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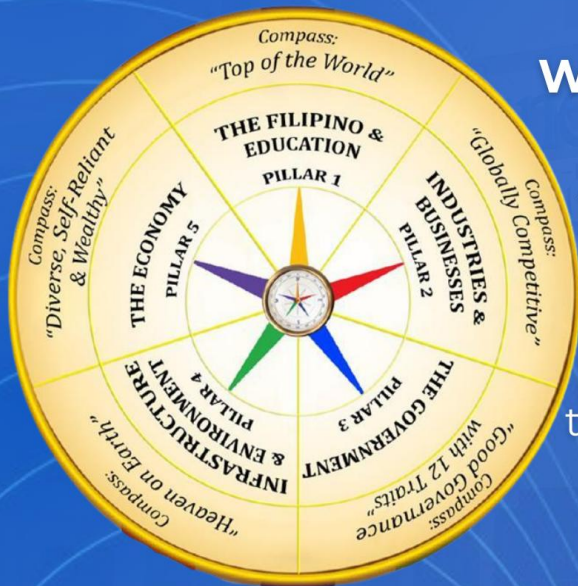
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*"Navigating the Future"*  
**ECOMP -P5**  
ECONOMIC COMPASS  
PILLARS 5

# ACTIONIZE *the* MISSIONS *of* ECONOMIC COMPASS PILLARS 5

A Synergy Conference of Business, Government, Academe & Civil Society

18 April 2026, Saturday | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
University of the Philippines, BGC Campus, Taguig City



## WHY THIS CONFERENCE MATTERS?

Actionizing ECOMP P -5 transforms it from agreed aspirations into a living actual reality for a better Philippines

Actionizing converts good intentions into implemented success to rebuild the country's once glorious past.



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## Why Economic Compass Pillars 5?

The Chamber of Commerce of the Philippine Islands is the PROVENANCE and OLDEST economic business institution, whose Advocacies, Programs, and Projects from its founding in 1886, contributed in ushering the country to become the “Pearl of the Orient” and a LEADING ECONOMY (GDP per capita) in the ASEAN and Asia in the 1960’s.

IN THE 1960’s, in GDP per capita, the Philippines was 2nd to Singapore in the ASEAN and 2ND to Japan in neighboring Asia, AHEAD of China, Taiwan, and South Korea.

Martial Law imperatives made the Chamber take a backseat from 1977 until 2014, the year when the National Historical Commission of the Philippines, recognizing its status, bestowed Markers upon the Chamber in 3 languages: Spanish, English, and Filipino - the languages that span the Chamber’s existence; thus, the Chamber re-kindled as the Provenance Chamber of History with the theme **“History Builds the Future.”**

BY THE 1980’s, the Philippines slid down from 2nd to 5th position in the ASEAN, overtaken by Singapore, Brunei, Malaysia, and Thailand.

BY 2021, the Philippines slid down further from 5th to 7th position, overtaken by Singapore, Brunei, Malaysia, Thailand, Indonesia, and Vietnam in the ASEAN, and from being ahead, to now being behind China, Taiwan, and South Korea.

As a **CONTINUING GUIDE** for the Chamber, Government, and Country, to help **REBUILD ITS GLORIOUS PAST & NAVIGATE THE FUTURE**, the Chamber herein adopts as its Work Program Advocacy for the coming years: **ECONOMIC COMPASS PILLARS 5 (ECOMP -P5)**.

Its contents are obtained from the Chamber’s having experienced and analyzed tribulations and prosperities worldwide as well as the positive effects of its advocacies covering a History of 8 Epochs since 1886.

## Why the need to Actionize ECOMP -P5?

Every Pillar of ECOMP -P5 has 3 components:

- o The Pillar
- o Its Compass
- o Its 5 missions

These 3 components intertwine to define what the Philippines must become.

### **Without Actionizing:**

- o The Missions towards a Pillar’s Compass stay at the level of sleeping policy statements;
- o Agencies interpret them inconsistently;
- o Government has no progressive staircase direction nor continuity;
- o Private sector participation remains optional or symbolic;
- o Accountability is weak or non-existent.

The core of the Philippines’s problems are not ideas – it is execution or lack thereof. While the Philippines has good laws, talented people, Christian values, it lacks coordinated, sustained implementation and accountability.

**Actionizing** the Missions translates ECOMP -P5 into:

- ✓ Initiatives that each Filipino can imbed
- ✓ Initiatives each community can adopt
- ✓ Curricula schools can teach
- ✓ Projects investors can support
- ✓ Programs that the government can fund

Actionizing the Missions of **ECOMP-P5**, translates vision into results driving success, accountability, and measurable impact.

# Conference Participants Guide to ACTIONIZE the Missions of ECOMP -P5

## Purpose of the Breakout Workshop Session

The workshop sessions are not for speeches; It is for Actions to translate the 5 Missions of each Pillar into realistic and coordinated mechanisms, that can be implemented within the next 1 to 3 years; monitored, readjusted through the years.

**Conference participants are expected to do any of the following:**

1. Participants to refine the proposed Actions of the Missions of each Pillar’s Compass, as presented by the Chamber; and/or
2. Participants to present his/her own proposal; and/or
3. Participants to comment on proposals by other participants

## Expected Output


1. One (1) Priority Action or more per each of the 5 Missions of the Pillar’s Compass
2. Enablers needed are identified
3. Template to Actionize the Missions are filled-out for Plenary presentation

Example Template of an Output to Actionize a Mission.

<b>PILLAR V: THE ECONOMY</b> Compass: “Diverse, Self-reliant & Wealthy”						
<b>MISSION A: NATURAL RESOURCES FUELS LOCAL MANUFACTURING &amp; SELF SUFFICIENCY</b>						
With an economy that uses its natural resources as <b>inputs to manufacturing within</b> the country to produce Value–Added End-Products for its own consumption and for export, and is self sufficient in food and creating wealth from Small, Medium, Large and Basic Industries for final use or <b>to feed the parts and component needs of other industries</b> , including new technologies.						
<b>ACTIONS</b> to Implement Mission A:	<b>ENABLERS</b>					
	Motu Proprio: one’s own INITIATIVE	Policies and Directives of Government and Private Companies	Laws & Incentives	Constitution Amendment:	Funding:	Target Date:
1. Prioritizing Natural Resources to feed local Manufacturing and self-sufficiency.	✓	DENR, DTI-BOI, NEDA	✓	NO NEED ?	?	2026-2028
2. Exports of raw materials are restricted in order to encourage the setting up of local factories that use said raw materials. (Exceptions may be granted on a bilateral basis that is mutually beneficial.)	✓	DENR, DTI-BOI, NEDA	✓	NO NEED ?	?	2026-2028

**Note: The above example is a Template to ACTIONIZE all the MISSIONS of all the Pillars’ Compasses; each Pillar’s Compass has 5 Missions for a total of 25 Missions. This First Synergy Conference is therefore a continuing set of Conferences.**

# MISSION HEADINGS to be ACTIONIZED



## Pillar 1 THE FILIPINO & EDUCATION Compass: *“Top of the World”*

### Mission A: BEST EDUCATION

Every Filipino has ACCESS to the BEST EDUCATION SYSTEM in academics, critical thinking, new technology and other fields including universal family and moral values, Philippine cultural values, ethics, good manners and right conduct, and must be correctly bilingual in Filipino, English, plus another dialect or language.

In addition to having top-notch Philippine and International teachers and teaching methods, all forms of media (TV, Radio, Newsprint, Social Media, Internet, Artificial Intelligence etc.) are harnessed NOT primarily for entertainment, but also as part of education methods to instill knowledge, proper attitudes and cultural mindsets to excel in life and in one's chosen profession.

### Mission B: QUALITY HEALTH

Every Filipino is taught health care and well-being, and has access to both throughout their lifetime with focus on nutritious feeding from conception to 5 years of age, to prevent stunted growth.

### Mission C: AT LEAST ONE EXCELLENCE

Every Filipino excels in at least one profession, skill or talent and at least 50% of the adult population have college degrees, certificates from credible institutions or industry recognized certifications, and other high value credentials.

### Mission D: PATRIOTIC yet GLOBAL

Every Filipino must know Philippine history, cherish Filipino culture and love of country while respecting other cultures. National Patriotism is the base towards Globalism.

### Mission E: CITIZENSHIP DUTIES KNOWLEDGE

Every Filipino knows the Constitution and basic laws needed for daily life as a dutiful citizen, especially his duty & responsibility in electing only officials who are capable, honest, the best and brightest, and to hold them periodically accountable to their entrusted duties, responsibilities and oath of office.



## Pillar 2 INDUSTRIES & BUSINESSES Compass: *“Globally Competitive”*

### Mission A: INDUSTRIES THAT CONNECT OUR ISLANDS & INDUSTRIALIZE THE COUNTRY

Filipino-owned or controlled companies are leaders in design, in software engineering, hardware manufacturing, as well as in production of parts and final products and their operations of the following that...

1. CONNECT our Islands:
  - a). Short Haul Sea Crafts
  - b). Short Haul Air Crafts
  - c). Land transport crafts, high-tech trains, etc.
  - d). ICT and other New Technologies
2. Other Manufacturing industries required for basic self-reliance, security, and wealth are prioritized by:
  - a). MAKING USE of the country's being an Archipelago to excel in sea-based manufacturing industries.
  - b). MAKING USE of its Natural Resources as inputs to manufacturing based industries within the country.
3. The professions and service industries that complement industrialization are among the best.

### Mission B: FILIPINO-OWNED COMPANIES

Per Constitutional and Legal requirements, companies are truly Filipino-owned, especially those relating to national security and interests, and are competitively dominant in market share and revenues within the country.

Economic Nationalism is the base towards Bilateralism, which is the base for Regionalism and Regionalism is the base for Globalism, or, Bilateralism leads to Globalism.

### Mission C: FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES

Foreign ownership is most welcome but must be dispersed strategically among different countries that are allied with our cultural values and principles to avoid monopoly control of the Philippine economy by just one or a few foreign interests, whether in land or within archipelagic waters and economic sovereign waters.

The Constitution and relevant laws are adhered to; National Security and Patrimony are truly safeguarded alongside foreign investments.

Foreign investments are likewise safeguarded in accordance with laws and foreign treaties or international agreements.

### Mission D: BRANDS FILIPINO-OWNED

Products and Services conceptualized and/or made by Filipinos, made by majority Filipino-owned companies, should have Filipino-owned branded names and trademarks that are used and protected worldwide.

### Mission E: EXPANDED FILIPINO EQUITY/OWNERSHIP

Majority of Filipinos own equity in companies that give them dividends and capital appreciation.

Land is truly owned by Filipino citizens as per the Constitution and Ownership is spread out.



## Pillar 3 THE GOVERNMENT Compass: *“Good Governance with 12 Traits”*

### Mission A: THE BEST CITIZENS ARE IN GOVERNMENT

The best qualified for government positions are methodically nurtured and vetted based on a standard excellence template of qualifications that are verified for fair comparison among elected & appointed candidates, and regular performance accountability is conducted.

### Mission B: NATURAL RESOURCES ARE USED FOR LOCAL-BASED FACTORIES

To create jobs and higher levels of productive capability, natural resources must be used first and foremost, as inputs to value-added manufacturing of end-products within the country. Mining or harvesting of minerals and other natural resources purely for exports must be restricted to encourage local manufacturing, with long term purposeful orientation.

### Mission C: PROTECTOR OF COUNTRY, CITIZENS, ECONOMY, TERRITORY & PATRIMONY

All branches of government, are Protectors of the Filipino People, the Archipelagic Territory, and Patrimony of the Nation. Laws are clear and are dispensed fairly in a timely manner. Philippine-owned companies and Filipinos have priority in government funded projects and if absolutely necessary, foreign individual experts (not companies) are brought in to assist, work with and transfer skills to Filipino citizens.

### Mission D: FRONT OFFICE SERVICES ARE FIVE STARS

The physical layout, facilities and management of Government Front-Office-Services that are in direct contact with the people, are rendered professionally with efficiency, honesty and within time limits in a 5-star environment. Laws, rules and regulations and procedures for government permits and licenses, and signage are clearly publicized and efficiently managed.

### Mission E: THE 12 TRAITS OF GOOD GOVERNANCE

Based on the United Nations and aspirations of citizens, the following traits of Good Governance are in place and in practice:

- 1). Citizens Participation, Representation & Fair Conduct of Elections
- 2). Rule of Law
- 3). Competence & Capacity
- 4). Ethical Conduct
- 5). Long Term Orientation & Sustainability
- 6). Efficiency & Effectiveness
- 7). Openness & Transparency
- 8). Responsive & Consensus Oriented
- 9). Innovation & Openness to Change
- 10). Sound Financial Management
- 11). Accountability
- 12). Equitable & Inclusive Social Cohesiveness

# MISSION HEADINGS to be ACTIONIZED



## Pillar 4 INFRASTRUCTURE & ENVIRONMENT

Compass: *“Heaven on Earth”*

### Mission A: GOD-GIVEN ATTRACTIONS

Natural geographic attractions that are unique to the Philippines are identified and their uses are controlled and subjected to Carrying – Capacity Limits:

1. With no – build zones
2. With carrying – capacity limits at any time for residents, for workers, and for tourist-visitors. God-given attractions should not be diluted by man-made attractions unless they are for accessibility and safety that protects and preserves the natural attraction.

### Mission B: MAN-MADE INFRASTRUCTURE

Roads, bridges, and other infrastructure/structures must be world competitive as best in design, engineering, quality, cost, and time efficiency, with added disaster - prevention measures against earthquakes and typhoons. Scientific basis is used to protect natural habitats with nature allowed to do its wonders.

Additionally, historical structures and landmarks should be preserved in top condition as part of the country’s Heritage. Repairs & maintenance are done expediently on a 24 hours basis to lessen inconvenience to the public.

### Mission C: ISLANDS CONSTRAINTS INTO ADVANTAGES

The geographic uniqueness of the country-with earthquakes, typhoons, and many islands, are met heads-on as “Challenges to CONNECT” the islands by designing and building:

1. The Best Airports with unique Philippine design
2. The Best Seaports
3. The Best ICT and New Technologies
4. The Best designed and built roads, bridges, railways, etc.

All infrastructure are designed and built to withstand adverse effects of earthquakes and typhoons.

### Mission D: MINIMUM SPACE STANDARDS

The adage “a place for everything and everything in its place” is followed, as it applies to spaces for work, play, living, and public use. Public vehicles load/unload NOT on the road, but on Designated Indented Stations away from the road and public vehicles are dispatched sequentially based on scheduled interval times, with no overtaking allowed. Residences and other human needs are close to workplaces to lessen traffic and time commutes.

### Mission E: ENERGY SOURCES VARIED & SAFE

A mix-combination of energy sources from traditional to renewable to nuclear, and other New Technologies such as Modular nuclear power plants can be adopted, for as long as they are scientifically safe, tested, clean, and cost-efficient combinations



## Pillar 5 THE ECONOMY

Compass: *“Diverse, Self-Reliant & Wealthy”*

### Mission A: NATURAL RESOURCES FUELS LOCAL MANUFACTURING & SELF SUFFICIENCY...

With an economy that uses its natural resources as inputs to manufacturing within the country to produce Value-Added End-Products for its own consumption and for export, and is self sufficient in food and creating wealth from Small, Medium, Large and Basic Industries for final use or to feed the parts and component needs of other industries, including new technologies.

### Mission B: AN ENCOMPASSING ECONOMY THAT INCORPORATES 4 SECTORS

**1. Primary Sector** - The extraction or taking of raw materials. These can be renewable resources, such as fish, agri-based products or wind and water power or it can be the use of non-renewable resources, such as oil extraction, mining for coal, and other minerals. The primary sector must be used to fuel the secondary sector within the country.

**2. Secondary Sector** - Manufacturing Industries that use raw materials from within the country and abroad, to produce higher value added finished and quality products. The secondary sector makes and distributes finished goods:

**Manufacturing** - e.g. producing parts of cars and cars itself, other tangible products.

**Construction** - building homes and factories, etc. from parts made within the country.

**Utilities** - providing goods like electricity, gas and communications etc., including equipment and paraphernalia.

**3. Service/Tertiary Sector** - Services that provide the intangible aspect of offering services to consumers and businesses, and other sectors including, Retail, Financial Services, Insurance, Investment, Health and Wellness, Leisure and Hospitality, Tourism, Communication, Transportation, Information Technology, the Professions, etc., are among the best.

**4. Quaternary/Knowledge Sector**- The intellectual aspect of the economy that includes education, training, research and development of technology are encouraged, to enable entrepreneurs to innovate better manufacturing processes and improve the quality of products and services produced by the economy towards a better quality of life.

### Mission C: AN ECONOMY THAT PROMOTES REWARDS & NURTURES...

Its citizens for Innovation and Success, while nurturing and retraining those left behind to be competitive, or to find other areas of excellence, and have a meaningful life. Successful citizens & other nationalities through programs, are made to be mentors.

### Mission D: FILIPINOS IN EFFECTIVE CONTROL

With a self-reliant economy that protects the lives, health, and patrimony of the people from pernicious globalization, supply chain disruptions, and foreign control. The participation of foreign-owned or controlled companies and foreign governments are welcome, but are strategically dispersed among countries and people that share Philippine values and principles for a global power balance and to avoid monopolistic control of the country by only one or two foreign interests.

### Mission E: AMONG THE TOP COMPANIES

With a GDP per capita of at least the top 50% of countries worldwide; poverty and unemployment rates are below 3% and 1.5 % of the population respectively.

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APRIL 18, 2026, Saturday | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
University of the Philippines Bonifacio Global City (UP BGC)  
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## PROGRAMME

- 8:30 AM-9:00 AM**      **I. REGISTRATION**
- 9:00 AM-9:15 AM**      **II. PLENARY OPENING SESSION**
- National Anthem
  - Invocation
  - Welcome Statement - **Mr. Jose Luis U. Yulo, Jr., CCPI President**
- 9:15 AM-10:00 AM**      **▪ Keynote Speakers**
- Secretary Alfredo E. Pascual**  
Former Secretary, Department of Trade & Industry  
Former University President, University of the Philippines System
- The Honorable Justice Conchita Carpio-Morales**  
Former Supreme Court Justice  
Former Ombudsman of the Philippines
- 10:00 AM-3:00 PM**      **III. BREAKOUT SYNERGY WORKSHOPS  
(Working Lunch)**
- PILLAR 1: THE FILIPINO & EDUCATION  
Compass: *"Top of the World"*
  - PILLAR 2: INDUSTRIES & BUSINESSES  
Compass: *"Globally Competitive"*
  - PILLAR 3: THE GOVERNMENT  
Compass: *"Good Governance with 12 Traits"*
  - PILLAR 4: INFRASTRUCTURE & ENVIRONMENT  
Compass: *"Heaven on Earth"*
  - PILLAR 5: THE ECONOMY  
Compass: *"Diverse, Self-Reliant & Wealthy"*
- 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM**      **IV. PLENARY REPORT-BACK SESSION**
- Presentation of ACTIONIZED Missions per Pillar
- 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM**      **VI. CONSOLIDATION AND MOVING FORWARD  
VII. PHOTO-OP**

Host: **Ms. Mariz Umali**  
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