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SOCIAL ACTION CENTER OF PAMPANGA, INC. (SACOP)

Attached herewith is the letter from REV. FR. JUSTIN G. GATUS, MDM, Executive Director, SACOP, launching their resource mobilization campaign through the Charity, Alms and Sharing (CAnS) project, in support of their various social welfare programs of the Catholic Church.

Moreover, participation of the activity is purely VOLUNTARY.

For your information and guidance.

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Dear Sir Alip,

Fullness of life be with you!

The Alay Kapwa is an evangelization-resource mobilization-fund utilization program of the Catholic Bishop's Conference of the Philippines (CBCP) launched annually in all dioceses throughout the country. It is an opportunity for the people, who have more, to share their time, talent and treasures for the benefit of the people, who have less. It is also the primary source of funds for the various social welfare programs of the Catholic Church.

In the Archdiocese of San Fernando, Alay Kapwa supports the different social welfare services implemented by the Social Action Center of Pampanga, Inc. (SACOP), and these are:

- a) Scholarship grants and educational privileges in college and universities for poor students;
- b) Health and medical assistance program that gives access to quality health care services and,
- c) Immediate response in times of calamities through disaster monitoring and emergency relief assistance.

This year, we will be intensifying our resource mobilization campaign to include, not only the parishes, archdiocesan schools, private and public, but also the business community in the province through our CAnS (Charity, Alms n Sharing) Project. We intend to expand our operations to reach out to the growing number of the poor and marginalized in our society.

We express our heartfelt gratitude for your continued support and partnership in the mission of bringing fullness of life to the people of Pampanga. Should you have questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact us.

Thank you for your time, consideration, and unwavering support.

Very truly your

REV. FR. JUSTIN G. GATUS, MDM Executive Director, SACOP