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TIPC Neg. Or. revives Labor Tripartite Council on Education

Dumaguete City, Negros Oriental – After years of inactivity, the Labor Tripartite Council on Education made a comeback through the efforts of the Tripartite Industrial Peace Council of Negros Oriental.

Some 49 participants from 29 private learning institutions in the province joined the Council's General Membership Meeting Cum Learning Session at Plaza Maria Luisa Suites Inn in Dumaguete City on June 8, 2018.

With the goal of bringing back the voice and participation of the academe to the TIPC Neg. Or., the gathering was highlighted with the election of labor and management vice-chairmen and representatives.

Elected as Vice-Chairman for Labor is Romeo Elnasin of Negros Maritime College Foundation Inc.

Voted in as Board of Trustees for Labor are Ligaya Nuevo of Catherina Cittadini School, Sandra Faye Alagadmo of Adventist Academy of Negros Oriental Siquijor Inc., Hannah Abigail Gesmundo of Foundation University and Rechiel Abol of Colegio de Santa Catalina de Alejandia.

Meanwhile, Ms. Francine Nicole Suarez of Living World Christian School was chosen Vice-Chairman for Management alongwith Board of Trustees Joshua Bagay of Dumaguete Mission School, Janice Valuenzuela of Asian College, Chary May Bacong of Foundation University and Roel D. Batohanon of Saceda Youth Lead.

In addition, Elnasin and Suarez will represent the LTCE in the TIPC Neg. Or. as Vice-Chairmen for Labor and Management.

With the goal of capacitating the newly restored LTCE as advocates of industrial peace, DOLE-NOFO Chief Marites Mercado provided a learning session on Tripartism.

Mercado uderscored the importance the workers and employers representation in decision and policy making bodies of the government.

"Through tripartism, workers and employers on the one hand, representing their respective interests, and the government on the other hand, representing the interest of the public, help shape labor, social and economic policies and programs of the government", Mercado said.

In addition to tripartism, a learning session on the prohibited practices of contracting and subcontracting under Department Order 174-17 also transpired.

LTCE will join the industry tripartite councils on construction and wholesale and retail as part of the Tripartite Industrial Peace Council of Negros Oriental.



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Newly elected Vice-Chair for Management Ms. Francine Nicole Suarez of Living World Christian School (2nd from right) is joined with Management Board of Trustees (L-R) Roel D. Batohanon of Saceda Youth Lead, Chary May Bacong of Foundation University, Janice Valuenzuela of Asian College and Joshua Bagay of Dumaguete Mission School.



Elected Vice-Chairman for Labor is Romeo Elnasin (2nd from right) of Negros Maritime College Foundation Inc.is with Board of Trustees Ligaya Nuevo of Catherina Cittadini School (2nd from left), Sandra Faye Alagadmo (middle) of Adventist Academy of Negros Oriental-Siquijor Inc., Hannah Abigail Gesmundo of Foundation University(left) and Rechiel Abol of Colegio de Santa Catalina de Alejandia (right).

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