been supporting the Scouting Movement for 15 years now. He has been the longest-running Chairman of the Public Relations and Marketing Scouting Committee of the National Executive Board, bringing forth relevant changes and safeguarding the public image of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.

Let us support Jorge in his bid as Regular Member of the National Executive Board!



# JEJOMAR C. BINAY

Makati City Council  
National Capital Region

*Nominated By:*

**Enrique B. Lagdameo**

National Treasurer, Boy Scouts of the Philippines  
Chairman, Local Council Executive Board of Pasay City

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*Full Name* **JEJOMAR CABAUTAN BINAY**  
*Date of Birth* 11 November 1942  
*Place of Birth* Paco, Manila

*Office Address* 8514 Caong Street, San Antonio Village, Makati City  
*Profession* Lawyer

*Scouting Position* Immediate Past President, National Executive Board  
*Tenure in Scouting* 23 years

### ***Positions Held in Scouting***

#### **International**

| <b>Description</b>                    | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>      | <b>Year</b> |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------|
| World Scout Committee                 | Switzerland     | Member               | 2007-2013   |
| Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Committee | Manila          | Regional Chairperson | 2007-2013   |
| APR Finance Sub-Committee             | Manila          | Chairman             |             |

#### **National**

| <b>Description</b>           | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>    | <b>Year</b>             |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| BSP National Executive Board | Manila          | National President | 1994-1996,<br>1999-2016 |
| NEB National Court of Honor  | Manila          | Chairman           | 1994-1996,<br>1999-2016 |

#### **Local**

| <b>Description</b>                           | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>  | <b>Year</b> |
|--|-----------------|------------------|-------------|
| Local Council Executive Board of Makati City | Makati City     | Council Chairman |             |

### ***Experiences in Other Fields***

| <b>Description</b>  | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>                          | <b>Year</b> |
|---|-----------------|--|-------------|
| Republic of the Philippines                                   | Philippines     | Vice President                           | 2010-2016   |
| Office of the President of the Philippines                    | Philippines     | Presidential Adviser<br>for OFW Concerns | 2010-2015   |
| Office of the President of the Philippines                    | Philippines     | Head, Task Force OFW                     | 2010-2015   |
| Housing and Urban Development<br>Coordinating Council (HUDCC) | Philippines     | Chairman                                 | 2010-2015   |



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|---|--------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| City Government of Makati                                   | Makati City  | Mayor               | 1987-1998,<br>2001-2010          |
| Metro Manila Development Authority                          | Metro Manila | Governor / Chairman | 1987,<br>1990-1992,<br>1998-2001 |
| United Nationalist Alliance (UNA)                           | Philippines  | President           |                                  |
| Partido Demokratiko Pilipino – Lakas ng Bayan (PDP – Laban) | Philippines  | President           |                                  |

|   |              |                             |              |
|---|--------------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| World Executive Committee – International Union of Local Authorities          | Asia-Pacific | Life Honorary Member        | 2001-Present |
| United Cities and Local Organizations (APR)                                   | Asia-Pacific | VP for Membership           | 2006-2008    |
| Network for Local Authorities for the Management of Human Settlement (CITNET) |              | Member, Executive Committee | 2006-2009    |
| AFP (Reserve Command), 202 <sup>nd</sup> Philippine Marine Reserve Battalion  | Philippines  | Colonel                     |              |
| Bigay Pagmamahal Foundation, Inc.   | Metro Manila | Founder                     |              |
| Rotary Club of Makati, RI District 3830                                       | Makati City  | Member                      |              |

### ***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b>       | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>    | <b>Year Received</b> |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Bronze Usa Award           | BSP National Court of Honor | 1990                 |
| Silver Usa Award           | BSP National Court of Honor | 1991                 |
| Gold Usa Award             | BSP National Court of Honor | 1994                 |
| Bronze Tamaraw Award       | BSP National Court of Honor | 1997                 |
| Silver Tamaraw Award       | BSP National Court of Honor | 2000                 |
| Gold Tamaraw Award         | BSP National Court of Honor | 2005                 |
| Lifetime Achievement Award | BSP National Court of Honor | 2011                 |
| Tanglaw ng Kabataan Award  | BSP National Court of Honor | 2014                 |

|                                      |   |      |
|--------------------------------------|---|------|
| Chairman's Award                     | World Scout Bureau – Asia-Pacific       | 1998 |
| Distinguished Service Cross Award    | Hong Kong Scout Association             | 2003 |
| Certificate of Green Jade Lion Award | General Scout Association of China      | 2004 |
| First Class Boy Scout Citation Medal | National Scout Organization of Thailand | 2006 |
| Silver Hawk Award                    | Boy Scouts of Japan                     | 2007 |
| Silver Lion Award                    | Singapore Scout Association             | 2008 |

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|--|--|------|
| LENCANA Medal (The GP Citation Medal)                      | Gerakan Pramuka (Indonesia)                                | 2008 |
| Mogunghwa Award  | Korea Scouts Association                                   | 2011 |
| Medalha Da Fraternidade (Mundial Medal)                    | Scout Association of Brazil                                | 2012 |
| Silver Elephant Award                                      | Bangladesh Scouts  | 2012 |
| Scouts of the World Award                                  | Boy Scouts of America                                      | 2012 |
| Golden Jade National Flower Award                          | General Scout Association of China                         | 2013 |
|  |  |      |
| One of the Ten Outstanding World Mayors (4 <sup>th</sup> ) | <a href="http://www.worldmayor.com">www.worldmayor.com</a> | 2006 |

***Statement of Support for Mr. Jejomar C. Binay's Candidacy:***

Much of the credit of the success story of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines goes to [former] Vice President Jejomar C. Binay. As BSP National President, he transformed the organization from one dependent on membership dues and contributions, to a model of efficiency and financial stability. This he did through effective management, using selflessly, his extensive experience in government, and the prudent utilization of real estate resources that have remained idle for years. The new BSP National Office building in Manila is a monument to his leadership.

He also served with distinction as Chairman of the Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Committee where he introduced reforms, most notably the system of APR consultations with individual National Scout Organizations (NSOs), in effect shepherding the implementation of youth programs and training of adult leaders. He spent time to get things done in the region [Asia-Pacific], covering half of the population of World Scouting, despite the fact that he was also Vice President of the Philippines.

He believed in Scouting as a way to go in the world to ensure the upbringing of young people for leadership in the future.

He still continues to believe in the extraordinary power of Scouting.

He will.

Always.



# ENRIQUE B. LAGDAMEO

Pasay City Council  
National Capital Region

*Nominated By:*  
**Jejomar C. Binay**  
Immediate Past President  
Boy Scouts of the Philippines

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*Full Name* **ENRIQUE B. LAGDAMEO**  
*Date of Birth* 18 June 1938  
*Place of Birth* Manila  
  
*Office Address* 5/F ERLAG Building  
 102 Esteban Street, Legazpi Village, Makati City  
*Profession* Businessman  
  
*Scouting Position* National Treasurer, National Executive Board  
*Tenure in Scouting* 35 years

### ***Positions Held in Scouting***

#### **National**

| <b>Description</b>   | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>            | <b>Year</b>  |
|--|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| BSP National Executive Board                                     | Manila          | National Treasurer         | 1997-Present |
| NEB Committee on Budget and Finance                              | Manila          | Chairman                   | 1997-Present |
| NEB Committee on Economic Enterprise                             | Manila          | Vice Chairman              | 2016-Present |
| NEB Special Committee on the BSP-Alphaland Makati Place Property | Manila          | Vice Chairman              | 2016-Present |
| NEB TOBS National Selection Committee                            | Manila          | Vice Chairman              | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Information Technology                          | Manila          | Member                     | 2016-Present |
| NEB BSP Employees Retirement Plan                                | Manila          | Member, Board of Directors | 2015-Present |

#### **Local**

| <b>Description</b>                          | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>  | <b>Year</b> |
|---|-----------------|------------------|-------------|
| Local Council Executive Board of Pasay City | Pasay City      | Council Chairman |             |

### ***Experiences in Other Fields***

| <b>Description</b>                | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>                    | <b>Year</b> |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| L & B Development Corporation     | Makati City     | President                          |             |
| La Funeraria Paz                  | Parañaque City  | President                          |             |
| Multiland Development Corporation |                 | President and Chairman             |             |
| Manila Memorial Park, Inc.        | Metro Manila    | Executive Vice President and COO / |             |

|                                       |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|
|                                       |  | Member, Board of Directors               |  |
| United Development Corporation        |  | Treasurer and Member, Board of Directors |  |
| Maximum Security Services Corporation |  | Member, Board of Directors               |  |

***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b> | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>    | <b>Year Received</b> |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Silver Tamaraw Award | BSP National Court of Honor | 2010                 |
| Bronze Tamaraw Award | BSP National Court of Honor | 2006                 |
| Gold Usa Award       | BSP National Court of Honor | 2002                 |
| Silver Usa Award     | BSP National Court of Honor | 1999                 |
| Bronze Usa Award     | BSP National Court of Honor | 1997                 |

***What made you run for regular membership to the National Executive Board?***

For Riquet, Scouting has been his life and his advocacy, and he would not have it otherwise. He has learned long ago that reaching out is far different from being involved. He wants to be involved in the Boy Scouts of the Philippines because he believes in its capacity to touch and change the lives of the young people.



## **SOFRONIO C. ONA, JR.**

Batangas Council  
Southern Tagalog Region

*Nominated By:*  
**Thelma R. Panganiban**  
Council Scout Executive  
Batangas Council

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*Full Name* **SOFRONIO C. ONA, JR.**  
*Date of Birth* 26 October 1968  
*Place of Birth* Manila

*Office Address* Office of the Vice Governor  
Provincial Cooperative Building, Capitol Site, Batangas City  
*Profession* Public Servant (Vice Governor)

*Scouting Position* Council Chairman, Batangas Council  
*Tenure in Scouting* 12 years

***Positions Held in Scouting***

**National**

| Description                  | Location | Position                      | Year      |
|------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| BSP National Executive Board | Manila   | Private Sector Representative | 2013-2016 |

**Regional**

| Description                  | Location    | Position                              | Year         |
|------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| STR Regional Scout Committee | South Luzon | Regional Vice Chairman for Operations | 2017-Present |

**Local**

| Description                               | Location         | Position          | Year               |
|---|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Local Council Executive Board of Batangas | Batangas         | Council Chairman  | 2016-Present, 2008 |
| District Scouting Committee               | Calaca, Batangas | District Chairman | 2004-2013          |

***Experiences in Other Fields***

| Description                              | Location         | Position      | Year         |
|--|------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Provincial Government of Batangas        | Batangas         | Vice Governor | 2016-Present |
| Municipal Government of Calaca, Batangas | Calaca, Batangas | Mayor         | 2004-2013    |
| Rural Bank of Calaca                     | Calaca, Batangas | Bank Manager  |              |

### ***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b>         | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>    | <b>Year Received</b> |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Bronze Usa Award             | BSP National Court of Honor | 2009                 |
| Silver Usa Award             | BSP National Court of Honor | 2011                 |
| Gold Usa Award               | BSP National Court of Honor | 2014                 |
| Outstanding Council Chairman | BSP National Office         | 2010                 |

### ***Statement of Support for Mr. Sofronio C. Ona, Jr.'s Candidacy:***

Batangas Council, together with its Local Council Executive Board fully and strongly supports the candidacy of the Vice Governor Sofronio C. Ona, Jr. as a Regular Member of the National Executive Board of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.

Vice Governor Ona is one of the country's Outstanding Council Chairman, and has always been supporting and looking after the welfare of the Scouts and Scouts Leaders, the members of the Council Staff and the Council Training Team. He regularly attends all the activities of the Council, even to the extent of spending his own money just to help and to support its programs, projects, trainings and activities, whenever needed.

In the Province of Batangas, he is best known for the moniker, **"VICE GAWA ng BATANGAS, GAWA NANG GAWA at hindi DADA!"**





# **JOSE RIZALINO L. ORTEGA**

Zamboanga City Council  
Western Mindanao Region

*Nominated By:*

**Rommel S. Agan**

Auditor

Local Council Executive Board of Zamboanga City

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*Full Name* **JOSE RIZALINO LAPUT ORTEGA**  
*Date of Birth* 30 December 1967  
*Place of Birth* Zamboanga City

*Office Address* Development Bank of the Philippines  
Governor Ramos Avenue, Santa Maria, Zamboanga City  
*Profession* Government Employee (Regional Counsel)

*Scouting Position* Council Chairman, Zamboanga City Council  
*Tenure in Scouting* 9 years

***Positions Held in Scouting***

**Local**

| Description                                     | Location       | Position                      | Year         |
|---|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Local Council Executive Board of Zamboanga City | Zamboanga City | Council Chairman              | 2014-Present |
|   |                | 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman | 2010-2011    |
|   |                | Member                        | 2008-Present |

***Experiences in Other Fields***

| Description   | Location       | Position                                      | Year           |
|---|----------------|---|----------------|
| Alpha Rho Lambda Law Fraternity                             | Zamboanga City | Adopted Member                                | 2003-Present   |
| International Order of DeMolay                              | Region IXB     | Executive Officer, Philippine Supreme Council | 2009-Present   |
|   | Zamboanga City | Past Master Councilor / Life Member           | 1985 - Present |
| Ancient and Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine | Zamboanga City | Chapter President                             | 2009-Present   |
| Agila Shriners International                                | Zamboanga City | Chapter President                             | 2009-2015      |
| Ancient and Accepted Scottishrite Masonry                   | Zamboanga City | Venerable Master                              | 2013-2015      |
| Free and Accepted Masons (Mt. Apo L-45)                     | Zamboanga City | Worshipful Master                             | 2015           |
| International Order of the Rainbow for Girls                | Zamboanga City | Chairman, Advisory Board                      | 2012-2016      |
| Masonic District RIX (ARMM, Zambasulta)                     | RIX, ARMM      | District Grand Lecturer                       | 2016-2017      |
| Integrated Bar of the Philippines                           | Zamboanga City | Past President / Life Member                  | 2003-Present   |

|  |                     |                                     |              |
|--|---------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| PNP Regional Highway Patrol Group (RIX)  | Zamboanga Peninsula | Chairman, Regional Advisory Council | 2014-Present |
| Rotary Club of Zamboanga City West       | Zamboanga City      | President                           | 2011-2012    |
| Rotary International (District 3850)     | Zone 11             | Assistant District Governor         | 2013-2014    |
| Rotary Club of Oroquieta City Centennial | Oroquieta City      | Charter Member                      |              |

### ***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b>                     | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>   | <b>Year Received</b> |
|--|--|----------------------|
| 2015 Outstanding Council Chairman        | BSP National Office  | 2016                 |
| Silver Usa Award                         | BSP National Court of Honor  | 2016                 |
| Bronze Usa Award                         | BSP National Court of Honor  | 2013                 |
| Most Outstanding Leadership Award        | Integrated Bar of the Philippines (Zambasulta Chapter)                         |                      |
| Presidential Commendation for Leadership | RC Zamboanga City West   |                      |
| Outstanding Alumnus                      | Western Mindanao State University – College of Law                             |                      |
| Professional Achievement Award           | Western Mindanao State University – College of Science and Mathematics         |                      |
| Most Outstanding High School Jubilarian  | Ateneo de Zamboanga University Alumni Association                              |                      |
| Cross of Honor, Leadership               | Philippine Supreme Council, International Order of DeMolay                     |                      |
| Legion of Honor                          |  |                      |
| Chevalier Award                          |  |                      |
| Heart Cheer Award (Gold)                 | La Hermosa Assembly No. 28 of the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls |                      |
| Grand Cross of Colors                    | International Order of the Rainbow for Girls                                   |                      |

### ***Statement of Support for Mr. Jose Rizalino L. Ortega's Candidacy:***

"Why am I in Scouting?" is a question often asked by Atty. Jose Rizalino L. Ortega every time he wants to inspire Scouts and parents alike, to be active in the Scout Movement.

Atty. Ortega's interest in Scouting came about when he wanted his son, Jericho, be taught about values and character as an individual. He believed that the Scout Movement is one strong vehicle for social change and character development, being a former Maginoo Scout Awardee himself.

He became a member of the Local Council Executive Board of Zamboanga City in 2008, and started taking higher training under the BSP Unit Leaders Training Scheme. As a neophyte in the LCEB of Zamboanga City, he encouraged its members to equip themselves with the necessary knowledge about the organization that they are supervising at local level, and be counted as “working” board members.

As a regular member of the National Executive Board, he would be able to bring fresh ideas on expanding the growth of the Scout Movement and fully realizing its impact on the lives of the young people.



# **ROBERTO M. PAGDANGANAN**

Member Emeritus  
Boy Scouts of the Philippines

*Nominated By:*  
**Wendel E. Avisado**  
National President  
Boy Scouts of the Philippines

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*Full Name* **ROBERTO MAMANGON PAGDANGANAN**  
*Date of Birth* 19 July 1946  
*Place of Birth* Calumpit, Bulacan  
  
*Office Address* Mangyan Street, La Vista, Quezon City  
*Profession* Public Servant  
  
*Scouting Position* Member Emeritus, National Executive Board  
*Tenure in Scouting* 58 years

***Positions Held in Scouting***

**National**

| Description  | Location | Position              | Year         |
|--|----------|-----------------------|--------------|
| BSP National Executive Board   | Manila   | Member Emeritus       | 2012-Present |
| BSP National Executive Board   | Manila   | National President    | 1996-1998    |
| BSP National Executive Board   | Manila   | Senior Vice President | 2015-2016    |
| NEB Centennial Celebration Committee                                 | Manila   | Chairman              | 2014-2015    |
| NEB Special Committee on the BSP-Alphaland Makati Place Property     | Manila   | Chairman              | 2014-Present |
| NEB Special Committee on the Makiling National Scout Training Center | Makiling | Chairman              | 2014-Present |

***Experiences in Other Fields***

| Description                                | Location    | Position                                 | Year                    |
|--|-------------|--|-------------------------|
| Provincial Government of Bulacan           | Bulacan     | Governor                                 | 1986-1987,<br>1988-1998 |
| League of Provinces of the Philippines     | Philippines | National President                       | 1990-1998               |
| National Cooperative Movement              | Philippines | Chairman                                 | 1998-2001               |
| Philippine Cooperative Center, Inc.        | Philippines | Chairman                                 | 1999-2001               |
| A Call for Cooperative Revolution (Book)   | Philippines | Author                                   | 1999                    |
| Office of the President of the Philippines | Philippines | Presidential Adviser<br>for Cooperatives | 2002                    |
| Cooperative Development Authority          | Philippines | Chairman, Board of<br>Administrators     | 2002                    |
| Department of Agrarian Reform              | Philippines | Secretary of<br>Agrarian Reform          | 2003-2004               |
| Department of Tourism                      | Philippines | Secretary of Tourism                     | 2004-2005               |

|  |             |                        |              |
|--|-------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Philippine Southeast Asian Games Organizing Committee                                      | Philippines | Chairman               | 2004-2005    |
| Philippine International Trading Corporation   | Philippines | Chairman and President | 2004-2007    |
| Philippine HealthWatch Initiatives, Inc.   | Philippines | Chairman               | 2016-Present |
| Medicines Transparency Alliance, Inc.  | Philippines | Chairman               | 2016-Present |
| National Center for Commuter Safety and Protection   | Philippines | Chairman               | 2016-Present |
| POEMS Agro-Industrial Development Company  | Philippines | Chairman               | 2016-Present |
| Chosun Trading and Development Corporation   | Philippines | Chairman               | 2016-Present |
| League of Leagues of Local Governments (now Union of Local Authorities of the Philippines) | Philippines | Founding Chairman      |              |

|  |                   |                             |           |
|--|-------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Rotary Club of Calumpit  | Calumpit, Bulacan | Charter President           | 1991-1992 |
| Rotary Club of Manila  | Manila            | Director                    | 2006-2007 |
|  |                   | President                   | 2012-2013 |
| RC Manila Scientific Inventions, Discoveries and Innovation Awards | Manila            | Chairman                    | 2011-2012 |
| Rotary International (Paul Harris Society)                         | International     | Multiple Paul Harris Fellow | 2012      |
| Rotary International (District 3810)                               | District 3810     | District Governor           | 2015-2016 |

### ***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b>  | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>         | <b>Year Received</b> |
|---|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Tanglaw ng Kabataan Award   | BSP National Court of Honor      | 2016                 |
| Lifetime Achievement Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 2011                 |
| Gold Tamaraw Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 2006                 |
| Silver Tamaraw Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 2002                 |
| Bronze Tamaraw Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 1999                 |
| Gold Usa Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 1997                 |
| Silver Usa Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 1995                 |
| Bronze Usa Award  | BSP National Court of Honor      | 1993                 |
| Gawad Huwarang Anak ng Bulacan in the Field of Good Governance and Public Service | Provincial Government of Bulacan | 2015                 |

***Statement of Support for Mr. Roberto M. Pagdanganan's Candidacy:***

Roberto "Obet" Pagdanganan has had an extensive experience in the private sector (business, academe, civil society organizations), and in government service. He was most outstanding public servant, and had received numerous awards and recognitions.

Obet's humble beginnings and familiarity with the travails of the less fortunate among us, have strengthened his resolve to help fight poverty and to improve the quality of life of the Filipino people.

As former National President of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, he has pushed for strong reforms in the management of the organization. When he chaired the NEB's Special Committee on the BSP-Alphaland Makati Place Property, he worked day in and day out to ensure transparency in all aspects of the deal, reporting its progress and updates to the NEB and to the National Council, making sure that the interests of the BSP, of the young people, are safeguarded.

Obet's job is far from over.





## **ALLAN L. RELLON**

Tagum City Council  
Eastern Mindanao Region

*Nominated By:*  
**Rollene G. Dumlao**  
Officer-in-Charge  
Tagum City Council

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*Full Name* **ALLAN L. RELLON**  
*Date of Birth* 5 May 1969  
*Place of Birth* Igacos, Davao del Norte

*Office Address* Office of the City Mayor, 2/F New City Hall Building  
 J.V. Ayala Street, Apokon, Tagum City

*Profession* Public Servant / City Mayor of Tagum

*Scouting Position* Vice President for Mindanao, National Executive Board  
 Regional Chairman, BSP Eastern Mindanao Region  
 Council Chairman, BSP Tagum City Council

*Tenure in Scouting* 35 years

### ***Positions Held in Scouting***

#### **National**

| <b>Description</b>                          | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b> | <b>Year</b>  |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|
| BSP National Executive Board                | Manila          | VP for Mindanao | 2015-Present |
| NEB Committee on Adults in Scouting         | Manila          | Chairman        | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Youth Program              | Manila          | Vice Chairman   | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Risk and Safety Management | Manila          | Vice Chairman   | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on International Relations    | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Public Relations           | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on HR Development             | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Uniform and Insignia       | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Operations                 | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on Economic Enterprise        | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB Committee on NSTP-CWTS                  | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |
| NEB 61 <sup>st</sup> ANCM Committee         | Manila          | Member          | 2016-Present |

#### **Regional**

| <b>Description</b>           | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>   | <b>Year</b>  |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| EMR Regional Scout Committee | EMR             | Regional Chairman | 2015-Present |

**Local**

| <b>Description</b>                          | <b>Location</b> | <b>Position</b>  | <b>Year</b>  |
|---|-----------------|------------------|--------------|
| Local Council Executive Board of Tagum City | Tagum City      | Council Chairman | 2013-Present |

***Experiences in Other Field***

| <b>Description</b>  | <b>Year</b>  |
|---|--------------|
| 2017 LCC Winners' Forum   | 24 Feb 2017  |
| United Nations Open Government Summit   | 7 Dec 2016   |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> ATOP National Convention   | 7 Oct 2016   |
| Effective Urban Infrastructure Programming Course   | 5 Feb 2015   |
| 2015 Asia-Pacific Cities Summit and Mayor's Forum   | 5 July 2015  |
| Enhancing Including LED and Good Governance in AEC  | 9 Dec 2014   |
| Municipal Leadership and Governance Program (Module II)   | 11 Nov 2014  |
| Orientation for Local Chief Executive and DILG XI Field Officers on BUB   | 25 Oct 2014  |
| Regional Convergence of LGU Competitiveness   | 9 Oct 2014   |
| National Multi-Sectoral Consultations for the Review of the 1991 Local Government Code (Mindanao Leg)                     | 30 Sept 2014 |
| Joint Conference on "Asia Development Dialogue: Building Resilience and Effective Governance of Emerging Cities in ASEAN" | 31 Mar 2014  |
| Crafting High Quality Ordinances and Resolution and Codification of Local Ordinances                                      | 20 June 2012 |
| Orientation and Workshop on the Formulation of the Integrated Area/Community Public Safety Plan for CY 2012               | 8 Nov 2011   |
| Battalion Commanders and Staff Seminar  | 17 July 2010 |
| Executive – Legislative Conference  | 24 Sept 2010 |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> Module of the Academy of Presiding Officer  | 25 Feb 2010  |
| Study Tour on Governance and the Environment  |              |

***Award and Honors Received***

| <b>Name of Award</b> | <b>Award-Giving Body</b>    | <b>Year Received</b> |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Bronze Tamaraw Award | BSP National Court of Honor | 2016                 |
| Gold Usa Award       | BSP National Court of Honor | 2013                 |
| Silver Usa Award     | BSP National Court of Honor | 2011                 |
| Bronze Usa Award     | BSP National Court of Honor | 2006                 |

|                       |                        |      |
|-----------------------|------------------------|------|
| Gold Medal of Merit   | BSP Tagum City Council | 2003 |
| Silver Medal of Merit | BSP Tagum City Council | 1999 |
| Bronze Medal of Merit | BSP Tagum City Council | 1996 |

***Statement of Support for Mr. Allan L. Rellon's Candidacy:***

Mr. Rellon has been at the forefront of the Scouting Movement in Tagum City and in the Davao region for more than three (3) decades now – from childhood, up until today. He is a strong believer of Scouting as a vital component in plotting the collective goal to strengthen and develop the skills and the character of our young boys and girls.

Allan's outstanding track record in hosting big events for the Boy Scouts of the Philippines is exemplary and unparalleled, something that befits the Scouting capital of the Philippines. From the hosting of Regional Jamborees, trainings and seminars, to the successful hosting of the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual National Council Meeting and the 16<sup>th</sup> National Scout Jamboree in 2015, time and again has he proven his competencies and his dedication to the cause of Scouting, mobilizing the entire City Government of Tagum to support the Scouting Movement.

This year, he will once again be at the limelight as he chairs the host council of the 6<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Scout Jamboree and the 58<sup>th</sup> Annual National Scout Executives Conference.

His placement in the National Executive Board as a regular member assures us of the continued innovation in the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.

Allan's commitment in the Scout Movement does not end in Tagum City alone. The National Executive Board can do more, with him as its anchor.

Let us once again catapult him to greatness.

# **Election Rules and Procedures**

*Revised and Approved by the National Executive Board on 19 March 2011*

## **I. Who Can Vote**

Only registered and accredited official delegates who shall be identified by proper identification or credentials and IDs can vote. Additional votes can be cast only by the head of the delegation during election time or, in his absence, his duly designated representative evidenced by a council board resolution.

NEB Resolution No. 76-2000 dated 16 December 2000 APPROVED that Local Council Scout Executives attending the conference without any member of its Local Council Executive Board shall be allowed to vote in behalf of the council's voting delegate, provided, that a Council Executive Board resolution shall be presented to the conference upon registration.

The additional votes of one (1) for every 10,000 scout membership as of December 31, just ended shall be cast by the Council Chairman or the Delegation Head duly authorized by the Local Council Executive Board.

A Regional Chairman becomes an automatic member of the NEB. He is entitled to only one vote being a member of the NEB.

## **II. Voting**

Voting shall be by secret ballot. Only the accredited official delegate shall be issued a ballot.

By virtue of RA 7278 and the BSP Constitution and By Laws, as amended, official delegates to the Annual National Council Meeting shall elect four (4) members to the National Executive Board to succeed elected members whose terms are expiring this year. All voting delegates should therefore vote for a total of four (4) different officially nominated candidates. Ballots containing less or more than four (4) names shall not be counted.

The four (4) regular votes of the Local Council shall be cast by each of the four (4) accredited delegates present.

There shall be eight (8) voting booths established at the Conference Hall and delegates shall cast their ballots in the designated voting booths corresponding to the first letter of their surname.

The four (4) newly elected members of the National Executive Board in the election shall serve for a term of three (3) years.

## **III. Electioneering**

No one will be allowed in the polling places and their vicinity except the following:

1. Those who are casting their ballots.

2. The Chairman and Members of the Committee on Nominations and Election and Scouters duly deputized by the Election Committee.

At any time during the Annual National Council Meeting, electioneering is strictly prohibited, e.g. (1) distribution of campaign propaganda materials and any giveaways by candidates themselves, by campaign leaders or staff members during the Annual National Council Meeting; (2) campaigning for or against a candidate using the facilities of/or the conference hall of the ANCM; and (3) entertaining of delegates and or offering of breakfast, lunch and dinner within the conference venue. Any violation of the rules shall be sanctioned by:

- (a) disqualification for election on the part of the candidate;
- (b) disqualification from voting on the part of the delegate;
- (c) administrative sanction on the part of the staff member; and
- (d) exclusion from participation in the remaining activities in the Annual National Council Meeting on the part of the observer.

The Head of the Delegation shall be held responsible for the conduct and demeanor of his delegates.

The Election Committee is empowered to enforce this regulation.

#### **IV. Ballots**

Ballots shall be pre-numbered and prepared under the supervision of the Committee on Elections. It must be authenticated at the back by the signature of the Chairman of the Election Committee.

The Election Committee (ELECOM) shall supervise the entire proceedings of the election and shall issue official ballots only to duly registered and accredited delegates.

At the end of the voting, the Election Committee shall canvass the ballots and proclaim the four (4) elected regular members of the National Executive Board.

#### **V. Candidates**

Names of nominees for four (4) Regular Members of the National Executive Board (NEB) shall be printed and distributed to all delegates as part of the Conference Kit.

Nominees will be announced officially by the Chairman of the Nominations Committee

Only those officially nominated shall be eligible for election.

The names of the official candidates listed in alphabetical order with their respective curriculum vitae, shall be distributed to all Councils before the Annual National Council Meeting. This list shall be posted prominently at the polling booths. Candidates should be Scouters of good standing in the Boy Scouts of the Philippines. In case of reelectionists, they should have attended at least fifty percent (50%) of the regular board meeting during their term of office as certified by the Secretary General).

- No member from the host/co-host Council/s may be nominated for election as Member of the National Executive Board except those Members who are reelectionists coming from the host/co-host Council/s.
- Elected Regional Chairman
- Candidates who are not present during the election cannot be voted upon.

Colored pictures of the candidates, size 5" x 7" with the candidate's nomination forms shall be posted, prominently on a billboard at the pre-function area.

When two (2) or more candidates have the same family name, the first name or initials of the candidates should also be written on the ballot; otherwise, the vote for such candidates shall be considered a stray vote.

The candidates must be willing to devote personal time to pursue the objective of the organization and attend all meetings.

## **VI. Proxies**

Proxies shall not be allowed to vote.

## **VII. Inhibition of Members of the Nominations and Election Committee**

Any member of the Election Committee who is nominated and consents to become a candidate shall be considered automatically resigned from the Committee.

## **VIII. List of Registered Delegates**

The Election Committee shall be furnished with the list of registered delegates certified by the Committee on Credentials and Registration which certified copy shall serve as the voter's list and the basis for issuance of ballots.

## **IX. Election of Private Sector Representatives**

Immediately during the first meeting of the National Executive Board duly called for after the closing of the Annual National Council Meeting, as prescribed by Republic Act No. 7278, the Committee on Election shall conduct the election of fifteen (15) private sector representatives to the National Executive Board, e.g. Business (5), Professional (2), Academic (3), Civic (3), Religious Group (1), Media (1). They shall be nominated by the association or organization which they will represent. They will serve as members of the National Executive Board for a term of one year. Losing candidates in the regular election are automatically disqualified to run in the election for Private Sector.

## **X. Election of Officers**

The Election Committee shall conduct the election of officers, President; Senior Vice President; three (3) Vice Presidents representing Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao; National Treasurer; Chief National Commissioner and International Commissioner during the first

meeting of the National Executive Board on any Saturday within the month of June. The officers shall hold office for a term of one year or until their successors are elected and qualified

#### **XI. Decision in Case of Controversy**

Should there arise any question not covered by these rules, the Election Committee shall decide the same in accordance with the BSP By Laws. Their decision on the matter shall be final and executory.

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