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Coast Guard Auxiliary District Central Visayas
202nd AUXILIARY SQUADRON
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To : **AUX RADM MANOLITA T FAELNAR PCGA**

District Auxiliary Director, CGADCV
Deputy, National Director for Operations

Via : **CAPT JEROME Y LOZADA PCG**

Station Commander, Coast Guard Station Central Cebu
(Attn: Station Staff for Community Relations Service, S7)

Subj : **AFTER ACTIVITY REPORT**

40th PCGA National Convention and 53rd Anniversary Celebration

Date : APRIL 25-26 2025 at ILOILO CONVENTION CENTER, MANDURIAO, ILOILO CITY

Encl : A. List of Participants / Attendance sheets

B. Pictures taken during the activity

I. **TIME COVERED:** 0730H-2000H, April 25-26 2025

II. **VENUE:** ILOILO CONVENTION CENTER, MANDURIAO, ILOILO CITY

III. **MISSION:**

To participate in the annual PCGA National Convention as PCGA-CGADCV delegates.

IV. **CHRONOLOGICAL EVENTS:**

The 2025 40th PCGA National Convention and its 53rd Anniversary Celebration was held at the Iloilo Convention Center, Manduriao, Iloilo City last 25-26 April 2025. The convention, hosted by the Coast Guard District Western Visayas and the Western Visayas Philippine Coast Guard Auxiliary, carries the theme: PCGA@53: Empowering Volunteers – 53 Years of Patriotism, Courage, Good Governance, and Altruism in Partnership with the PCG. Part of the opening ceremony was the honoring of 30 PCGA members with PCGA Dolphin Plaques and Badges in recognition of their 20 years of exemplary contribution, dedication, and outstanding service. The newest member of the PCG Auxiliary, the Secretary of the Department of Transportation - Philippines (DOTr), Auxiliary Vice Admiral Vivencio B Dizon PCGA, graced the said ceremony as the Guest of Honor and Keynote Speaker. In his address, DOTr Secretary highlighted the unwavering courage and dedication of both the PCG and PCGA, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. "As we speak, there are challenges we face daily on our western shores. The members of the PCG and PCGA are there—volunteering, safeguarding our sovereignty and territory. But beyond that, the PCG goes above and beyond the call of

duty,” he expressed. “This year’s theme embodies the core values of the PCG and PCGA—volunteerism, altruism, and selfless service for the national interest and the welfare of our fellow Filipinos,” he added.

Further, in the National Director’s Night, the Commandant, Philippine Coast Guard, Admiral Ronnie Gil L Gavan PCG was honored with a plaque of recognition from the Auxiliary National Director, acknowledging his support to the PCGA. The Deputy Commandant for Operations, Vice Admiral Edgar Ybañez PCG and other PCG officers were likewise honored with the same award. This 40th PCGA National Convention stands as a testament to the unwavering commitment and unity of PCG and PCGA in service, patriotism, and excellence in safeguarding the nation and its people. It is also a testament of President Ferdinand "Bongbong" Marcos Jr.’s vision of the growing strength of PCGA who will assist the PCG in the promotion of safety of life and property at sea, preservation of the marine environment and its resources, conduct of maritime search and rescue, maintenance of aids to navigation, and other activities enhancing maritime community relations. After the series of plenary talks, the hosting of the Nacon was turned over to CGADSM as the incoming Nacon host for 2026 and the event was officially closed by AUX VADM JORGE G LIM PCGA. In the evening, the PCGA delegates warmly engaged in a fellowship with their PCG counterparts during the Commandant’s Night under the Tribal attire theme.

V. **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Recommended conferment of appropriate awards to all PCGA participants in the said event.



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Enclosure A:

List of 219th CGAS Delegates that Participated in the 40th PCGA National Convention and 53rd Anniversary Celebration at ILOILO CONVENTION CENTER, MANDURIAO, ILOILO CITY last April 25-26 2025

202nd CGAS Delegates:

1. AUX COMMO BETHLEHEM HOLAYSAN JR. PCGA
2. AUX CAPT AUDRIE KYLE HOLAYSAN PCGA
3. AUX CDR ELTON JOHN BALBUTIN PCGA
4. AUX CDR RENEIBOY TEMPLADO PCGA
5. AUX LCDR NIGEL PSALM YAP PCGA
6. AUX LCDR NORMAN BLANCO PCGA
7. AUX LCDR EMMANUEL LETIGO PCGA
8. AUX LTSG EDEL FLORAMAY HAO PCGA
9. AUX LTSG KURT VILLAVER PCGA
10. AUX LTSG OWEN ARES PCGA
11. AUX LTSG ERIC MOLERO PCGA
12. AUX LTSG GERALYN YUNTING PCGA

B. Pictures taken during the activity





