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*75 Taong Sandigan ng Mamamayan,
Tapat na Naglilingkod sa Bayan.*

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DND commemorates 114th Civil Service Anniversary



With the theme “Tapat na Serbisyo Alay Ko Dahil Lingkod Bayani Ako,” the Department of National Defense commemorated the 114th anniversary of Philippine Civil Service in an awarding ceremony held on September 29, 2014, at the GHQ Canopy in Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City.

In cooperation with the Civil Service Commission, the DND selected the 2014 Exemplary Supervisors and Employees from the DND Proper, the Armed Forces of the Philippines, the Philippine Veterans Affairs Office, the Veterans Memorial Medical Center, the Office of Civil Defense, the National Defense College of the Philippines, and the Government Arsenal.

The Exemplary Supervisors for 2014 are Rachel C. Bacordo (DND Proper), Engr. Giovanni L. Pangilinan (AFP), Corazon G. Estrañero (PVAO), Johann Giovanni P. Mea, M.D. (VMMC), Bernardo Rafaelito R. Alejandro IV (OCD), Corazon G. Balaan (NDCP), and Diwata F. Losaria (GA).

Meanwhile, the 2014 Exemplary Employees are Elizabeth L. Directo from DND Proper, Rowena F. Decena from AFP, Cinderella S. Wayyas from PVAO, Agapito B. Espelita from VMMC, Ronald L. Villa from OCD, Zenaida A. Taccaban from NDCP, and Ferdinand A. Lingad from GA.

For her contribution in the implementation of the Integrated Personnel Performance Management System (IPPMS) in the DND, Ruthrina S. Gonzales of the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Financial Management was also given a special award by the Civil Service Commission.

On behalf of Defense Secretary Voltaire T. Gazmin, Undersecretary Honorio S. Azcueta enjoined the employees to emulate the example of this year's awardees and continue the legacy of the Department of National Defense as an esteemed institution.

“Bilang bahagi ng Kagawaran ng Tanggulang Pambansa na Pitumpu't-limang Taong Sandigan ng Mamamayan, Tapat na Naglilingkod sa Bayan, ang ating mga kawani ay katuwang sa pagtataguyod at pagpapahusay ng serbisyo publiko,” Undersecretary Azcueta said. #