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**SPEECH OF PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE DURING THE INAUGURATION OF  
THE 7.5-MWP TUMINGAD SOLAR POWER PROJECT**

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Salamat po. Kindly sit down. Thank you.

Energy Secretary Alfonso Cusi; Senator Bong Go, tsk, tsk, tsk, bilib; Representative Elizaldy Co; Romblon Governor Jose Riano and of course congressman your lady; local government officials of Romblon Province; Energy Regulatory Commission Chairperson Agnes Vicente Torres-Devanadera; officials, staff of the Sunwest Water and Electric Company headed by its CEO, Mylene Co; distinguished guests; maayong hapon ka ninyong tanan and my salute to my former colleague in the 11<sup>th</sup> Congress si Congressman Budoy. *[applause]*

We seldom see each other but I remember the days noong bata pa kami. *[laughter]* That was the 11<sup>th</sup> Congress a long time ago. We were together in the parliamentary visit sa --- in the Middle East and it was really a very productive experience for everybody.

Mawala muna itong speech ko total two pages lang naman. *[laughter]* Tamang-tama aabot 'yung bagyo maniwala kayo diyan. *[laughter]* 'Pag sinabi kong magdating ako, magdating ako. *[applause]* Pag mag-abot ng --- mag-abot ng mga alas-diyes wala pa, maghanap na kayo diyan sa tubig. *[laughter]* Bilisan lang ninyo kasi 'yung current dito is --- ang movement ng current eh --- saan ba ang malaking tulak? Pacific to the west, east, west.

I am pleased to join you today in inaugurating this hybrid solar-diesel power plant that will pave the way to a greener tomorrow for Romblon and the rest of the country. This is indeed a milestone not only for the people of the province, but for our environment as well.

Ganito ang istorya niyan, those who are producing oil and coal are always against itong hybrid lalo na kung solar. And all sorts of stories about the disadvantages of having a solar that it cannot withstand --- well of course the forces of nature.

The first thing that I asked myself and later on kay Zaldy was: "Adre, pwede ba itong --- can it withstand the forces of nature?" Sabi niya, "It's built to last longer than the life of the typhoon even at 300 kilometers per hour." Sabi ko, "Eh di mas mahusay. Bakit hindi natin gawin 'to."

Well, anyway it's always a lobby money. Those who are selling oil, Shell, lahat 'yan sila, unless they develop into the modern technology of the solar you harvest the sky power eh magkakaroon talaga tayo ng medyo --- it's a lobby and it will always be fight in Congress.

Not so much about dito sa akin because I just decide what is best for the country and if it is, then I'll sign it without any --- without any further hullabaloo. But if I think that it is not to the interest of the country and I'd always explain to you why. Ganun po.

Ang masakit sa akin to ponder on it that at this time some of the cooperatives in the past tapos itong bagong --- well money, it's business and we have invited so many investors. But the problem is we continue to be --- anong tawag nitong to --- those little things that make it hard for

the Filipino to enjoy the benefits and advantages of a modern civilization, for example, like Zamboanga, Iloilo.

Alam mo kasi noon ganito you start with a cooperative because a government unit however big it is today starts with small settlements and it grows over time. Wala masyadong pera noon and no investor would come in, so the people themselves bound by an agreement to promote its welfare nagtayo ng, 'o sige contribute tayo dito, dito and the cooperatives'.

Ako wala akong ano ha kung may pera kayo, then I would be the last person that you have to worry. Wala kayong problema sa akin. Tanungin mo si Budoy. Wala akong... I mean I do not tinker with trivial things and even when we were congressmen, we were always guided kung ano ang tama para sa karamihan. The greatest good for the greatest number. *[applause]* That has always been the rule.

Hindi ho nagpapalit 'yan. Simply because even in the olden times if you have 100 and you have 51 against 49, you are the winner. So we follow the majority. The cry is modern energy, renewable energy, less devastation sa ating environment.

And there's always a waste. However you justify it, there's always a waste of everything except solar. So kung ma --- ang takot ko naman pardon my ignorance, kasi nakikita ko sa taas na how could it withstand a typhoon that's whipping you at --- even at 250? Ang sabi ni Zaldy it has been built to last so many times over.

And I'm happy for you. If it would last longer, wala na tayong problema actually at si Zaldy na ang --- give or take about 10 years from now, siya na ang pinaka Lopez ng --- papalit. *[applause]*

I thank Sunwest Water and Electric Company for being our partner in introducing and providing green energy to different parts of the country, especially in off-grid areas.

Talagang well malayo kasi eh magastos 'yung power line.

This pursuit emphasizes how our nationwide electrification thrust is essential in the implementation of the crucial government programs and projects, especially now that we are moving fast forward with our national infrastructure development agenda.

Ever since I assumed office, it has always been my administration's firm policy to safeguard the environment for the well-being [of] future generations.

Ako naman pasingit-singit lang so that you'd know actually what's the sentiment or what's the mindset of the executive department as you balance it with Congress and the Supreme Court. So we are all equal and we are always conscious of that.

Pero 'yung the penchant of some --- alam ni Budoy 'yan --- na kakasabi mo, kakasabi ng EDSA. Right at the start hindi talaga ako nag --- I never mentioned about borrowing about anything. I don't even mentioned about selling kagaya ng GSIS.

I do not sell property especially if it's worth billions. Why? Because we are trying to gather more --- well, properties, assets. And besides maski anong sabihin mo, if it runs into billions, if the property is something like 87, 100 billion, whether you like it or not, there's gonna be something about loose talks of corruption.

Kaya nung when the administration --- I don't know if it was Tugade or --- sabi ko, we need to borrow for EDSA. Because we need money to just even move one stall there. So ang hinihingi nila emergency powers.

But here comes a lady. Atribida ang tawag ko diyan eh. I mean it's good to be honest. It's good to be a crusading public official. No doubt about it, you will be appreciated.

But kung sumobra ka and you think that all elected officials in government are corrupt, oh well then. Sabi ko, kung ganun ang pag-isip ninyo, huwag na. Let EDSA rot there. And at the end of the day, when I go out, then I'll have the freedom to be more frank and more brutal in my language.

Ako ngayon, medyo ano lang ako kasi ano I --- whether I like it or not, the burden of the presidency is on my back. And with it really 'yung salita ko, lalo na ako bastos ako mag...

Eh kasi naman sa --- sa grade 4, if I remember right, 73 ang grado ko so Good Manners and Right Conduct. *[laughter]* At the problem with me, and you'd have to understand that, whether you like it or not kasi nandito na ako, is I never left the paradigm of being a city mayor of a city to the presidency.

Ang salita ko doon sa mga tao ko sa Davao, constituency, parang nadala ko dito sa pagka-Presidente ko. Kaya kung magsalita ako minsan, 'yung pabugoy. Ganun talaga ako. Kaya nga sabi ko, 'pag hindi kami umabot ng alas-diyes, eh maghanap na kayo ng bangka, hanapin na ninyo kami.*[laughter]*

Kaya to be safe, I would like to invite Budoy to go with me in flying to ---*[laughter]* maybe just Caticlan. *[laughter]* He is a very religious man and we are sure of --- *[laughter]* God's... *[applause]*

Projects such as this complement the government's aim to fast track the development of renewable energy sources in the country and, in the process, reduce our nation's dependence on traditional energy sources, including coal.

Fortunately though, as of now, mas mura kung --- if you just go with oil and coal in the meantime. Coal, meron tayo but it destroys... No, you can have --- you cannot have it all. You get one, you lose one.

You have a cheap power plant --- coal, oil, but the fossil, the carbon, the fossil fuel leaves a lot of carbon footprints in our country. And I do not know how it would impact on the next generation.

So pagka ngayon talaga... I was talking to, I think it was the Russian diplomat yesterday, and they are as much worried as anybody else about itong climate. Talagang nagbago eh.

Before, may typhoon tayo. Wala --- huwag na tayo magbolahan. Ito ngayon pagka humampas, talagang malakas. And to our dismay, we are the window of the Pacific. Tayo talaga ang unang hinahampas ng Pacific Ocean na 'yan.

So whatever warning there is in the sea and lots of moisture, evaporation, pagka marami 'yan tapos dalin ng hangin because of the so many --- mainit then tatagpo ng malamig, ayon. So we had the Yolanda which was a very sad experience for all of us.

With this groundbreaking solar project, I am confident that the energy-related organizations will follow the good example that SUWECO has set.

This initiative highlights the importance of having environmentally compliant power plants to prevent further environmental damage and reduce emissions of harmful chemicals.

One is the carbon footprints. Too much of it actually for the human being or the body to absorb. Second is we have destroyed our marine resources all over. And we had that experience of Canada and the rest of the industrialized countries exporting their garbage in the guise of 'yung magamit mo pa.

Some industrial extras or waste even that can be of use to the --- of use to us itong developing countries. Kaya 'yung Canada nagpadala ng basura about so many years ago at ayaw kunin. Kaya sinabi ko, "P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* mo, ibubuhos ko 'yan sa pantalan mo. Ayaw ninyong maniwala? Subukan ninyo."

Sabi ko agad, kuha kayo ng barko, 'yung luma na isang biyahe lang, na hindi na pagbalik, doon na rin lulubog 'yang p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* 'yan. *[laughter]* Ibigay mo sa kanila. And I'd like to say to the Western countries, do not make us a garbage dump.

You know, you might be more powerful, more and more developed and rich. But your wealth does not translate into something like making other nations --- 'yung sa Bisaya 'yung daog-daog. *[Ano ba 'yung daog-daog sa Tagalog?]*

Api-api. Ano ba ito dito? Tagalog o Bisaya? *[laughter]* 'Yung pang-api-api ng mga... Even then, that's why I'm going to China. And the first thing that I will bring out before them, the arbitral ruling.

Ganito 'yan eh, so we do not go to war, okay. Hindi naman talaga tayo pwede makipag-giyera sa kanila. I will just feed my army and the military and the police to the mouths of hell. Mamamatay lahat 'yan at this time.

Pero sabihin ko sa kanila na, you have always been saying we do not want --- we do not have to go to war, we do not have to go to trouble and let us resolve this controversy peacefully. 'Di ba I told you that before my term ends, I would have to talk to the Chinese about this.

So I will ask them, as what you said and what we have agreed upon, we talk to resolve this problem peacefully. Now, how, tell me, how do we start to solve the problem peacefully? There has got to be something.

You just cannot talk air. At sabi nila hindi pag-usapan. Sabi ko, no. If I'm not allowed as a President of a sovereign nation to talk whatever I want to talk about, then let us not rather talk altogether.

Huwag na. Do not control my mouth because that is a gift from God. *[laughter]* It was not --- God-given. *[applause]* I have my own universal identity. I have a soul which will go to heaven because of what you did to Mother Earth. Ang babait natin. Nasali na rin ako sa --- the drift of the goodwill of the people.

So whether you like it or not, will it make you happy or not, angry or otherwise, I'm sorry. But we have to talk the arbitral ruling then what we get if there is a start in the exploration and in the extraction of whatever worth there is in the bowels of the earth.

The proposal of 60-40 in our favor would be a good start. I hope that it would graduate into something like towards how do we solve the arbitral ruling peacefully.

You know, if you study the sentence very, very carefully, if we cannot go to war because we cannot simply afford it, we cannot afford violence, trouble because it is not the norm of the day just to kill people for disagreement. Then, let us talk about... What is there, you have to share with us.

Any other adventures or expeditions in the marine oceans of our exclusive zones, economic zones will have a direct bearing on that arbitral ruling. Hindi ako papayag na ano, TY 'yan. Hindi naman ako makipag-away pero ang balita ko kasi, 'yung mga taga-Romblon matatapang. Dito ako kukuha ng mga sundalo una. *[laughter and applause]*

Kayo lang ata hindi na-invade ng mga Español eh. Meron ba dito? Wala. Meron bang tisoy dito na Español? Si... Ah hindi 'yan ano. Insulares 'yan. *[laughter]*

I'm referring to the imperialists who, you know... Huwag na lang, gabihin tayo niyan. *[Pwede ba tayo mag-take off ng gabi? Okay tayo? Gabi? Mag-take off tayo ng gabi? Ah.]*

Basta wala lang bird hit. 'Yun ang ano ng --- 'yung tamaan ng maski bubuyog diyan, ganun...

The initiative highlights the importance of having environmentally compliant power plants to prevent further the degradations of our Mother Nature.

As we celebrate this milestone, I encourage everyone to renew your commitment in upholding our stewardship for the environment and the protection of what is best for the welfare and protection of our country.

As we look ahead with optimism, I urge every Filipino to demonstrate solidarity in our shared goal for building a stronger and more sustainable society for all.

Alam mo 'yung --- 'yung ano is "daghang salamat" huwag na 'yun. Dapat magpasalamat kayo, ang layo nitong --- ilang ride ito. *[laughter]* Ang gulo pa ng ano pagpasok. It's quite --- at a certain altitude entering the...

Alam mo sa taas, wala masyadong hangin. It's above weather eh. But when you go down, 'yung clouds, there's turbulence and it really creates a ripple upstairs.

Ang gusto ko lang ring iwanan itong --- nakalimutan ko itong... 'Yun sana, 'yung mga politiko. 'Yang telco o whatever who wins eventually, 'yung Pilipino kasi...

Alam mo sa totoo lang nangangailangan kami ng pera. Sino bang hindi? Pero kung sabihin nitong mga p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* magnakaw pa kasi gobyerno, eh kanila 'yan. Hindi kami. At least hindi ako.

I've been [23] years as a mayor, wala akong regrets na --- I stood tall all the time. Matanda na ako. Ang ano nga nung nagkasakit ako sabi ko, tingnan ninyo kung baka ma --- tataob talaga ako --- kung saan ninyo ako ilibing?

Sabi ng military, sa Libingan ng mga Bayani. 'Yan, 'yan okay 'yan. Maraming gusto diyan. Kaya nationwide, ipa-raffle ko 'yan. *[laughter]* Gusto mo ng Libingan ng mga Bayani? Magbili ka ng lottery. Isali ko na sa lottery sa...

Ako, you just burn me within 24 hours and you just place my ashes with Earth. Isali na ninyo ako sa sunog diyan sa --- if you need anything to burn. Ang ibig kong sabihin --- hindi man ako -- I'm not trying to be morbid. 'Yung mga tao na ano.

'Yang telco. Kung maski sino papanaluhin mo, ganyan talaga may transfer... 'Di kung --- eh di kung ganon, 'di 'yung kompanya ko na lang gawain kong telco tutal kami na maghiram ng pera at ako na ang gagawa. Bakit ko ibigay sa iba? Tonto pala 'yang ano. Why would you give them opportunity when you can have it all?

What I'm trying to say is we are delayed because every time government embarks on a program for the people, it is always suspect of corruption. Kaya 'yung iba hindi na gaganahan. And it's true during my time, panahon sa --- namin ni Budoy. Wala talagang maganda sa --- lalo na if you happened to be in the opposition. But we were with the opposition. They never talked at all. Kabobo mo naman kung hindi mo alam that it will have like this one.

Kung may foreign equity 'yan o whatever, a consortium of foreigners. Oh why do you have to? If you do not know how to improve the country and you always think in terms of money, something must be wrong with you. 'Yan ang...

I'm not saying about the opposition now. I'm talking about politicians because this year ikaw 'yung opposition, next year sila.

Kaya sabi ko why did it take so long for us to reach this kind of development or stage? O prangkahan ko kayo. Noon pa Marcos was good. But he allowed the family to intervene. Talagang mahusay 'yon. But all succeeding...

Itong military pati police --- and do not be offended kasi totoo ito --- 'pag may mga demonstrations and you know that democracy is tilting one way or the other, you intervene and join the clamor for change.

Ang problema ng military pati police, pagkatapos na pinaalis nila 'yung mga g\*\*\*, ibigay ninyo doon sa kabila na g\*\*\* rin.

Itong mga politiko na ito, 'yung nandiyan nag-sige satsat ngayon, ito rin 'yung noon sa ibang administration. Wala ring ginawa. Gaya nitong nila Ongpin, itong mga mayaman, itong mga Meralco.

Sabi ko sa inyo ang corruption alam namin hindi dito 'yan sa mga Customs-Customs. Maliliit 'yan but you have to correct it. Pero ang corruption dito sa itaas. 'Yang walang bayad-bayad na

mag-abot ng billion tapos they will reduce it to millions. Tapos maghiram, you condone it. Kaya mag --- nag-dive 'yang...

You remember, all of you are almost businessmen here. Ang DBP karaming pera noon. Oh look, ipinahiram nila itong sa power, kay Lopez. So what happened? What happened to the loans that were granted by DBP at the behest of...? Hindi binayaran. They condoned the billions. So ang DBP mahina. It cannot really cope up with its... It does not have the money what it --- what it used to be.

Ganon eh. Ang corruption is taas. Kaya dito ko binabantayan. 'Yang mga --- pero 'yang masabi mo mga corrupt diyan sa baba, well of course, it affects a lot of Filipinos. Checkpoint, Customs, BIR. Kaya ang sunod BIR.

You know what, I suggest to you in all honesty, let us go to sa ating taxation gross. Maski sinong tanungin mo walang daya sa gross. Kung tingin ko ilan ang...

Dito tayo magdaya sa neto. Kasi kung mag neto ka --- net, o minus itong deduction na bayad ko dito, SSS. Ito 'yung nabigay kong mga ano na 14 additional salary, ito 'yung mga expenses ko.

In the end, pag-plus mo, sabihin ng examiner, 'Ah hindi 'yan, hindi allowed 'yan.' Ngayon ikwenta niya uli. Pagkwenta niyang p\*\*\*\* i\*\* niya, malaki.

O sabi niya, 'O sige magbayad ka lang nito. Pero okay, we will assess you at 5 million. Ibigay mo sa amin ang 2 million, 3 ang ibayad mo.'

Pero 'pag mag-gross ka, wala na, nandiyan lahat. Magkano ang binebenta mo? Magkanong kinita mo sa araw na 'yan? Wala 'yung minus na sweldo ng tao mo. Dito tayo sa gross. Hong Kong, Singapore, I think even Indonesia and... Gross tayo. Ang hang...

Alam mo ang gusto kong gawin bago ako mag-alis? Baka matakot kayo. *[laughter]* Sabihin ko lang aalis na ako, aalis talaga ako. Bigyan lang ninyo ako limang araw. Do not f\*\*\* with me for one week. I will change government.

Before I leave, gross tayo. Itong examiners. Ang --- ang nabubusog diyan ang examiners eh. Sila 'yung magkukuwestiyon eh.

Kaya ako dito sa --- 'tong sa Customs 'yung last time, I really insisted. I'm not satisfied with six or seven of you going out. I want the 64 with cases in Customs dismissed. And I will insist on that even if I have to put my foot down as President.

I seldom use the title president. I appreciate if you just address me as mayor. Lahat ng magtawag sa akin ng presidente hindi ko pinapansin. And you would know why.

Magsabi ka "President-President," magtingin lang ako sa iyo. 'Pag tanungin mo, 'Bakit hindi ka magsagot?' 'Eh kay sino may sabi sa'yo Presidente ako?' You just call me mayor.

That's the... Kaya gusto ko lang i-share kay hindi man ninyo ako nakita noon even during the campaign.

'Yung Boracay p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* 'yan. 'Di ang dumi-dumi. Ang baho pa. Napasyal ako diyan gabi, I was --- Caticlan ako because nag-chopper lang ako. Sabi ko, "Linisin mo 'yan."

My penchant for getting military people, police kasi nasusunod ang gusto ko. Alam naman ng police pati military na hindi ako mag-utos sa kanila nang mali. I would not --- ipapasubo ko ang mga tao ko diyan sa Armed Forces. They are my soldiers because I am the Commander-in-Chief at ang police because I am the Chief Executive of government.

Hindi ko kayo ipapasubo sabihin mag-utos ako na sabihan, 'P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* patayin mo 'yan lahat ng durugista.'

Huwag mong ano... Pero siyempre pagtalikod, 'Huwag kayong maniwala doon.' [laughter] 'Ubusin mo 'yung...T\*\*\* i\*\* kayong...'

Kayo diyan sa Boracay, sa itaas, sa itaas grabe ang droga diyan. I've been telling you guys do not destroy my country. There is enough time to repair for my country. [applause] Hindi ako --- hindi ko kayo tinatakot but I have about two and so many months left.

'Pag --- t\*\*\* i\*\* 'pag hindi ko nakita na... Hindi ako aalis diyan na I will leave the Philippines in shambles. Hindi ako papayag na at one time Rodrigo Duterte passed the presidency. I do not want you to remember me. For all I care, I do not want also to think of you.

Pero p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* pagka nakita ko na... Hihiritan ko talaga kayo. Maghihirit ako, magtatapon ako ng last card ko at baka 'yang card na 'yan hindi lang king or queen, alas talaga 'yan para... You know, give me two months.

Sabihin ko kayo, ito, abolish this office. Wala na kayo. 'Yang Customs, wala na 'yang inspection-inspection. Even immigration may slide na.

But of course, 'yung [naduduha?] namin, talagang may atraso. [Huwag ka munang umulan diyan kasi nag-uusap kami dito.] [laughter and applause]

Ganun. Sigurado na. Hindi ako --- I'm not trying to say I am the cleanest guy in town. I am the most, I... Everything I talk about becomes ex cathedra, the truth. Mayroon akong --- marami rin na... Masabi? Marami. Faults? Plenty. Pero nakaw, pera? Ay p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*.

Wala kayong mutya dito mapakilala? [laughter] Ah mutya ka, ma'am? 'Yun pa mapag-usapan natin. [laughter] Pera-pera diyan. Hindi mo ma --- you cannot bring money in coins and in paper notes. But you bring...

Alam mo you only pass through this world but once. Ayaw kong 'pag patalikod na ako, for example, mahulog 'yung helicopter ko [laughter] hindi na ako mag-iisip na may ginawa ako na dapat hindi ko gawin.

'Yung sa trabaho ginagawa ko 'yan. Pero sabi ko na may gusto akong gawin, ibig sabihin niyan hindi ako sinagot kasi sabi niya, 'P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* matanda ka na. Ang landi-landi mo.' [laughter]



Pero patawa lang 'yan. Ito 'yung sinasabi nila na misogynist daw ako ng mga babae. 'Yan ang biro sa amin eh. So I grew up with that kind of --- 'yung mga ganun.

Every time kasi babae, babae. 'Di mag-prangkahan tayo mga lalaki. Hindi, totoo lang. Para kasi ang isa --- sinasakyan ninyo eh. *[laughter]* Sabi, "Duterte, bastos, babae, babae."

Okay sige. Simplehin natin. Kung walang babae, basta nandito na lang tayo sa mundo. Oh walang babae, magtinginan tayo. *[laughter]* Anong gusto mo? May general diyan magtingin sa akin, 'Anong gusto mo? Halikan mo ako? P\*\*\* barilin kita diyan.' *[laughter and applause]*

Kaya 'yang mga --- itong mga babae na ano. Kasali 'yan sa yellow campaign na "babae, babae, babae." Hindi nila alam p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* 'yung sinasabi ko 'yung sa madre. Ako 'yung nagpa-hostage. You look back sa 19... *[Kelan ba nangyari 'yung kay Pugoy?]*

Ako 'yung nagsabi, "Bitawan mo 'yung bata pati 'yung yaya." Kasi ang yaya, sister-in-law, ang nanay nakalabas. Ang bata, ayaw na kasi breastfed. Ayaw na mag-dodo kasi ang hanap nanay kasi... Ako na nga 'yung sinasabi nila na misogynist ako, 'yung madre totoo 'yon. Totoo. Tanungin ninyo mga pulis na matagal na serbisyo.

Ako 'yung nagpa-hostage. Sabi ko, "Tanggalin mo 'yang --- paalisin mo 'yang bata." Pagsabi ko bitawan mo, diretso na ako. Diretso na ako.

Twice I did it in thy name, woman. Ako --- ako ang may first. Mayor pa ako. May anti-discrimination na ako. Sa Davao, hindi ka pwede magsabi, 'ah ito, ano ka --- llonggo ka. Wala ka, Tikal ka.' Ganun.

You cannot do that. 'Ikaw, bakla ka.' With more. Bawal talaga doon magbastos about your tribe. 'Ah itong mga Bisaya, palahubog. Ganun. May sungay.' You cannot do that, and magreklamo sila because there's a law. And it was passed during my time. May batas talaga ako.

So sige naman kayo tingin ng relo, hindi naman 'yan sira. *[laughter]* So totoo talaga na... I'd be -- it's 6:30. Malayo 'yung bahay ninyo dito? *[laughter]* Sa totoo lang. Malalayo ang ba... How many hours to travel? *[Person: Dalawa 'yung iba. Isa, dalawa]*

Hindi na sana kayo pumunta dito. *[laughter]* Ganun pala. Hayaan mo 'yang Presidente, tatal wala kayo. Cut ribbon, switch. Okay na. Pero siyempre kung may tao, magsalita ako. Lalo na hindi niyo ako narinig noong...

'Yang Boracay, nilinisan ko 'yan. Anong pinagsasabi dito? "Ah, ibigay ni Duterte 'yan sa mga Intsik." Hoy, mga ulol. *[laughter]* Ang Intsik sa amin, lolo ko. My grandfather is a Chinese, Lam. Ang lola ko sa mother side is a Maranao. Tatay ko Cebuano.

Pero gusto ko ang mga llongga. *[laughter]* llongga talaga ano ---malambing. Malambing. Totoo 'yan. Kaya 'yang mga sundalo, napasyal naman 'yan maski saan. Hindi masyado sundalo kasi -- itong mga pulis. Mag-iwan talaga... Ang mga pulis? Susmaryosep.

Sa mayor ko, in the entire --- how many years akong mayor? [Twenty]-three years, wala akong pinuntahan na libing ng pulis, p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*, na pagdating doon, isang pamilya lang ang umiiyak. *[laughter]* T\*\*\* i\*\*\*\*...

Ay sus. Eh papaano pag-graduate ng PNPA, pa-assign doon sa siyudad, law enforcement. They enforce the law. Tapos 'yung jeep na bago. Binili na 'yung bago, naka-parking na doon sa cabaret. Doon sa mga minus one.

Kaya ang pinakamaganda diyan, ang unang boyfriend niyan, either mayaman, may sugar daddy, o pulis, o kaya pulis tapos 'yung gangster. 'Yung gangster, hindi alam ng buang na pag-duty niya sa istasyon, pupunta 'yan doon sa kabila.

Ganun 'yang mga babae. 'Yan ang ano nila doon sa... Kaya 'yang binibigyan ninyo, hiwalayan ninyo. Wala ito. Hindi 'yan inyo. Akala mo lang iyo. *[laughter]* Pulis? Ilang beses? Kaibigan ko. Matalik ko...

You know, my father was governor of Davao. He was governor for 12 years. Kaya ako sanay sa pulis. Pati itong PC. Mag... 'Pag maglibing talaga diyan, mag huhuhuhu (mimics crying).

Tapos doon sa kabila, sabi ko, "O, sino 'yung p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* umiiyak diyan ha?" "Sir, 'yon 'yung asawa niya." "Huhuhu" (mimics crying). *[laughter]* Tapos may tatlo, may apat dito. P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* pulis na ito. *[laughter]* Paano buhayin itong...?

Kaya ang warning ko silang PNPA bago mag-report doon sa Davao noong mayor ako? Sabi ko, "P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*, huwag kayong magkabit-kabit dito ha? Magtiis kayo. Ikaw, wala kang asawa?" "Wala pa." "O, maghanap ka ng asawa. Maraming maganda dito."

Pero nagwa-warning talaga ako kasi iyan. May isang pulis binugbog ko pa. Alam mo ginawa? Nag-iyak, "huhuhu (mimics crying), sir. P\*\*\*. Sinuntok ako. Ayan. Tapos binira ako. Ayan sir. Sinipa pa ako dito sa hita."

"Saan? Saan? Saang hita 'yan?" "Dito sir. Ito." "Ah, o. Sige. Saan pa, sir?" "'Yan sa likod, sir o, sinipa pa." P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* pulis na 'to. Sabi ko, "tawagin mo ang pulis?" Tapos dalhin ko 'yan sa kwarto, 'yung papuntang CR. P\*\*\*. Tawagan ko 'yung asawa. "Halika. Saan ka unang sinuntok?" "Dito, sir." "P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* kang pulisa ka. Mmm." Tumba na. Pagtumba niya, sabi ko, "Ano pa?" "Ayan sir, 'yung dito, sipa man 'yan." "P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* ka."

Eh may sakit ako kasi nakuha ko sa... That is why istrikto ako. Istrikto talaga ako diyan sa child abuse. Kasi 'yung nanay ko... Gusto ninyong umuwi? *[laughter]* O, makinig kayo sa istorya ng nanay ko? *[laughter]* Para maintindihan ninyo ako.

Hindi ako nagyayabang. I'm not... That's nothing to brag about. It's about the discipline na minsan... Ang nanay ko kasi kung magkastigo sa akin, walang hinto. Kung magpalo 'yan, akala mo nagapalo ng aso --- na aso na itinali.

Ako nakaganun na sa altar. Kaya ang... Wala, nagsige na "pak" dito sa likod, "pak" sa paa. Kaya wala akong iba --- nakatingin na lang ako kay Jesus Christ. Sabihin ko, "Jes." Ginoo. Ginoo sa Bisaya 'yung Diyos.

"Ginoo ka man. Bulungan mo 'yung nanay ko. Masakit na masyado." *[laughter]* Kaya ang sabi ni... Oo, narinig ko talaga si Jesus nagsabi, "P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* ka, Rodrigo, ako dito ilang century na nakalaylay pa rin." *[laughter and applause]*

Kaya magkita kami minsan sa... Hindi, huwag kayong maniwala diyan sa pari na wala akong relihiyon. Buang. May tao ba dito na --- how can you be in this universe not believing in God? It's endless. Only God can do it.

The universe is endless. Tayo lang ang may tao but you know, we can solve that problem when we die. Kaya 'yung kastigo? Kaya maski simbahan ako magpunta noon na pumapasok pa ako ng simbahan?

Ay nag-away kami ng mga... May pari ba dito? *[laughter]* Isa rin... Isa pa kayo. Hay nako, 'yung sinabi ko nung kampanya ko, totoo 'yon. 'Yung maliit pa kami sa Ateneo? Tootoo 'yon. Tootoo 'yon.

Iyang si Dominguez kay classmate ko 'yan. Baka mag... 'Yan ang valedictorian namin, 'yung Finance Secretary natin. Hanggang America 'yan, Stanford ata. Bright talaga 'yan. Ako ang 75. *[laughter]* P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*. Tsk.

Kaya nung na-Presidente ako, tinitignan ko kasi Tugade. Si Tugade, 'yan ang --- valedictorian namin 'yan sa law school sa San Beda. Bright 'yan. Halos si Mon Lopez, scholar ng ano 'yan. Scholar 'yan sila lahat. Magna. Tignan ninyo ang record.

Pati ang mga military, si Delfin Lorenzana. Bright 'yan. Valedictorian. High school --- ang high school niya doon sa Cotabato. Cotabato, Ilocano 'yan eh. Sabi talaga ng mga Moro doon, talagang bright 'yan.

Kaya mag-preside ako ng meeting, minsan pagsabi ko, "Oh, let's say our prayers." Tawagin ko minsan, "General Lorenzana, do it." "Ah, sige. We pray Lord..." Ganun. Tapos tinitignan ko sila nagdadasal.

Puro valedictorian, cum laude. Tapos sabi ko, "Ang buhay nga talaga." *[laughter]* Puro valedictorian. Pareho niyan sila mga general. PMA. Tapos pagpasok ko, tindig lahat 'yan, salute. *[laughter and applause]*

Ang grado ko? Sa totoo lang, walang ha --- walang... Hindi ako nagpapatawa. Grado ko talaga. Hindi man lang ako umabot ng 78. *[laughter]* 75, 74, minsan 72. Kung sabagay, diyan lang. Isang grado ako 64. Pero 'yon lang.

Wala akong... No special talent, it's just to do what I say. 'Pag sinabi kong huwag, huwag. 'Pag sinabi ko talaga "huwag," huwag mo talagang gawin. Pagka ginawa mo 'yan, sasabog tayo.

Sinasabi ko sa --- sabi ko sa military, sa civilian, mga director... Ilang Cabinet members na? Ang sabi nila, "Ba't itong si Duterte mahilig sa..." Eh tignan mo ang Boracay. Sinong inutusan ko? Si Cimat, general. Año DILG, general, chief of staff.

Tignan mo, sabi ko linisan niyo ang Boracay. 'Wag ninyong papasukin ang iba basta linisan ninyo, wala 'wag maggawa. Anong --- anong dapat gawin niyo, gawain ninyo. Six months' time, tapos. Tapos sinabi ibigay ko daw sa mga casino. Ha? Ang sabi ko no gambling. May mga kontrata sila sa PAGCOR, sabi ko "No. I will not honor your..."

Pati 'yan sa STL maraming nag-file na... Sinabi ko na sa inyo hindi ako maniwala ng korte. T\*\*\* i\*\* ninyo sumunod kayo sa gobyerno kasi dinadaya ninyo ng milyon. File-file kayo ng korte, ah f\*\*\* you. *[laughter and applause]*

Oo, may apat. Sinabi ko, 'sabihin mo nga diyan sa judge na 'yan, sinabi ko ayaw ko.' Kasi 'yan ang pang-ano nila eh. They resort to injunction para ano. Kawawa ang gobyerno. Kaya diyan sa --- wala akong partido. 'Yang PDP pero it's used to be a moribund party.

Wala kang makita sa akin diyan na may umaakyat na governor o congressman. Sa panahon ko walang politiko. Walang magsabi doon na, 'mayor na ipa --- ah 'yang si ano ipa-assign mo doon sa distrito ko.' Eh karamihan niyan p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* meron 'yang agenda. Kagaya niyan kung hindi 'yung sugal.

Mas tigas ngayon ang police --- chief of police, kasi doon ako naniniwala. Tsaka itong si Año ano rin, istrikto masyado. 'Yan ang gusto ko. Pero kung kayo --- ito sa pulis, sa military, pagka nagkakaso 'yan akin 'yan. 'Pag may inutos ako mag-operate kayo, patayin ninyo lahat 'yang mga p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* 'yan kasi wala ng ginawa kung hindi sirain ang bayan natin, patayin ninyo. Huwag kayong mag-iwan ng buhay.

Ngayon kung puputok 'yan akin 'yan, ako ang magpakulong. Sa ginagawa nila somebody has to answer for that. And if I get hanged pagkatapos ng termino ko, I am willing to go to the gallows. Ma-improve ko lang man ito maski one half, pwede na ninyo akong... But do not forget to bring the beautiful angels in front of me. *[laughter]*

I will be happy to die looking at beautiful women. Ano pa bang hingiin mo sa buhay? Ba-bye na, magkita tayo sa langit. *[laughter]* Kung impiyerno mas magaling, nandoon lahat ng mga bigain -- - bigaon na babae. *[laughter]*

Ah 'yung maraming may kasalanan. 'Di na ako magtagal kasi... Sa awa ng Diyos umabot tayo dito ng isang oras kalahati. Sorry ha, matagal kasi akong walang chismis totoo lang. *[laughter]* Hindi ako --- totoo. I've been to Davao, I've been signing papers. Alam mo ang sina-sign kong papers everyday?

Do you know...? Tanungin mo si Devana... A president --- kasi malapit 'yan --- a President, ako, I have to sign 6,000 appointments hanggang ngayon. Middle of... 'Yung iba purposely hindi ko pinirmahan para maka-save ng pera. Tingin ko wala kang trabaho masyado, hindi ko na... Pero if I follow my duty, there are still 6,000. And I have to read 'yang ganun.

Hindi ako nagpipirma maski 'yang... Tinitignan ko 'yung records nila, itong sundalo ilan ang asawa nito? *[laughter]* Pulis. Ganun 'yan. Hindi ako nagpipirma --- sabi mo magpirma na nakabulto diyan, tapos pirma. Maski na may initial na kay Justice secretary o kay Medialdea binabasa ko pa rin 'yan.

Kayo mga abogado. Mahirap kasi magkamali. Nakakahiya eh. Pero ako maligaya ako kasi nakatiis kayo. Patawa-tawa kayo maski gutom na. *[laughter]* Sorry lang. Gusto --- 'yung iba gusto ng... Narinig ko, 'P\*\*\*\*\* j\*\*\*\* Duterte na ito haba-haba ng --- ayaw na tapusin.' 'Di tapusin natin. *[laughter]*

Maligaya ako, nandito ako and I hope that I have educated you about this plant and about how government operates and how we... I'm just giving you the advance ano. And I tell you, we speak from the heart.

Maraming salamat po. *[applause]*

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