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Digos massacre

Dennis Monsanto

“WE COMMEMORATE the infamous Digos Massacre not to push further the sorrow and hate among us, especially the family of the 40 victims, but to renew our commitment to achieve peace for our country and people,” said ANAD Partylist Rep. Jun Alcover during the 20th commemoration of the infamous Digos massacre in Sitio Matti, Barangay Binaton, Digos City.

Alcover, together with Bantay Partylist Representative Jovito Palparan Jr. led the commemoration activities there. Also, Davao del Sur District 1 Representative Douglas Marc Cagas graced the gathering participated by some 1,000

residents of both Sitios Rano and Matti, held at a roadside in Sitio Matti.

A commemorative marker of that gory incident, constructed through the efforts of the Barangay Council of Binaton and ably supported by the officers and men of the Army's 39th Infantry Battalion headed by Lt Col. Lyndon Paniza, was unveiled.

Last June 25, 1989, while inside a village chapel attending a Sunday service, about 40 men, women, and children were mercilessly murdered by some 120 armed Maoist communist terrorists New People's Army (NPA) led by Amado Payot, aka Benzar. Using M-60 machineguns and armalite rifles. “Samtang nag porma sila ug letra C, ilang girapidohan mi ug gipamusil, dayon gipamutol ang ulo sa duha ka mga lalaki (While making a letter C formation,

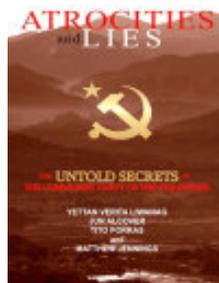
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Adronico Edianon



THE QUEST FOR JUSTICE CONTINUES. The world famous photo of the 1989 Digos Massacre with the centerpiece, Adronico (upper right photo) a living witness to the carnage. (Left photo) ANAD Cong. Jun Alcover with Bantay Cong. Jovito Palparan unveils the marker during the 20th commemoration of the Digos Massacre.



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Filipinos should never forget Digos massacre

Ingrid Torres

“ALL FREEDOM loving Filipinos should never forget to commemorate the infamous Digos Massacre where about 45 persons, including women and children, were mercilessly butchered inside, by Maoist communist NPA led by Amado Payot aka Benzar” said ANAD Partylist Representative Jun Alcover.

The victims were murdered inside a UCCP village chapel in Sitio Rano, Barangay Binaton, Digos City, on June 25, 1989. He described the incident as one of the goriest perpetrated against innocent civilians as ordered by the Central Committee of the Maoist Communist Party of the Philippines (CPP).

“My heart bleeds for those who died because until today, their surviving families still years for the very elusive justice that they had long sought,” said Alcover. “Even until today, the leadership of the Maoist communist CPP-responsibility of the carnage,”

“Yes they never did themselves as protectors of despite openly professing human rights, of justice, and of equality under the law,” Alcover stressed. Pointing to the members of Maoist communist pseudo Partylist groups Bayan Muna, Gabriela, Anakpawis, Kabataan; especially the communist front human rights group Karapatan, Alcover slammed and chided them saying, “indeed they are purveyors and masters of deception, lies, and doom. Digos Massacre should always be a shining example of the utter disregard for human rights and human life that clearly speaks of the outrageous and despicable character of those in the Maoist CPP-NPA-NDF,” Alcover explained.

In challenging Bayan Muna Representatives Satur Ocampo, Teodoro Casino, Neri Colmenares, and others who belong to Karapatan to unmask their real persona, “All of them must put to stop their lies and deceptions heaped on hapless and innocent Filipino civilians. They have discredited themselves for deliberately not only refusing to denounce and condemn the Maoist communist NPA’s unabated desecration of human life but protecting and purveying the atrocious acts of murder with impunity committed by the Maoist communist New Peoples Army against Filipinos,” Alcover said. ☐

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justice that they had long until today, the leadership of NPA-NDF never admitted said Alcover.

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REMEMBERING THAT GRIM AND GORY INCIDENT. 20 years after that infamous and horrible incident, the family of the victims could only give out a sigh of despair as the Godless Maoist CVPP-NPA-NDF continue to wait for justice. Photo shows ANAD Rep. Jun Alcover pose with the surviving members victims’ family.

ANAD denounce murder of Pitao’s sister

Tony Abayza

THE ALLIANCE FOR NATIONALISM AND DEMOCRACY (ANAD) denounce, in strongest terms, the continued murders, utter disregard to human life, and other forms of barbaric acts perpetrated by the Maoist communist-terrorist NPA against peace-loving and civilized Filipinos.

ANAD decries the ability of these Maoist Godless and inhuman group to easily end one’s life while riding on the comforts of a hasty decision by their Kangaroo court where the victims were denied due process.

ANAD Partylist Rep. Jun Alcover describes as completely outrageous the murder of Evelyn Pitao, last May 23, in Sto. Tomas, Davao del Norte. “We cannot hold our feelings on the unjustified and inhuman act committed by a group who professed to be protectors of human rights, of the oppressed, and purveyors of equality in Philippine society,” Alcover said.

The admission by the Maoist communist NPA command in Southern Mindanao of their responsibility on Evelyn’s murder, points to a glaring fact that they do not dignify and recognize the sanctity of family ties and relationships. “We must not forget Fr. Conrado Balweg who was treacherously murdered by his own brother, Jovito, upon orders of the central committee of the Maoist CPP-NPA-NDF,” Alcover said.

“What is surprising is the conflicting statements issued by both the NPA command in Southern Mindanao and that of KARAPATAN, the Maoist communist front organization for human rights. This is really alarming considering the usual propaganda campaign line of the so-called human rights advocates that always points to the military and government as the ones responsible in all incidences of murders and killings in the country,” Alcover explained.

“Consistent with their denunciation and condemnation on the disappearances of Jocelyn Cadapan, Jonas Burgos, and others upon whom the government and military were accused as the ones responsible, I challenge Bayan Muna Congressmen Satur Ocampo, Tedoro Casino, Neri Colmenares and all their cohorts in the Maoist pseudo party groups to openly denounce and condemn the Maoist communist-terrorist NPA for the killing of Evelyn Pitao and her alleged lover – Roberto Dadula,” Alcover said even as he called on the Filipinos to wake up from deep slumber to confront and oppose the notorious Maoist communist CPP-NPA-NDF and all of its surrogate organizations.

“Our country truly deserves the full cooperation, understanding and support of every freedom loving Filipino for peace to completely reign again in our midst,” Alcover added. ☐



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Feature

(Last of two-part series)

Bio-Profile of Rep. Jun Alcover

Former Maoist leader turned fearless pro-democracy defender



When the industrial sector got seriously troubled due to the labor unrest initiated by the leftist KMU (Kilusang Mayo Uno), he spearheaded a movement to expose and confront it. Indeed he succeeded in averting strikes in many commercial establishments and industries in the country. He was invited by many business establishments, throughout the country, to hear him effectively talk about his success stories.

He then organized the National Alliance for Democracy (NAD), well known for having stifled KMU infiltrations. NAD also served as the broad and umbrella organization of pro-democracy advocates in the country. Also, Jun established the National Alliance for Democracy & Freedom Foundation, Inc. (NADFFI). Mainly composed of former rebels and marginalized groups, NADFFI aims to initiate, develop and congregate support for livelihood and entrepreneurial projects of its members. Due to the unwavering support by

several captains of industries, he went into the security business to help safeguard peace and provide employment to some 700 guards, all adherent to his advocacy.

At one point he was he was vice president for the Visayas of the Philippine Guardians Brotherhood, Inc. (PGBI) headed by Sen. Gringo Honasan. Later, Jun organized the New Guardians for Freedom and Democracy, Inc (NGI). He subsequently became its Founder/National President.

In 2001, aware that the Maoist communist NPA-NDF already has infiltrated the country's Congress (legislature) and used government funds to fuel anti-government campaigns, Jun decided to bring his incessant peaceful anti-communism campaign to the hallowed halls of the House of Representatives, through the country's partylist system of representation. NAD Partylist was the vehicle used for this electoral move. However, because for one

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Rep. Alcover to Cebu-based Bayan Muna leaders:

Get your acts together

Gina Gabot

"I CANNOT understand the minds of the self-anointed leaders of pseudo-Partylist organization in Cebu," said ANAD Representative Jun Alcover in a reaction to the statement of Pol Rodriguez, alleged chairman of Bayan Muna in Central Visayas.

Alcover said that while he is happy that Rodriguez finally has accepted his challenge to an intellectual debate on the issue of House Resolution 1109, he expressed confusion saying, "Arman Perez and Atty. Poch Cinco, secretary-general and legal counsel of Bayan Muna-Central Visayas, respectively, earlier turned down my challenge. They refused to do so for reasons only known to them. Now, which is which? Is Paul Rodriguez trying to save the day for his comrades who chickened out and turned their backs on my challenge?" Alcover quipped.

Alcover called on Rodriguez to be true to the spirit of collectivism under Maoist communism, "by coming up with a collective response to my challenge. While Perez and Cinco are singing one song, Paul Rodriguez is singing a totally different song. Is Paul trying to outsmart the others within their group?" Alcover asks.

On KBP-Cebu Chapter's sponsoring the debate, Alcover retorted without batting an eyelash, "That's okay for us as long as the debate should be on issues on Charter Change rather than personalities."

On Rodriguez' allegation that Alcover is one of the many Congressmen under the control of Malacanang, the ANAD Partylist Representative responded saying, "This only means that Rodriguez is running out of issues that he now and with intention sidesteps vital national concerns for petty and non-issues. I would like ask Paul a similar question - When he is mouthing the same issues raised by his Maoist communist leaders in Bayan Muna, then he too is a communist?" said Alcover as he urged Rodriguez and company to raise the debate to a higher level rather than on the usual street lingo and rubbish that they are usually mouthing. ☐

House Bill 4077

A triumph for democracy

Maurice Tero

"THIS IS a triumph for democracy," said ANAD Representative Jun Alcover as he explained his vote in favor of House Bill 4077 that extends the Comprehensive Agrarian Reform Law, in the country.

Alcover explained that although HB 4077 is not a perfect piece of legislation, "it is better compared to that espoused by the Maoist communist pseudo partylist groups."

He pointed out that the Maoist communist, as a matter of their doctrine, does not believe in agrarian reform. "However, they will use the issue to entice the lowly farmers to support their program that later on will advance their agenda against the government," Alcover added.

It can be noted that the Congressmen Satur Ocampo, Teddy Casino, Neri Colmenares of Bayan Muna; Rafael Mariano and Joel

Maglungsod of Anakpawis; Liza Maza and Luzviminda Ilagan of Gabriela; and Raymond Palatino of Kabataan voted against the measure.

"They wanted to push for their so-called Genuine Land Reform which in effect is confiscation as it mandates the government to take control of all agricultural lands, in the country, and distribute the same to the farmers," said Alcover.

Alcover further explained that in truth and in fact, Maoist communism does not believe in agrarian reform as there is no land reform in countries under the authoritarian control of the

communist government. "Look at China, Cuba, North Korea, Laos, among others, farmers there are workers of the state. All of their produce are collected by the state under the so-called collective set-up of administration," Alcover said.

He called on the Maoist pseudo Partylist groups to stop using Congress as a venue of their propaganda. "You must admit the truth and tell the Filipino people that under a communist government there is no land reform, farmers don't own the land that they till and the produce of the land. Communism only knows of one type of land reform and this only happen when one dies and is buried on a piece of land and 6 feet deep. That is their brand of land reform," Alcover stressed. ☐

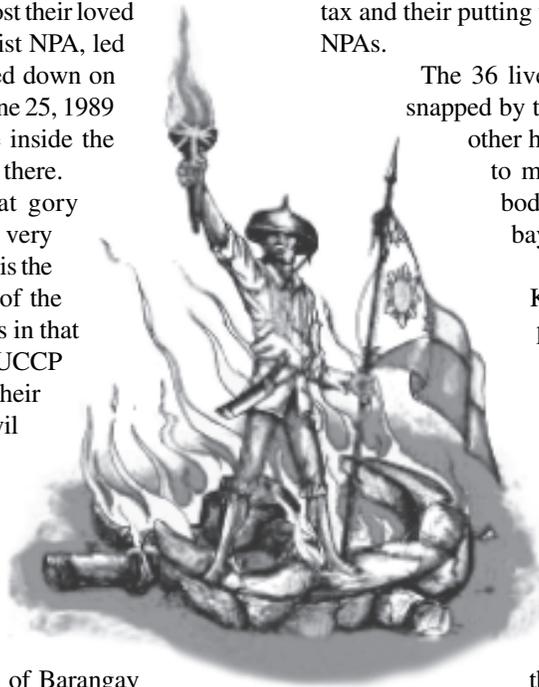


The cry for justice continues

UNTIL today, cries for justice, anguish, and hurt continue to ring loudly among the residents of Sitio Rano, Brgy. Binaton, Digos, Davao del Norte who lost their loved ones when some 100 Maoist communist NPA, led by Amado Payot, aka Benzar, swooped down on their village on a Sunday morning of June 25, 1989 and without mercy killed all of those inside the United Church of Christ village chapel there.

The 20th commemoration of that gory incident showed their craving for that very elusive justice, in their faces. Surprising is the fact that even the pastors and bishop of the UCCP already has forgotten their peers in that lonely village as the shepherds of the UCCP faith already has cowered and threw their towels to the omnipotence of fear and evil in Maoist messiah Jose Ma. Sison and his wards of heartless minions.

One point, though, needs to be clarified. The man carrying the head of a relative, as shown in that famous Digos massacre photo circulated worldwide, is still alive. He is Adronico Edianon, now a barangay councilman of Barangay Binaton.. A horrible scene indeed!



Survivors told us that the Maoist communist NPA's murder spree was due to their refusal to pay their so-called revolutionary tax and their putting up of a village defense system against the NPAs.

The 36 lives, including women and children, were snapped by the NPAs two (2) M-60 machineguns and other high powered firearms. Not contented and to make sure that all were dead, the lifeless bodies were stabbed many times by bolos and bayonets or their head cut-off from the body.

What happened to the advocacy of Karapatan and other self-proclaimed protectors of human rights? Nothing has been heard of them despite the communist-terrorist admission of their responsibility!

Government has done so much to alleviate the plight of these hapless Filipinos in Sitio Rano. But the Maoist CPP-NPA-NDF, particularly their surrogate sectoral front and pseudo partylist organizations continue to extend their deafening silence of the surviving family's quest for justice for their victim relatives!

When would this cry for justice end? ☐

Insights

REY SALAS

Unending quest for justice

THE 20th commemoration of the infamous Digos massacre brought back memories of that gory and macabre incident depicting the merciless and inhuman character of a band of Maoist communist NPA fanatics who, most often ever, cry for justice and human rights violation against government and its military/police forces.

One cannot help but wag a dirty finger on the likes of Jose Ma. Sison, Satur Ocampo, Teodoro Casino, Liza Maza, Luis Jalandoni, and Amado Payot aka Benzar. These are the people whom humanity must throw away as they skillfully worm their way into the core of human civility using all pretension and lies, there is.

But the world community of free and democratic nations has expressed their surprise and disbelief that Sison et.al. use

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Bakit ka matatakot?

Kabarangay

TITO PORRAS

SA iba't ibang anyo at pamamaraan, may iilang personalidad ang lantaranang lumaban sa komunistang kilusan. Pero hindi rin maipagkaila na may iilan din na ginamit lamang ang kontra-komunistang kawsa para makalikum ng pondo, o dili-kaya'y plataporma para makatawag ng atensyon alang-alang sa kanilang personal na mga interes at negosyo.

Mahigit dalampung taon na ang nakaraan ng umpisahan ni Jun Alcover ang kontra-komunistang krusada sa radyo (dyLA Cebu). Kawsa na sa umpisa ay ikinakatakot ng kanyang pamilya at mga kaibigan. Kawsa na naglagay sa kanya sa bingit ng peligro at walang kasiguruhan.

Subalit muling napatunayan na tama ang sinasabi sa isang tula na "...happy are those who dream, dreams....and are willing to pay, to make their dreams come true!"

Bumunga ang ipinunlang kawsa ni Alcover. Hindi daan-daan kungdi saksako ang mga liham ng pagsuporta sa kontra-komunistang programa n'ya sa

radyo. Hanggang na-organisa ang Kalipunan para sa Demokratikong Reporma (KADRE), National Alliance for Democracy (NAD) at ngayon ang Alliance for Nationalism and Democracy (ANAD) Partylist.

Sa inog ng kumplikado at delikadong kilusang pinamunuan ni Alcover nabuo ang marami pang mga organisasyon: New Guardians for Freedom & Democracy, Inc. (NGI), National Alliance for Democracy & Freedom Foundation, Inc. (NADFFI), Democratic Alliance Against Armed Revolution & Terrorism (DART) at iba pang grassroots organizations.

Daan-daang libo ang pangkalahatang kasapiang ng mga organisasyong nabanggit, lahat aktibo at handang sumagupa sa anumang hamon ng kontra-komunista, kontra-teroristang pagkilos. Ito ang demokratikong pwersang nagluklok kay Jun Alcover bilang Congressman sa ika-14 na Kongreso ng ating bansa.

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human life as an offering in the altar of Maoist revolution which is mainly selfish and pretentious.

The Digos massacre was repeated, after 20 years, by the murder of Evelyn Pitao, sister of Leoncio Pitao, aka Parago, a Maoist communist NPA commander in Southern Mindanao, who stubbornly refused to turnover 100 of millions of pesos of extorted money in the region. For his refusal, Joma Sison's goons without warning killed his sister. Evelyn was offered in Joma's altar of Maoist revolution in exchange for Leoncio's vehement refusal to remit the extorted moneys.

Now, this is clear and unqualified violation of human rights. The surviving families of the infamous Digos massacre and the family of Evelyn Pitao continue to wail and ask for justice. Their cries fell on deaf ears of Maoist communist CPP-NPA-NDF leaders. Yet in several instances, these are the very same leaders and personnel who unashamedly shout, to the top of the voice, "human right violators!" They are the very same people who branded retired Gen. Jovito Palparan as "butcher" without looking-up at the mirror and ask, "Who am I?" If they do it, immediately they would hear an answer saying – "You are far worse than Palparan! Shame on you!"

The victims continue to cry for justice without any sign of when would this end. ☐

Kabarangay... From P4

Ang pinakasusing bag-as ng mga tagumpay na ito ay ang DETERMINADONG PANININDIGAN NA ISULONG ANG DEMOKRATIKONG KAWSA para sa kapakanan ng nakakaraming mamamayan. Kaagapay nito, ay ang kahandaang sumabak sa anumang anyo ng peligro at sakripisyo.

Ang pagpasok ng ANAD Partylist sa Kongreso ay hudyat ng panibagong antas ng pakikibaka laban sa maoistang CPP-NPA-NDF at mga legal na prente nito.

Kumpara kahit kanino, mas epektibo si Congressman Alcover na mamuno sa krusada laban sa mga komunistang-terorista sapagkat (bilang dating kasapi ng naturang kilusan) may direkta s'yang kaalaman *batay sa karanasan* kung papaano mag-isip at kumilos ang mga salot na kalaban ng demokrasya.

Kaakibat ng bagong antas na ito ay ang masinop na pagkonsolida ng mga kontra-komunistang organisasyon at akmang mga pag-aaral para epektibong maharap ang mga

Bio-Profile of Rep. Jun Alcover... from P3



UNDYING ADVOCACY. Conducting peaceful mass actions to emphasize ANAD's unwavering commitment to peace and democracy is a continuing chore. Cong. Alcover talks to media reporters in Cebu City (*upper photo*). While he personally leads ANAD's mass feeding activity in remote barangays of Cebu City (*lower photo*).

organizations is solely supported by donations and/or contributions, e.g. moral or financial, from different organizations and individuals determined to expose, confront and oppose the evils wrought by the Maoist CPP-NPA-NDF.

Despite their very limited resources and without support from the government and the military, ANAD officials and volunteers remains steadfast and committed to contribute their share in defense and preservation of freedom, and institutions in this country.

Last September 2008, NADFI published a book, "ATROCITIES & LIES: The Untold Secrets of the Communist Party of the Philippines" authored by Jun Alcover, Yettan Veritta Liwanag, Tito A. Porras and Matthew Jennings. Currently, despite his hectic schedules, Jun Alcover hosts a radio program dubbed as "SUMBONGANAN" aired over Bantay Radyo (with simultaneous broadcast at dyDD-1260kHz for Metro Cebu, dyZZ-1458kHz for Negros Oriental and dyHH-864kHz for Northern Cebu, and DXIP in Davao City.)

Contrary to allegations by communist legal front organizations' black propaganda, ANAD is not a creation of government or the military but a product of the Filipinos desire and determination to protect our country's freedom and democratic ideals.

Hard work and strong determination to keep aflame the courage to defend our country's cause of freedom and democracy, put him where he is now – a strong voice as Representative of the Alliance for Nationalism and Democracy (ANAD) Partylist in the halls of Congress. ☐

reason or another, NAD Partylist was disqualified for technical reasons, This gave birth to the Alliance for Nationalism and Democracy (ANAD) which joined the 2004 elections using the name ANAD partylist, duly-accredited by the Commission on Elections.

As a result of the 2004 elections, ANAD Partylist then was to have one seat with over three hundred thousand (300,000) votes but some opposing forces fought hard and eventually prevented ANAD partylist taking its rightful seat in Congress.

Unfazed, ANAD Partylist made another shot during the May 14, 2007 elections. Finally, the Supreme Court finally puts its imprimatur on ANAD party list's competence and qualification as among the 18 winners in the most recent national elections for party list representation. With the order of the Supreme Court, Jun Alcover took his oath of office before House Speaker Prospero Nograles on April 28, 2009.

Counter-organization and counter-mobilization of all awakened Filipinos remains as the focus of Jun's . pro-democracy lectures which are regularly conducted by ANAD either on its own initiatives or through the invitations of the Armed Forces of the Philippines.

ANAD in the same way as its preceding

bagong hamon ng pagkilos. Napakahalagang usapin din ang pagbigay-diin sa usaping pansiguridad sapagkat batayang ugali ng mga maoista ang traydor na pamamaslang ng itinuturing nilang mga kalaban.

Ang mga kaganapang ito ay patunay, hindi kinakatakutan ng mamamayan ang

terorismo ng komunistang kilusan. Kailangan lang na merong responsible at determinadong namumuno!



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On HR 1109

ANAD calls for national sobriety and serious discussions

THE FILIPINO people should indulge in intelligent discussion on the merits or demerits of House Resolution 1109 rather than involving themselves in acts inimical to the security and peace of our country.

This is the statement issued by ANAD Representative Pastor Alcover Jr. today, in reaction to the Supreme Court's decision to dismiss the petition filed by Atty. Oliver Lozano and businessman Louis Biraogo as being premature as there was yet no taxpayer's money spent for the purpose of amending the 1987 Constitution, as he expressed sadness on the actuations and moves of some sectors of "the community whose only ulterior motivation is to sow chaos and misunderstanding among peace-loving Filipinos," he said.

Rep. Alcover said that with the decision of the Supreme Court, penned by no less than the Chief Justice Reynato Puno, "We should focus seriously

on studying the necessity of amending some pertinent provisions of the Constitution especially on the concerns of improving our economy and the nuances of too much partisan and political power play which are all detrimental to the development and future of our country and people," Alcover explained.

"The primary question that ought to be given serious thought, by the people, is on the issue on – Whether there is a need to amend or modify some provisions of our constitution or not," Alcover pointed out.

He cited the fact that those against HR 1109 are merely trying to overstate their motivations and intentions. "However, they do not desire any amendment to our country's fundamental law because if ever this happens, they will lose moral grounds on holding future protest actions against government," said Rep. Alcover.

"I feel sad upon seeing some bright minded political

figures who express astuteness simply for reasons of selfishness and pride. They ought to be in the forefront of putting in place the necessary measures to resolve the infirmities pervading in our present day Constitution rather than grandstanding for personal political ends," he added.

Meanwhile, Alcover called on those who oppose HR 1109 to be earnest and circumspect in their intentions when issuing statements that could possibly have adverse ramifications on our country and government's well-being and future.

Strongly reacting to several statements issued by leading opponents of HR 1109, Rep. Alcover said that these are not only raw and bare speculations but clearly borders on outright innuendos.

"Why is the call for tax revolution sounded? Those who intend to launch this campaign must seriously think, several times, whether to pursue this or not because what is at stake here is not only their respective selfish political interest but the general well-being of our people and country," Alcover pointed out.

On the issue that once a unicameral/parliamentary government is put in place, President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo will run for a seat in one of Pampanga's congressional districts and later on run for Prime Ministers of Parliament, "is something that is beyond anyone's competence to deny her. There is no law that prohibits anyone from seeking public office, unless those that are now prohibited under the law. In the case of President Arroyo, either in 2010 or later, definitely she is not prohibited from seeking any public position except reelection as President of the country," clarified Alcover.

"The same is true for pseudo Maoist communist Partylist personalities, like Satur Ocampo, Teodoro Casino, Liza Maza, and others. Despite their non-renunciation of violence as a means to attain change; and as members of the Maoist Communist Party of the Philippines, they are not prohibited to seek public office or even to run for the Senate," Alcover explained.

On the stories that both houses of Congress will be convened as a constituent assembly during the President Arroyo's State of the Nation Address on July 27, Alcover responded saying, "Definitely, this is divisive! In circulating this outrageous fallacy, those responsible for this has no other purpose but to divide the country and people. This is purely a glaring example of Maoist communist manipulation of information and black propaganda," Alcover said as he called on all Filipinos to be prudent in the exercise of their right to free expression.

Counter-insurgency campaign

DILG must have principal role

Ingrid Torres

THE DEPARTMENT of Interior and Local Government (DILG) must play a principal role in the country's counter-insurgency and terrorism campaign considering the vast network of local government units that they supervise and the Philippine National Police that is likewise under its control.

This was bared by ANAD Partylist Representative Jun Alcover recently in Davao as he pointed out that there is something critically and tactically in the current anti-insurgency campaign of the government.

In an interview with Bombo Radio-Davao, Alcover said, "What is happening now is that the insurgency problem is being left to be resolved by the Armed Forces of the Philippines and without involving the local government units, especially the barangay officials, throughout the country," Alcover pointed out.

"We are playing right into the game plan of the Maoist communists. This is the reason why the insurgency problem is now in its 40 years with no effective solution in sight," Alcover said.

"My 10-years experience in the Maoist communist NPA movement would say that the government is biting the bait laid down by the

Maoist Messiah Jose Ma. Sison where bullets and guns are used by government forces against the insurgents," he said.

Alcover lamented saying that the local government units should be mobilized as the SHIELD of government to confront the Maoist communist National Democratic Front (NDF) up to the barangay level. "LGUs should work to protect our freedoms and democracy rather than playing footsie: like giving financial and logistical support to the Maoist communist CPP-NPA-NDF. These officials are effective in this particular campaign because they know the people and terrain of their respective areas," he added.

"With the PNP, under its wing, shall be tasked to confront the NPA, the DILG has the so-called left arm and right arm weapons against Maoist communists CPP-NPA-NDF. These are the very basic and effective weapons that we need today," Alcover said.

On the issue of establishing the so-called Barangay Defense System (BDS) in the country, Alcover retorted saying that this must be encouraged by government. "However, BDS personnel must be given proper indoctrination as to the real character

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Chris Jhann Cordero



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they opened fire on us then cut-off the head of two men),” said Adronico Edianon, the man, shown in many a picture of the Digos massacre, holding a head surrounded by dead children and women. Edianon is now a Barangay councilman of Binaton.

Alcover called on all Filipinos to intently reflect and learn about the real character and intentions of the Maoist communist NPA from the Digos massacre. “The Digos massacre should always remind us that indeed those who profess as protectors of human rights and justice are actually the real purveyors of death and destruction of our democratic ideals and freedoms,” he added.

Alcover and Palparan assured the residents of the area that next year’s commemoration activities shall be held right Sitio Rano, the site where it happened. “With the help of other government agencies, we will try our best to construct a road from the main highway to Sitio Rano, in time for next year’s celebration,” they assured the residents.

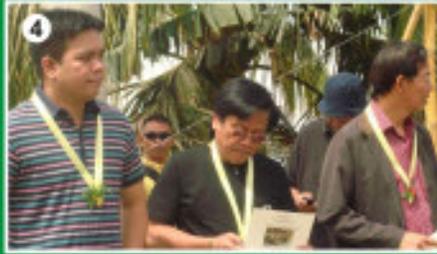
Later in the afternoon, some 3,000 people from Barangay Binaton and other neighboring barangays of Digos City, and some municipalities of Davao del Sur gathered at the city’s public market to protest and condemn the continued inhuman atrocities against the Filipino people.

Alcover called on the protesters to be firm and steadfast in their commitment to oppose and peaceably confront the unabated murders perpetrated by the Maoist communist NPA. “We do not believe that the problem could best be solved by bullets and guns alone. But a strong and sustained education and counter-organizing campaign of all freedom loving Filipinos is, by any measure, the best way to put a stop to their barbarism,” Alcover explained. ☐

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of the enemy. It is not enough saying that the enemy of freedom and democracy are the Maoist communist CPP-NPA-NDF but it is essential for them to know how these people operate, their strategy and tactics, their method of manipulation of information, their expertise in deception, and why do they kill people with impunity,” Alcover clarified.

“Let us all stand united in support of our true and real democratic government and stop playing double-blades with the enemy of freedom and democracy. If we fail, our country and people will not survive,” Alcover said. ☐



Round-up of ANAD Partylist Activities

- June 10 **(1)** 1st Death Anniversary of Jeff Dobuen-Gutierrez, one of the pillars of ANAD and hard working staff of the pro-democracy alliance since its inception since the 1980’s until his death in June 10, 2008. His efforts gave inspiration to all of us, especially when he said, “Bahala na kong unsay mahitabo kanako, basta makalingkod na gayud ang ANAD sa Kongreso ug magbunga na ang mga paningkamot ni Sir Alcover (I don’t care what will happen to me for as long as ANAD could get a seat in Congress and the efforts of Sir Alcover will bear fruits). His remain lies in peace at the Mactan Island Memorial Gardens.
- June 11 9am, Cong. Alcover holds his 1st press conference at the Baseline Restaurant, in Uptown, Cebu City, attended by a jampacked crowd of media practitioners of Cebu. Issue taken up was the passage of HR 1109 or the House Resolution calling for Charter Change through Constituent Assembly.- 3pm, Cong. Alcover was conferred recognition by his alma mater, Abellana National High School where he graduated in 1970.
- June 12 Together with CAMP officials and members, Cong. Alcover thanked the leaders and members of ANAD and the people of Tuburan, Cebu at the residence Cesar Albor.
- June 13 The group proceeded to Sta. Fe, in Bantayan Island and was warmly welcomed by Vice Mayor Dorie Cabrera and barangay officials.- Luncheon tendered by Mayor Geraldine Escario of Bantayan Island.- Dinner tendered by Titing Isgana at Marlin’s Beach Resort.
- June 14 Meeting with ANAD, NGI, and barangay leaders in the municipality of Madridejos. Lunch was tendered by Mayor Sally de la Fuente.
- June 19 A thanksgiving mass was offered in Damilag, Bukdinin and lunch tendered by Kadre Security Force and General Services Inc. (KSFSGI), attended by barangay leaders and pro-democracy supporters.
- June 21 Victory Party at General Santos City, Cotabato, hosted by Wave Manpower and General Services, Inc. attended by ANAD, NGI, and barangay leaders.
- June 23 **(2)** Press conference with Davao Media at the Kaorin Japanese Restaurant, Davao City; sponsored by TROPA Mindanao.
- June 25 **(3-5)** 8am, ANAD led the 20th commemoration of the infamous Digos Massacre, held at Sitio Matti, Barangay Binaton, Digos City, Davao del Sur, with Bantay Partylist Rep. Jovito Palparana, Davao Del Sur Cong. Douglas Marc Cagas, Col. Rainer Cruz, and Lt. Col. Lyndon Paniza in attendance. Highlight of the activity was the unveiling of the commemorative marker at Sitio Matti.
2pm, march rally, in the city proper of Digos City, attended by some 4,000 people from the different sectors of the community to air their grief and continued quest for justice of the victims of the Sitio Rano massacre.
- June 28 **(6)** 2 pm, Induction of officers of the Veterans Village Community Association held at the residence of Cong. Alcover, headed by Col. Orlando Secretario (ret).- 6pm, attended the victory party of the Trade Union Congress of the Philippines (TUCP) Partylist headed by Rep. Raymond Mendoza, at the Stokili Beach Resort.

Pseudo-partylist members urged

Renounce CPP membership

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PSEUDO Partylist groups must now take out all the trappings and covers that they used in the 4 decades of Maoist communism insurgency in the country. This is the challenge poised by ANAD Partylist Representative Jun Alcover during his privilege speech, entitled – “A scourge of deceit and brutality”, at the House of Representatives this afternoon (June 1, 2009).

Alcover pointed out that Bayan Muna, Gabriela, Anakpawis, and Kabataan are partylist organizations of the Maoist Communist Party of the Philippines, under the National Democratic Front. “CPP chairman and Maoist messiah Jose Ma. Sison admitted this in his speech in Brussels, Belgium in 1987 and during the launching of Makabayan, last April 16, 2009,” Alcover said.

Alcover warned those who still remain in the so-called political mainstream to be wary about Makabayan. “It is a political coalition instigated by the Maoist CPP. Let me warn you that any decision to be subservient to those who espouse a Godless and inhuman ideology could spell disaster for our country,” he said.

Alcover decried the unabated killings, harassments, and intimidation by the Maoist communist New People’s Army in the



DOUBLE TALK MUST END.. Pseudo-partylists (*top photos-from left*) Teddy Casino, Luz Ilagan, Mong Palatino, Satur Ocampo, and Liza Maza among others making their charade of lies during Maoist communist sectoral front organizations’ mass actions and protests (*lower photos*).

countrywide; and the sustained anti-government campaign waged by the pseudo partylist groups to advance their cause and gain seats not only in Congress but in the Senate during the 2010 elections. “They continue to unleash their death squads on those whose opinions differ from the dogma they dearly hold. They have corrupted our electoral system by using armed units to dictate how communities vote. . . . They are not merely turning our democracy on its head. They are turning our democracy against itself!” Alcover said.

Alcover chided the pseudo Partylist Representatives for using Congress as a venue to launch their vicious propaganda campaign against government and to advance their cause. He added that they chose to join protest actions rather than willfully fulfill their sworn duty as members of the Lower House. “Such will be the case when Her Excellency President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo will deliver her State of the Nation Address before a joint session of Congress. . . . Now is the time to ask Cong. Satur Ocampo and company as to which body they wanted to belong. They cannot be in two places at the same time,” he clarified.

The ANAD partylist representative challenged Congressmen Satur Ocampo, Teddy Casino, Neri Colmenares, Rafael Mariano, Joel Maglungod, Liza Maza, Luzviminda Ilagan, and Raymond Palatino to renounce armed struggle, renounce their membership in the Communist Party of the Philippines, and denounce the terrorist acts of the communist NPA. “The proxies of Maoist Messiah Jose Ma. Sison, in this hall, must now be asked with full clarity about their readiness to standby their oath of office - -to defend the republic and obey the constitution,” Alcover stressed.

To effectively and peacefully confront and oppose the continued deception and brutality of the Maoist communists, Alcover called on the government to maximize the use of its resources to conduct a peaceful education campaign from the national to the barangay level with the local government units in the forefront of the effort. “Killing or arresting these Maoist communists’ agitators and propaganda operators will not solve the problem. We can isolate physically a person but we cannot isolate or kill an ideology. The best way is by educating the Filipinos,” Alcover explained. ☐



Jeff Guttierrez
*Peace Advocate,
Freedom Fighter.*

Remembering Jeff Guttierrez. Guardian members commemorate Jeff Guttierrez Death Anniversary at the Mactan Memorial Park last June 10, 2009.