Republic of the Philippines
COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS
Intramuros, Manila

EN BANC

PETITION FOR REGISTRATION OF JUAN PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG (JUAN PINOY) FOR PARTY-LIST REPRESENTATION IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

SPP No. 21-238 (PL)

JUAN PINOY, HEREIN REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRPERSON, MARTIN ROMANO NIETO,

Petitioner.

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ORDER

Acting on the *Resolution* of the Supreme Court in G.R. No. 258455 (*Juan-Pinagkaisang Ordinaryong Mamamayan Para Yumabong or Juan Pinoy vs. Commission on Elections*) dated 01 March 2022 and received on 09 June 2022 and pursuant to *Minute Resolution No. 23-0040*,[1] the Commission (*En Banc*) hereby **DIRECTS** the Petitioner to **PUBLISH** its *Petition for Registration* and the attached *Manifestation of Intent to Participate* therein, together with the instant *Order*, in two (2) national newspapers of general circulation.

Any interested party may file with the Office of the Clerk of the Commission (OCOC) a verified petition seeking the cancellation of registration/accreditation of the Petitioner, pursuant to Rule 2, Section 3, of COMELEC Resolution No. 9366,[2] as amended.

Further, the Petitioner is **DIRECTED** to submit its *Compliance* and proof of publication in accordance with COMELEC Resolution No. 10673.[3]

SO ORDERED.

Given this 20 FEB 2023, in the City of Manila, Philippines.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

GEORGE ERWIN M. GARCIA
Chairman

[1] In the Matter of the Party-list Registrations Granted by the Supreme Court and the COMELEC *En Banc*, promulgated on 25 January 2023.

[2] Rules and Regulations Governing the: 1) Filing of Petitions for Registration; 2) Filing of Manifestation of Intent to Participate; 3) Submission of Names of Nominees; And 4) Filing of Disqualification Cases Against Nominees of Party-List Groups or Organizations Participating Under the Party-List System of Representation in Connection with the May 13, 2013 National and Local Elections, and Subsequent Elections Thereafter, promulgated on 21 February 2012.

[3] In Re: Guidelines on Electronic Filing, Conduct of Hearings/Investigation/Inquiries Via Video Conference, and Service, promulgated on 25 June 2020.

ANNEX "E-1"

SPP NO. _____(PLM)
Received:
Date/Hour
By:

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MANIFESTATION OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PARTY-LIST SYSTEM OF REPRESENTATION IN THE MAY 9, 2022 ELECTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS: (Read well before filling up this form)
1. File this in TWELVE (12) LEGIBLE copies.
2. File this manifestation with the Office of the Clerk of the Commission, COMELEC, Intramuros, Manila, Starting from 8:00 o'clock in the morning up to 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon until _____
3. Its manifestation shall include the required attestation before a Notary Public or any official authorized to administer oath. COMELEC officials are not authorized to administer oath.

The undersigned hereby manifests the party's / organization's / Coalition's intention to participate in the party-list system of representation in the May 9, 2022 elections; and after having been sworn to in accordance with law, hereby state the following:

1. THE FULL NAME OF THE PARTY/ORGANIZATION/COALITION OF PARTIES IS: JUAN - PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG

2. ITS ACRONYM: JUAN PINOY

3. IT WAS REGISTERED:
3.1 As: SECTORAL ORGANIZATION (Sectoral Party / Organization / Coalition / Political Party)
3.2 On: N/A (Month) (Day) (Year)

4. ITS PLACE OF ORGANIZATION: MANILA

5. ITS FOUNDERS ARE:
1. MARTIN R. NIETO
2. RODOLFO B. ESPIRITU JR.
3. RICHARD S. QUERIDO
4. ALEX S. SALAMAT
5. ELIZA MARIE DJ. DELOS SANTOS
6. SHAUD D. RODRIGUEZ
7. BENJAMIN JAMES F. VIRIÑA
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6. ITS OFFICERS ARE:
1. MARTIN R. NIETO - PRESIDENT/CHAIRMAN
2. RODOLFO F. BALBOA JR. - SECRETARY GENERAL
3. LORNA CRUZ JOVERO - TREASURER
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7. ITS PRINCIPAL HEADQUARTERS: 2ND FLOOR 314 C.M. RECTO AVE. BINONDO MANILA

8. ITS POSTAL ADDRESS IS: 2ND FLOOR 314 C.M. RECTO AVE. BINONDO MANILA

9. ITS CONSTITUENCY/IES: URBAN POOR

10. PERIOD OF EXISTENCE:
10.1 From time of Registration 04 (No. of Months) 01 (No. of Years)
10.2 Ceased to exist from a period of one (1) year from time of Registration ☐ Yes ☐ No ■ N/A

11. PARTICIPATION:
11.1 It failed to participate in the last two (2) preceding elections ☐ Yes ☐ No ■ N/A
11.2 It failed to obtain at least two per centrum (2%) of the votes cast in the two (2) preceding elections for the constituency in which it has registered. However, this shall not apply if a party, although receiving less than two per centrum (2%) of votes under the party-list system in the May 2016 and May 13, 2019 National Elections, was allocated a seat during said election pursuant to the Decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Barangay Association for National Advancement and Transparency (BANAT) vs. Commission on Elections, G.R. No. 179295, as well as, the Resolutions of the Commission implementing the said Decision. ☐ Yes ☐ No ■ N/A

I hereby certify that the facts stated herein are true and correct of my own personal knowledge.

MARTIN R. NIETO
President/Chairman/Secretary General

ATTESTATION

I, MARTIN R. NIETO, the PRESIDENT/CHAIRMAN of the JUAN-PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG (JUAN PINOY) of legal age, and with postal address at 320 C. M. RECTO AVE. BINONDO, MANILA after having duly sworn to in accordance with law, hereby depose and state that:

1. I am one of the officers of the JUAN-PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG (JUAN PINOY) duly authorized to verify the foregoing Manifestation;
2. I have caused the foregoing Manifestation to be prepared and filed with the Commission on Elections; and
3. I have read and understood the contents thereof and acknowledge that the same are true and correct based on my personal knowledge.

MARTIN R. NIETO
President/Chairman/Secretary General

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature this _____ day of _____, 2020, affiant exhibiting to me his/her CTC/Identification Card No. P1013799A, issued by: DFA Manila on: 19 Dec 2016.

EVITA MAGNOLIA I. ANSALDO
NOTARY PUBLIC on City
Until 30th June 2021
IBP No. _____
PTR No. Makati No. 12-28-2019-2020
Adm. Matter No. NP-29-(2019-2020)
Unit 701 FSS Building I 16 Scout Tuason cor. Scout Castor Sts. Brgy. Laging Handa, Quezon City
Roll No. _____
MCLE Compliance No. _____
Roll of Attorney No. 61215
MCLE Compliance No. VI-0016901/01-18-2019

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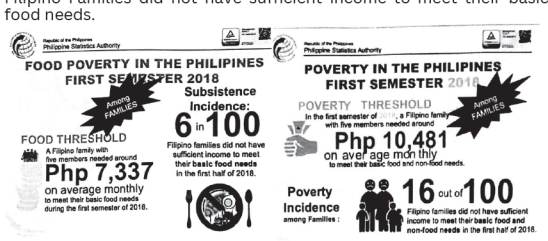
REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS
Manila
____ DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE REGISTRATION OF "JUAN - PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG" or "JUAN PINOY" AS A REGIONAL SECTORAL ORGANIZATION UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7941, REPRESENTING THE URBAN POOR SECTOR BASED IN NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR). SPP No. _____ (PL)
JUAN - PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG ("JUAN PINOY"), Petitioner.

PETITION FOR REGISTRATION

PETITIONER JUAN – PINAGKAISIANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG ("JUAN PINOY") through the undersigned counsel and before this Honorable Commission, respectfully states: **I. PRELIMINARIES 1**. PETITIONER JUAN PINOY is a regional sectoral organization that exists and operates in the National Capital Region or "NCR", which is composed of sixteen (16) cities(1) and one (1) municipality.(2) **2**. Its principal headquarters and postal office address is at 2nd floor, 314 C.M Recto Ave., Binondo, Manila. PETITIONER's official email address is <juanpinoy0919@gmail.com>. However, for purposes of this petition, it may be served with summons, orders and other notices of the Honorable Commission at the email address and/or office address of its undersigned counsel. **3**. For this purpose, PETITIONER is represented in this Petition by its Chairman, Martin Romano Nieto, who has been authorized to represent, verify and file the instant Petition before the Honorable Commission as proven by Board Resolution No. 5, Series of 2021, which was approved by PETITIONER's Board of Trustees in a meeting held on March 10, 2021. The copy of its Board of Trustee's Resolution No. 5, Series of 2021 is attached as ANNEX "A." **II. NATURE OF THE PETITION 4**. That this is a Petition for Party-list Registration filed pursuant to Section 5 of Republic Act no. 7941 and complying with the procedure laid down in Rule I of Comelec Resolution No. 9366, as follows: **SEC. 6**. Petition for Registration, Contents. The petition for registration shall be verified and shall state the following: (**a**) name and acronym of the petitioner, with the acronym not exceeding twenty (20) characters; (**b**) nature of the organization: whether it is a sectoral party, sectoral organization, political party or coalition; (**c**) the sector or sectors which it seeks to represent; (**d**) the name and address of its President/Chairman or, in his absence, the Secretary- General, who will represent the party in the petition; (**e**) petitioners principal headquarters and postal address; (**f**) names, positions, and addresses of its elected officers; (**g**) petitioners intention or desire to participate in the party-list election; (**h**) names and addresses of its chapter offices; (**i**) that all of its officers and members are made aware of the petition and have given their consent thereto; (**j**) the list of documents attached to the petition; (**k**) names, addresses and representatives of sectoral parties or organizations affiliated with the petitioner, which affiliates need not be registered with the Commission, but have given their consent thereto; (**l**) that it is not a religious sect or denomination, organization or association organized for religious purposes; (**m**) that it shall not advocate violence or unlawful means to achieve its goals; (**n**) that it is not an adjunct or a project organized or an entity funded or assisted by the government; (**o**) that it is not a foreign party or organization; (**p**) that it does not receive support for partisan political purposes from any foreign government, foreign political party, foundation, organization, whether directly or indirectly, or through it officers or members, or indirectly through third parties; (**q**) the period of existence of petitioner, which shall be at least one (1) year at the time the petition is filed; and (**r**) that it commits to comply with the laws, rules and regulations relating to elections. The President/Chairman or, in his absence, the Secretary- General representing the party shall affix his signature on the verification portion of the petition stating under oath that he is one of the officers of the petitioner duly authorized to verify the petition; that he has caused the preparation and filing of the petition; and that he read and understood the contents of the petition and acknowledge the same to be true and correct based on his personal knowledge. **SEC. 7**. Documents to support petition for registration. The following documents shall support petitions for registration: (**a**. Constitution and by-laws as an organization seeking registration under the party-list system of representation; (**b**. Platform or program of government; (**c**. List of all its officers and members (national, regional, provincial, city/municipal) particularly showing that the majority of its membership and officers belong to the marginalized and underrepresented sector/s it seeks to represent; (**d**. Manifestation of intent to participate in the next immediately succeeding national and local elections, and list of at least five (5) nominees; (**e**. Articles of Incorporation, by-laws and Certificate of Registration issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), if registered therewith. (**f**. Track record summary showing that it represents and seeks to uplift the marginalized and underrepresented sector/s it seeks to represent; (**g**. Coalition agreement, if any, and the detailed list of affiliates comprising the coalition, including the signed coalition agreement; (**h**. Sworn proof/s of existence in the areas where the organization is claiming representation; and (**i**. Other information required by the Commission. A filing fee of Ten Thousand Pesos (P 10,000.00), and a legal research fee of One Hundred Pesos (P 100.00) shall be charged for each petition." **5**. That in Atong Paglaum vs. Comelec (G.R. No. 203766, April 2, 2013), the Supreme Court clarified the above rules and adopted the following "new" party-list registration parameters: "... [T]he COMELEC shall adhere to the following parameters: **1**. Three different groups may participate in the party-list system: (1) national parties or organizations, (2) regional parties or organizations, and (3) sectoral parties or organizations. **2**. National parties or organizations and regional parties or organizations do not need to organize along sectoral lines and do not need to represent any "marginalized and underrepresented" sector. **3**. Political parties can participate in party-list elections provided they register under the party-list system and do not field candidates in legislative district elections. A political party, whether major or not, that fields candidates in legislative district elections can participate in party-list elections only through its sectoral wing that can separately register under the party-list system. The sectoral wing is by itself an independent sectoral party,and is linked to a political party through a coalition. **4**. Sectoral parties or organizations may either be "marginalized and underrepresented" or lacking in "well-defined political constituencies." It is enough that their principal advocacy pertains to the special interest and concerns of their sector. The sectors that are "marginalized and underrepresented" include labor, peasant, fisherfolk, urban poor, indigenous cultural communities, handicapped, veterans, and overseas workers. The sectors that lack "well-defined political constituencies" include professionals, the elderly, women, and the youth sectors that lack "well-defined political constituencies" include professionals, the elderly, women, and the youth. **5**. A majority of the members of sectoral parties or organizations that represent the "marginalized and underrepresented" must belong to the "marginalized and underrepresented" sector they represent. Similarly, a majority of the members of sectoral parties or organizations that lack "well-defined political constituencies" must belong to the sector they represent. The nominees of sectoral parties or organizations that represent the "marginalized and underrepresented," or that represent those who lack "well-defined political constituencies," either must belong to their respective sectors, or must have a track record of advocacy for their respective sectors. The nominees of national and regional parties or organizations must be bona-fide members of such parties or organizations. **6**. National, regional, and sectoral parties or organizations shall not be disqualified if some of their nominees are disqualified, provided that they have at least one nominee who remains qualified." **6**. Thus, following Republic Act No. 7941, Comelec Resolution No. 9366 and the Atong Paglaum parameters, PETITIONER is seeking to REGISTER as a REGIONAL SECTORAL ORGANIZATION and praying that it be given all the rights and privileges appurtenant thereto. **III.BRIEF BACKGROUND OF THE ORGANIZATION 7**. PETITIONER JUAN PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG ("JUAN PINOY") is composed of both members and advocates of promoting the rights and interests of the urban poor sector. The Party was organized to serve as a voice to empower the urban poor sector and to push for reforms and policies that aim to provide better opportunities for those who are in the urban poor sector. **8**. The Party believes that true economic progress cannot be achieved if the urban poor, the very sector which lives within the limits of business and government centers of the economy, are left unattended, neglected, or even abused. **9**. Section 3 of Republic Act No. 8425(3) (RA 8425) defines the following terms, to wit: (**o**) "Poor" - Refers to individuals and families whose income fall below the poverty threshold as defined by the National Economic and Development Authority and/ or cannot afford in a sustained manner to provide their minimum basic needs of food, health, education, housing and other essential amenities of life; (**q**)"Absolute poverty" — Refers to the condition of the household below the food threshold level; (**r**) "Relative poverty" — Refers to the gap between the rich and the poor; (**u**) "Urban poor" - Refers to individuals or families residing in urban centers and urbanizing areas whose income or combined household income falls below the poverty threshold as defined by the National Economic and Development Authority and/ or cannot afford in a sustained manner to provide their minimum basic needs of food, health, education, housing and other essential amenities of life; **10**.According to the Philippine Statistics Authority(4) (PSA), in the first semester of 2018, a family of five needed no less than P7,337.00, on the average, to meet the family's basic food needs for a month. This amount is the "food threshold." On the otherhand, no less than P10,481.00, on the average, was needed to meet both basic food and non-food needs of a family of five in a month. This amount is the "poverty threshold." These are 10.9% higher than the food and poverty thresholds from the first semester of2015. **11**.Further, the PSA mentioned that food threshold is the minimum income required to meet the basic food needs, satisfying the nutritional requirements set by the Food and Nutrition Research Institute (FNRI) to ensure that one remains economically and socially productive. On the other hand, poverty threshold is the minimum income required to meet the basic food and non-food needs such as clothing, fuel, light and water, housing, rental of occupied dwelling units, transportation and communication, health and education expenses, non-durable furnishing, household operations and personal care and effects. **12**. According to the Official Poverty Statistics(5) of PSA, in 2018, 16 out of 100 Filipino families did not have sufficient income to meet their basic food and non-food needs. Further, in the same year, 6 out of 100 Filipino Families did not have sufficient income to meet their basic food needs.



13. Among the 17 regions in the Philippines, NCR, which currently has a population of close to 14 million has the highest poverty incidence rate in the country.(6) It is under this context that PETITIONER was formed, to find solutions or, at the very least, mitigate the effects of poverty not only by direct community engagement, but through effective political representation, which it now seeks through the party-list elections. **IV. LIST OF DOCUMENTS ATTACHED TO THE PETITION FOR REGISTRATION 14**. That in support of this application for registration, PETITIONER attaches, at the outset, the following mandatory/jurisdictional documents required in Rule I Section 7 of COMELEC Resolution No. 9366. These documents will be repeatedly referred to throughout the petition following their proposed markings, as follows: | **MANDATORY ATTACHMENT – ANNEX** | **a**.) Board Resolution authorizing the Chairman to represent the party-list for the filing with the COMELEC of petition for registration - ANNEX "A" | **b**.) Constitution and by-laws as an organization seeking registration under the party-list system of representation - ANNEX "B" Constitution and By- Laws of JUAN PINOY | **c**.) Platform or program of government - ANNEX "C" | **d**.) List of all its officer and members (national regional, provincial, city/municipal) particularly showing that majority of its membership and officers belong to the marginalized and underrepresented sector/s it seeks to represent - ANNEX "D" - SWORN AFFIDAVIT (CERTIFYING THE LIST OF OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LIST AND NUMBER OF MEMBERS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE SECTORS) With the following sub-annexes: ANNEX "D-1" Organizational chart/structure of PETITIONER listing its officers, and coordinators throughout the NCR ANNEX "D-2"- Master list of members and their address ANNEX "D-3" - Membership forms of JUAN PINOY ANNEX "D-4"- Summary of the respective sectors of the members of PETITIONER, classified per city | **e**.) Manifestation of intent to participate in the next immediately succeeding national and local elections, and list of at least five (5) nominees - ANNEX "E" Board Resolution authorizing the filing of its Manifestation of Intent to Participate and selecting its five (5) nominees who shall be issued the corresponding Certificate of Nomination. With the following sub-annexes: ANNEX "E-1" - Manifestation of intent to Participate ANNEX "E-2" - Certificate of Nomination ANNEX "E-3" - Certificate of Acceptance.| **f**.) Articles of Incorporation, by-laws and Certificate of Registration issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), if registered therewith – That PETITIONER is not registered worth the SEC, hence, this requirement does not apply. | **g**.) Track record summary showing that it represents and seek to uplift marginalized and underrepresented sector/s it seeks to present - ANNEX "F"- Summary of Activities of JUAN PINOY with the following sub-annexes: ANNEX "F-1"- Photographs of PETITIONER's activities and meetings ANNEX "F-2"- Affidavits executed to authenticate the attached photographs of PETITIONER's activities and meetings | **h**.) Financial Statements of JUAN PINOY- ANNEX "G" - Financial Statements of JUAN PINOY for the Period of January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020. | **i**.) Coalition agreement, if any, and the detailed list of affiliates comprising the coalition, including the signed coalition agreement – ANNEX "H" – Coalition Agreements | **j**.) Sworn proof/s of existence in the areas where the organization is claiming representation – ANNEX I SWORN AFFIDAVIT(PROVING EXISTENCE OF JUAN PINOY IN THE NCR) with the following sub- annexes: ANNEX "I-1" - Board Resolution authorizing the execution of sworn proof of existence in the areas where the organization is claiming representation ANNEX "I-2" - List of Regional, City and Municipal Chapter Offices all over the NCR ANNEX "I-3" - Photographs of PETITIONER's Regional, City and Municipal Chapter Offices all over the NCR ANNEX "I-4"- Affidavits executed to authenticate the attached Photographs of PETITIONER's Regional, City and Municipal Chapter Offices all over the NCR | **k**.) Sworn proof/s that all of its officers and members are made aware of the petition and have given their consent thereto- ANNEX "J"- Board Resolution authorizing/mandating that all its officer and members be informed and made aware of the petition and to obtain their approval and consent thereto. ANNEX "J-1" - JOINT SWORN AFFIDAVIT MANIFESTING CONSENT executed by PETITIONER's Corporate Officers and Board of Directors ANNEX "J-2"- Board Resolution confirming the result of the consultation ANNEX "J-3"- Summarized result of the collated "Consent Forms" arranged per city ANNEX "J-4"- Actual consent forms signed by all members arranged by city/ municipality. | **15**. That in addition to these mandatory documents, PETITIONER manifests that it shall be ready, able and willing to provide any other information or document that will required by the Honorable Commission. **V. FOUNDATION, NATURE AND OFFICERS OF THE ORGANIZATION 16.** PETITIONER is a REGIONAL SECTORAL ORGANIZATION based in the National Capital Region ("NCR"), that seeks to register to participate in the 2022 Party-ListElection and in the succeeding party-list elections. **17**.PETITIONER is composed of the "marginalized and underrepresented sector" of the urban poor. JUAN PINOY is composed of both members and advocates of promoting the rights and interests of the urban poor sector. **18**. PETITIONER registering following the fourth (4th) registration parameter set by the Supreme Court in Atong Paglaum vs. Comelec (G.R. No. 203766, April 2, 2013), as follows: "**4**. Sectoral parties or organizations may either be "marginalized and underrepresented" or lacking in "well-defined political constituencies." It is enough that their principal advocacy pertains to the special interest and concerns of their sector. The sectors that are "marginalized end underrepresented" include labor, peasant, fisherfolk, urban poor, indigenous cultural communities, handicapped, veterans, and overseas workers. The sectors that include professionals, the elderly, women, and the youth." **19**. The full name and acronym of PETITIONER, which were unanimously adopted by its members, are "JUAN- PINAGKAISANG ORDINARYONG MAMAMAYAN PARA YUMABONG" and " JUAN PINOY " respectively.Its acronym "JUAN PINOY" only has ten (10) characters (including the space) and does not exceed the maximum of twenty (20) characters set by the COMELEC Rules. **20**. That PETITIONER has been existing since its founding on November 30,2019 when in its first General Assembly held in Manila City adopted its Constitution and By-Laws and, thereafter,held the elections of its Board of Trustees.The copy of PETITIONER's Constitution and By-Laws is attached hereto, as ANNEX "B." **21**. Counted from November 30, 2019, PETITIONER has been existing for ONE (1) YEAR and FOUR (4) MONTHS as of the time of this filing. Thus, PETITIONER satisfies the minimum period of existence required in Rule I Section 6 (q) of Comelec Resolution No. 9366 which is "at least one (1) year at the time the petition is filed." **22**. In that November 30, 2019 General Assembly, the members attending have voted at large for the Board of Trustees, as follows: | **JUAN PINOY BOARD OF TRUSTEES 2019-2024** | **NAME – ADDRESS** | Martin Romano Nieto – 320 C. M. RectoAve., Binondo, Manila | Rodolfo Fong Balboa Jr - 1721 Quiricada St. Sta. Cruz, Manila | Lorna Cruz Jovero - # 27 Mira Nila Homes, Quezon City | Richard Silapan Querido - Park Avenue, Townhouses 20th Ave, Cubao Quezon City | Jay F. Viriña - 35 Byron Filinvest 2, Batasan Hills, Quezon City | Rodolfo B. Espiritu Jr. - Block 55, Ilaw Street Barangay Tomana, Marikina City | Shaun D. Rodriguez - 18 Jasper Montgomery , Quezon City | Alex S. Santos - 11 Pascual Street, Barangay San Agustin, Malabon City | Eliza Marie D. Delo Santos - #9 Unit C Pamville Residences, Isla Homel Pinagbuhatan, Pasig City | **23**.That among the members of the Board of Trustees, the following corporate officers have been voted among them. **JUAN PINOY ELECTED OFFICERS 2019-2024** | **NAME - POSITION - ADDRESS - EMAIL** | Martin Romano Nieto - Chairman - 320 C. M. Recto Ave., Binondo, Manila - glennnieto@gmail.com | Rodolfo Fong Balboa Jr. - Secretary General - 1721 Quiricada St. Sta. Cruz, Manila - jhayrfongbalboa@gmail.com | Lorna Cruz Jovero – Treasurer - # 27 Mira Nila Homes, Quezon City - lornacruzjovero@gmail.com | **24**. Aside from the Board of Trustees and Corporate Officers, PETITIONER has city Coordinators/Tagapangasiwa in-charge of the different city chapters. The organizational chart/structure of PETITIONER listing its officers and coordinators throughout NCR is attached hereto, as ANNEX "D-1." **25**. That after its foundation, PETITIONER has regularly conducted in-person meetings, consultations, lectures, trainings, seminars and outreach programs that benefit the sectors that it seeks to represent. A summary of PETITIONER's organizational activities and meetings is hereto attached, as ANNEX "F-1". Meanwhile, the affidavits executed to authenticate said photographs to make them admissible as evidence is hereto attached, as ANNEX "F-2." **VI. MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION AND THEIR SECTORS 26**. That as of this filing, PETITIONER has 3,367 members who are form or working in the NCR. The master list of the PETITIONER's 3,367 members stating their names, address, and their respective sectors is hereto attached, as ANNEX "D-2". **27**. That membership forms of the 3,367 members of PETITIONER which has their personal details, contact information, photographs, specimen signatures and occupation/affiliation are attached as ANNEX "D-3." **28**. The 3,367 members of PETITIONER are spread in thirteen (13) out of the sixteen (16) Local Government Units (LGUs) comprising the National Capital Region, specifically, in the cities of manila, Caloocan, Las Piñas, Makati, Malabon, Marikina, Navotas, Parañaque, Pasig, Quezon City, San Juan, Taguig and Valenzuela. This satisfies the minimum requirement of the COMELEC Rules that for an organization to register as a regional party-list, it must have members forming into chapters in at least the majority of the cities and municipalities comprising the region. **29**. The summary of the distribution of JUAN PINOY's members across the NCR is as follows: | **CITY/ MUNICIPALITY – NO. OF MEMBERS** | **a**. Manila – 2598 | **b**. Caloocan – 126 | **c.** Las Piñas – 61 | **d**. Makati – 54 | **e**. Malabon – 42 | **f**. Marikina – 18 | **g**. Navotas – 28 | **h**. Parañaque – 30 | **i**. pasig – 18 | **j**. Quezon City – 145 | **k**. San juan – 154 | **l**. Taguig – 28 | **m**. Valenzuela – 65 | **Total** – 3,367 MEMBERS | **30**. In terms of membership, PETITIONER is primarily composed of members who are "urban poor" and living or working in the National Capital Region. Republic Act No. 8425 defines "urban poor" as "those or families residing in urban centers and urbanizing areas whose income OT Combined household income falls below the poverty threshold as defined by the National Economic and Development Authority and/or cannot afford in a sustained manner to provide their minimum basic needs of food, health, education, housing and other essential amenities of life." PETITIONER, however, also opened its membership to those who are not urban poor, but consider themselves as advocates of the rights and interests of the urban poor. **31**. The distribution of the sectors of the members are as follows: | **CLASSIFICATION ACCORDING TO INCOME – CLASSIFICATION JOB STATUS** | **CHAPTERS -BELOW FOOD THRESHOLD – ABOVE THE FOOD THRESHOLD BUT BELOW POVERTY THRESHOLD – ABOVE THE POVERTY THRESHOLD – MAY TRABAHO – WALANG TRABAHO – TOTAL** | **Manila** – 378 – 139 – 115 – 632 – 1966 – 2598 | **Caloocan** – 24 – 5 – 5 – 34 – 92 – 126 | **Las Piñas** – 2 – 3 – 2 – 7 – 54 – 61 | **Makati** – 12 – 9 – 4 – 25 – 29 – 54 | **Malabon** – 7 – 5 – 1 – 13 – 29 – 42 | **Marikina** – 2 – 1 – 1 – 4 – 14 – 18 | **Navotas** – 7 – 0 – 2 – 9 – 19 – 28 | **Parañaque** – 2 – 0 – 3 – 5 – 25 – 30 | **Pasig** – 2 – 2 – 4 – 8 – 10 – 18 | **Quezon City** – 17 – 6 – 6 – 6 29 – 116 – 145 | **San Juan** – 18 – 14 – 1 – 33 – 121 – 154 | **Taguig** – 0 – 4 – 2 – 6 – 22 – 28 | **Valenzuela** – 24 – 5 – 0 – 29 – 36 – 65 | **Total** – 495 – 193 – 146 – 834 – 2,533 – 3,367 | The summary of the respective sectors of the members of the PETITIONER classified per city was previously attached as ANNEX "D-3". **32**. That out of the 3,367 members of PETITIONER, 2,533thereof or 75.23% have declared in their membership forms that they are UNEMPLOYED ("walang trabaho") and, hence, automatically treated as below both the food and poverty threshold. **33**. The 834 members or 24.76% of the total membership who declared in their membership forms to be EMPLOYED ("may trabaho") were further classified depending on the amount of their monthly income. Out of the 834 members who are employed, 495members or 59.35% thereof have declared that they are earning below the amount corresponding to the food threshold (i.e. P7,337),while 193 members or 23.14% thereof have declared to be earning above the food threshold (i,e, 337) but still below the poverty threshold (i,e, P10,482). **34**. The remaining 146 members or 17.5% of the 834 employed members are earning above the poverty threshold (i.e. P10,481) were treated NOT as "urban poor," but as advocates of the sector. **35**. The following is PETITIONER's general membership profile based on the above discussion, summarized in the table below (should be viewed from left to right): | **SUMMARY OF MEMBERS** | 3,367 MEMBERS (Total JUAN PINOY members – URBAN POOR MEMBERS – 3,221 MEMBERS (Urban Poor Members) – 2,533 MEMBERS (unemployed) – 193 MEMBERS (Income below Poverty Threshold but above Food threshold) – 495 MEMBERS (Income below Food Threshold) | ADVOCATES OF THE POOR SECTOR – 146 MEMBERS (Employed and with Income above Poverty Threshold) | **36**. Hence, out of the total number of its 3,367 members, 3,221 members or 95.66% are urban poor and only 146 members or 4.33% are advocates. With this, PETITIONER JUAN PINOY has complied with the fifth (5) registration parameter set by the Supreme Court in Atong Paglaum as. Comelec (G.R. No. 203766, April 2, 2013), as follows:"**5**. A majority of the members of sectoral parties or organizations that represent the "marginalized and underrepresented" must belong to the "marginalized and underrepresented" sector they represent. Similarly, a majority of the members of sectoral parties or organizations that lack "well-defined political constituencies" must belong to the sector they represent. " **VII. CHAPTER OFFICES 37**. Apart from having members spread throughout the NCR, PETITIONER can, likewise, prove its presence in the NCR through its city and chapter offices established throughout the majority of the local government units comprising the NCR. **38**.The addresses of PETITIONER's regional office and chapter offices per city and the names of their respectiveCity Coordinators (Tagapangasiwa) and Secretaries are as follows: | **REGIONAL OFFICE** | **ADDRESS – SECRETARY GENERAL** | NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION – 2nd floor, 314 C.M Recto Ave, Binondo, Manila – Rodolfo F.Balboa, Jr. | CITY CHAPTERS | **CITY CHAPTERS – ADDRESS – CITY COORDINATOR (TAGAPANGASIWA) – SECRETARY** | **MANILA** - 438 J. Nepomuceno Street, Quiapo, Manila – Yolanda O. tangog – Vilma C. Pascua | **CALOOCAN** - 1582 Suwato Street, Area I, Maypajo Caloocan – Ligaya V. Banta – Ma. Vena Papasin | **LAS PINAS** - Blk 15 Lot 23 Dili Street, Dolden Albes, Las Pinas City – Paolo Molina – John Jube Alegado | **MAKATI** - 3358 Davila Street, Brgy. Sta. Cruz, Makati City - Josefino Lopez – Rebecca Jamias | **MALABON** - 826 Letre Tonsuya, Malabon City - John Castro – Thelma Dela Cruz | **MARIKINA** - Blk 58 Ilaw Street, Doña Petra,L Tumana, Marikina City – Ajay Barican – Leah Loway | **NAVOTAS** - Blk. 74 Lot 39 Brgy Nbb' Navotas City – Gracell U. Reyes – Marissa Alcantara | **PARANAQUE** - 02 Lino Type Street, 4 Estate Subdivision, Paranaque City – Maricel Salvadora – Maricel Ignacio | **PASIG** – 195 Lupang, Pari, Pasig City – Annalyn Colores – Maricel Victorino | **QUEZON CITY** – 313 Npc Mendez Road, Baesa Quezon City –Ma. Edesa Miano – Juvelyn Sipada | **SAN JUAN** – 33 H Road 6, 1st West Crame, San Juan City – Armenia Q. Vital – Rosalinda Almoite | **TAGUIG** - 9003 San Francisco Street, Katipunan Village, Taguig City – Gabriel Flor – Norma Saludes | **VALENZUELA** – 10- A Fernando Street Valenzuela City – Tricia Paulin Layug – John Ernest Layug | **VIII. STATEMENT OF TRACK RECORD 39**. Pursuant to its Constitution and By-laws, PETITIONER has accomplished an exemplary track record showing that it represents and seeks to uplift the marginalized sector of the urban poor that it seeks to represent. **40**. That after its foundation to this date, PETITIONER has relentlessly held/ conducted activities in pursuit of the welfare of these sectors all over NCR. That PETITIONER ramped-up its operations when the pandemic hit and lockdowns have to be implemented. While the pandemic has affected everyone, it hit the hardest the livelihood and welfare of the sectors which PETITIONER serves. The summary of activities of PETITIONER from 2019 to the present has been attached as ANNEX "F" and the photographs documenting said activities and meetings have been attached as ANNEX "F-1." The affidavits executed to authenticate the attached photographs of PETITIONER's activities and meetings to make them admissible as evidence were also previously attached as ANNEX "F- 2 " **IX. SUMMARY OF THE COALITION/AFFILIATION ENTERED 41.** To date, JUAN PINOY has entered into three (3) Memoranda of Affiliation, to wit: **a**. Community investigation Group Manila (CIG MANILA) — CIG MANILA, headed by its President, Christopher Ortiz Sempio, is organized and devoted to maintain peace and order and help the community thru volunteerism such as medical missions, feeding programs, clean-up drives, and others; **b**. Scout Royal Brotherhood (SRB) — SRB, headed by its President, Manny Sipin, is formed to assemble students in order to develop leadership,promote friendship and render service to humanity; and **c**. Samahang Pangkabuhayan ng Kababaihan Binondo Manila, Inc. (SPKBM) - SPKBM, headed by its President, Salvacio Urquila Cornejo, is primarily concerned in assisting people in the slums who are evicted and displaced.SPKB also promotes woman empowerment. The copy of the respective Memoranda of Affiliation is hereto attached, as ANNEX "H." **X. CONSENT OF OFFICERS AND MEMBERS 42.** That pursuant to Resolution No. 2, Series of 2021, the Board of Trustees of PETITIONER, in a meeting held on February 3, 2021, has mandated that all its officers and members be informed and made aware that it will register as a REGIONAL PARTY-LIST SECTORAL ORGANIZATION before the COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS (COMELEC) and to obtain their approval and consent thereto. A copy of Board of Trustees Resolution No. 2, Series of 2021 is attached hereto, as ANNEX "J." **43**. That pursuant to the above Board Resolution, ALL of PETITIONER's Corporate Officers and Board of Trustees have been made aware of the instant edition and have given their unanimous approval and consent thereto. To prove this fact, their Joint Sworn Affidavit Manifesting Consent is attached hereto, as ANNEX "J-1." **44**. That the members of PETITIONER, also pursuant to the same Board Resolution, have also been informed and made aware of this petition through the respective Coordinators/Tagapangasiwa" in all the municipalities and cities where PETITIONER has presence. That those that expressed their approval or consent have signed the "Consent Forms," written in two (2) languages: English and Filipino. **45**. That collating the signed "Consent Forms," 3,224 out of 3,367 members or 95.75% thereof have given their consent, which is more than the majority required by the rules. The breakdown of these figures are as follows