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#### **SPEECH OF PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE DURING THE CONFERMENT CEREMONY OF THE GAWAD SA MANLILIKHA NG BAYAN (GAMABA), 2018 PHILIPPINE HERITAGE AWARD AND NATIONAL ARTIST AWARDS**

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Salamat po. Kindly sit down. Thank you for your courtesy.

No offense intended actually, pero I think this is from the united... I don't know what but they're all disunited to me. Human rights incorporated.

Ang award ko, the Best National Worker of the Government. I would read the prepared speech kasi nakakahiya naman sa gumawa dito. [laughter] Eh run-of-the-mill tat --- dalawang pages.

But just also to highlight and to honor the event, but I would like to also ask that you ask --- I will be allowed to maybe to ask open questions not really answer sa --- para masabi ko rin ang ano ang nasa loob ko as your President.

The Executive Secretary Salvador Medialdea and the other members of the Cabinet; Chairman Virgilio Almario and the officers and commissioners of the National Commission for Culture and Arts; Chairperson Margie Moran-Floirendo and the other board of trustees of the Cultural Center of the Philippines; this year's recipients of the Presidential Medal of Merit; Philippine Heritage Awards; Gawad ng Manlilikha ng Bayan; Order of National Artists Award; other distinguished guests; mga kababayan ko.

It's really ironic that you are in a place where we ought to be talking in the national language which is really the Tagalog.

Problem is kami hong Mindanao who grew up there, grew up with mix dialects so we can talk Tagalog no better, Bisaya no better, and we can maybe ramble on to some Ilocano sentences and I can talk well in Ilonggo because Davao City is a melting pot and we grew up with different lingos there.

So hindi masyado ako sanay sa Tagalog which I would wanted to use as the medium. But problema ho I sometimes cannot express the words right there and then so I intend --- I tend to use the Visayan word or the English which seems to be convoluted. Probably we'll just stick with the --- the language of the colonials.

Executive Secretary --- tapos na man pala ito. [laughter] Dito na tayo sa...

It is my honor to stand before you today as we give due recognition to this year's awardees of The Gawad ng Manlilikha ng Bayan, the Philippine Heritage Awards, and The Order of National Artists.

Our cultural heritage is vital to the formation to identify Filipinos. Congruent to our vision and fostering a proud and flourishing nation, the government has taken steps to show our deep appreciation for the inherent talents and skills of our national folk artists, the conservation of our heritage sites and the relentless pursuit for excellence of our Filipino artists.

In today's fast-paced highly technological and modern world, it is imperative that we do our part in preserving and promoting our homegrown talent. We must recognize and fulfill our duty to stay true to who we are, remember where we came from and honor the timelessness of our culture and tradition.

The ability to effectively express one's emotion and thoughts to art, whatever form it may be is a talent that only a selective few possess. To this year's awardees, I laud you for the passion and dedication to your chosen craft. Your outstanding work does not only inspire self-determination, but likewise instills patriotism and brings prestige to our beloved country.

I urge our awardees to never hesitate to pass down their knowledge and skills to the younger generation because it is the --- it is only by educating and training the youth that the legacy and work of our artists can live on.

In ways more than one, art has been a witness to this storied history of our nation. It gave rise to the revolutions and served as a voice to those who fought for democracy and emboldened the spirit of the Filipino during the turbulent times. Indeed, art has gone as a general service and we recognize this by supporting our local and traditional artist and spearheading initiatives to safeguard, preserve, and protect our cultural sites.

As we celebrate Filipino excellence in all forms, may your creativity and artistry continue to inspire our people to become positive in building a more progressive and vibrant Philippines. Congratulations to all the awardees at mabuhay kayong lahat! [applause]

Right at the start, actually there was a talk about building a nation and how to progress and develop vis-à-vis with our value as a Filipino. And with that also our heritage and all the things that have been handed down from generation to generation.

We might differ in language, even in the menu and even in the --- the culture itself. The individual subcultures of the country. But we have this one unifying document and it is called the Constitution of the Republic of the Philippines.

I said we have varied in so many things. We are varied but our forefathers long ago decided to choose our flag and to write down the constitution to serve as unifying factor for this nation.

Now, let me go to now to... We are all done with the citations. I think every talent has been spoken about. Now, let me talk into the bare minimal of governance and how I think country --- our country can respond to the basic problems of what generation --- or what ails this generation from attaining a perfect thing as envisioned by our forefathers.

But you will remember when I'm gone literally or stepping down from office that I can say two things to you. If we cannot have law and order in this country and if we cannot stop corruption in the very government, the agency through which the will of the people is expressed, then I think that if we compare ourselves unfairly with the other Asian countries, we would not be able to reach their level of economic activity even if we are to grant ourselves another five to seven years.

Now, at the start, I'd like you to also disabuse the mind about intolerance, about the laziness, about the character or the whole --- the indolent Filipinos they call. But it goes hand in hand also with what's available in front of them.

Right after World War --- this is the same speech that I gave downstairs but I want to be consistent with it. It talks about how we are trying very hard to really reach the unreachable star.

First is that right after the war, having freed from being a colony, well, almost of Southeast Asia were occupied by the British, Dutch, and the Americans, we started to rebuild our nations. So with the rest of the world, so with Southeast Asia.

Now, some time after a few years, you could hear that the Philippines used to be the second and now we are the last or second to the last.

And I just might --- I remind my countrymen na ganito kasi tayo because we have to develop and we need more than just the labor force and everything and even the aid, the assistance.

More than that, we need the vital resource of the commodity and it is oil. I don't know how God managed to calculate the distribution but oil was given to Brunei which is really awash with oil, so with Malaysia and Indonesia.

The Philippines, none at all. The gas reserves seems to be very limited. The Malampaya is I think not making good and the geothermal is not producing the desired results.

And so you will look around might be good to just also move your eyes and see the glass, the microphone, the paper, the lectern or rostrum if you may, chairs, the carpets, the chandeliers, they look very nice and even the food down there waiting for us.

Alam mo lahat 'to these things could not come into being by just working. We have to have the source of energy to move the machines, to move the equipments. It has to have power.

And since then, industrial aids of America and the rest, it was all oil. Every time there's an increase in the prices of oil, you can verily expect that by the next week, kasali na 'yung mga prices ng lahat.

So inflation is always there and our trade balance from the calculations anywhere and everywhere even today, we always pay more than we sell. We import more but we export just about a little.

Good that there was a very limited market. China who used to be --- maybe not mad but irritated because of our stance and the Americans should understand that we had to take that steps.

First of all, when I became the guy sitting here, I was already supplied with intelligence support it says that Marawi was about to blow up. And because I needed new equipments. The old ones, alam mo with the thousands of rounds fired since the Marcos days, the barrels of the gun are already loose.

There is --- when a shot is fired, there's a rifling that makes it turn several rounds --- cycle every... And that is what makes it accurate because it has its own momentum. Our guns were almost outdated and there was this order of 63 rounds.

At that moment, when we needed it most, America suspended the sale. And Canada placed a condition when we purchased the Bell helicopters that we cannot install any firearm or whatever machine gun for the use of that helicopter because there's a condition it cannot be used against your own people.

And that is my quarrel with the West for some --- and even EU --- for sheer stupidity. And they cannot claim ignorance about what's --- what usually happens to the country. I cannot make use of the helicopters. They refused to deliver it because I cannot use it against my citizens.

Sino bang gustong pumatay? You think that we would enjoy less or more kaysa kanila? You know my own citizens are there outside killing so many of my soldiers and policemen, and they are out to overthrow our government.

Iyan ang ginagawa ni Sison pati ang mga komunista. Alam ko karamihan diyan mahihirap. Iyan lang rin ang naloloko ng mga --- 'tong mga 'to eh. I used to listen to Sison. I had my days of idealism.

He's my friend. He remained to be a revolutionary. I came to the Age of Enlightenment. All these things someone said and I will copy it: Nation building is not revolution at all. It is evolutionary.

Ang problema nitong mga g\*\*\*\*\* 'to, gusto tayong sirain at ito namang West, ang America pati itong Europe --- European Union, para bang nagmukhang g\*\*\* na hindi sila nagdaan ng giyera.

When arch --- the duke, archduke --- si Ferdinand something was assassinated, they went to war in Europe between 1912 and 1917. They killed seven million Europeans. And they want to make a distinction now from what they did and what happened to them to our situation now.

Hindi naman ako g\*\*\*. Nauna lang kayo. 'Yan ang problema ninyo. So we are --- we do not have the buffer, oil. We do not have that reserve that we can just increase little by little and use ours but export more or totally use ours.

We do not have that luxury. And that is why inflation is very high.

And you can crucify me if you want. Behead me if you want in public. I cannot do anything about the oil. And it's getting worse because Iran is about again to make a surprise move simply because Trump does not like Iran and would want Iran to be out in the map of the Middle East, as they also --- Iran wants to erase the nation of Israel.

Sila-sila 'yan. Damay tayo. Wala naman tayo. We have an exploration agreement with the Israel government. I hope that it --- kung may oil. Maski hindi na sa panahon ko. Wala akong ano diyan. Basta mabigyan lang sana ang Pilipino a break. Iyan ang --- that's what's driving the law and order of this country.

Kung may trabaho lang lahat sana at itong mga left magdahan-dahan because they --- they are acting like spoiled brat.

You know, itong Kadamay in Bulacan, I'm warning you now. Inagaw nila 'yung mga tenements ng --- sa sundalo. Pero meron 'yan sila. But we cannot afford to give you all at the same time. For soldiers and for everybody in this country.

Then they go and seize up the whole building. Tapos sila-sila nagbibilihan, nagra-racket. Their human --- the human frailty. Lalabas rin ke mahirap ka o mayaman ka. Sila-sila ngayon ang nagsisindikato.

Now, I tried to fly in last night --- night na. Pupunta sana ako sa Sagay. I took off mga six o' clock. Sabi ko, "sige." I fly even nighttime sa chopper. Maka-landing lang man ako ng eskwelahan, okay na sa akin 'yan.

Eh... Hindi --- because there was a thunderstorm so we were forced back. But I went to Naga to visit my wounded and those who were killed sa ambush ng NPAs.

Inagaw nila 'yung... May mga tenants na original. Pagkatapos ng harvest, they go in and seize control using violence and intimidation, backed up by the NPAs. This has happened several times. Please do not do it again kasi the next time, if I hear a single incident, I will have you evicted.

I'm addressing now the nation and the communists and the left. Pipilitin ko kayo. Please do not resist violently. I'm ready to do anything to establish order. I am not threatening you pero 'pag sumunod kayo diyan sa mga 'yang mga Kadamay na 'yung mga subdivisions papasok kayo.

I know that you are poor. I know that you want land. I know that you are suffering. I know that you are in agony. Naranasan ko rin 'yan. Migrants lang rin kami sa Mindanao.

Pero kung ganun ang style ninyo, you create disorder, remember what I have told you, ipupusta ko itong pagka-President ko, my honor and life and even my presidency. Do not force me to choose whatever there is. Hindi ako papayag because you are eating your own children that --- ika nga, there's a saying, "Revolutions eat their own children."

Huwag na ninyong gawain 'yan. Hindi ako natatakot basta sinasabi ko sa'yo ipupusta ko ang buhay ko, 'yung pagka-Presidente ko and even honor itself. Wala akong pakialam. In the first place, hindi ko naman talaga kasali sa aking mga...

You know we --- bata ka pa, you dream of being this and that. Presidency was never included because that was, to me, hindi para akin 'yan.

Ngayon kung pilitin ninyo ako, so be it. Let's do it. Hamunin ko kayo. Let's do it para wala ng ano. You want to try tonight? Do it and I will call the police and the military to do what is necessary to place you where you should belong.

Go back to where you came from or you want inside the coffin? Fine. They --- they would impeach me? Good. I'd be happy to get out but do not f\*\*\* with me, kindly.

Corruption, isa pa 'yan. We are all agreed --- we have all our idealism. I am glad that I am in a crowd --- at least all of you or maybe really all as in all. You have maintained your principles and values that you've learned so well for our country. Thank you.

But there's something more than that. If you really want to stop corruption, the Filipino must be assertive. And tell your friends and everybody not to give in to corrupt people. Kasi 'pag meron pang corruption --- meron pa 'yang corrupt nagpapapasok ng droga...

I said at one time here in this hall, kakatapos ko lang nung Nayong Pilipino, I was just fixing it, when I arrived for the command conference, here comes the report of a ghost delivery sa AFP hospital. So I fired the generals and I told all of them, military and the police, they were all here for a command conference.

All you have to do is to say, "We do not like you governing." And I'm ready to go down now. If you, major commanders of the Navy, Air Force, Police pati Army, tumindig kayo, without saying a word, I will go out of this room, pack my things, and I'll go home.

I'm giving the power to you --- eh kasi at least kung ganun kadali ang pangyayari, gugulo talaga 'yan. You have to maintain order. But I'll leave it up to you to decide what happens to this country. I'm not saying follow the Constitution kay kung sabihin ko 'yan, hindi rin niyo sundin, wala rin ako.

But ito sabihin ko sa inyo mga military, makinig kayo. You have maybe staged so many coup d'états, mutiny and everything. Ang problema sa inyo, every time there's a successful revolution, isinasauli ninyo 'yung power ng tao. Power emanates from the people remember, not to the few.

Ibibigay ninyo uli doon sa mga politiko at alam naman ninyo kung sino ang nasa likod --- ang the players of this country and the rich people who had --- who were able to maintain their alliances with government to milk more money.

Kaya next time, if you want a revolutionary government or if you want... Sleep on it, think about it at huwag na lang pagkatapos mag-surrender kayo, mag-salute kayo doon kung sinong salutan (salute) ninyo. Kayo rin ang may kasalanan niyan. You have had your chance to really change the country but you did not.

Now kung ako ang palitan ninyo, fine. I won't be... Sabi ko nga just say so and I will step down if you can provide the remedy of what I said ails this country.

Corruption. Eh paghingi kasi kayo magbibigay then you swallow it and even if you are degraded as a citizen of this country. Sinasabi ko na sa inyo you have 24 hours access to this office. Hindi naman ito palasyo, mahuhulog na nga 'yung tuwerka diyan o, pati 'yung kanina medyo nag-crack. Hindi, hindi, binibiro ko lang kayo para lang...

Hindi, that was built to last more than a lifetime. Hindi, wala ako --- we have the chandeliers and everything and still the country is in the rot. Customs nalulusotan. Lapeña is good, he has been with me. Believe me he has served Davao City more than 15 years.

Pati 'yang si Aaron. Kaya nalulusotan sila and instead of killing the idiots sila 'yung nagtuturuan. Why don't you just stop blaming and go for the... Kaya si Gumba --- Guban, I was dressing up for tom --- for ngayon, naririnig ko ang p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* niya. Ipinatawag ko si Albayalde sabi ko, "arestuhin mo".

Sabi ni Albayalde na hindi pa raw kasi he's under the custody of the Senate. Good for you but I will be ordering the arrest of lahat sila. Pabalik-balik 'yan pati 'yung mga pulis na na-assign noon sa --- early on 'yung [Narcom?] hanggang ngayon sila pa rin ang nandiyan.

Binabalasa na new command, there's a new command center but the people manning it are still there. So there has to be something seriously wrong. Kasi ginawa ko na ang lahat, papalit-palit na lang ako ng tao.

Alam mo the system really is corrupt. This government 'yung democracy natin is not working. Iyan ang sinasabi mo, unless we have a graft-free country or at least a semblance of regularity that can function. Your children and your grandchildren would still be there suffering the onslaught of lalo na drugs.

It has contaminated the entire world. Makita naman ninyo diyan sa Netflix, look at the documentaries there. And shabu is now being controlled. Meron dito pero kokonti na lang parang kitchen --- dirty kitchen type.

You know controlled by the Bamboo Triad, the whole of Asia. And cocaine is being controlled also by the Medellin, 'yung sa Mexico. The same guys who are causing trouble sa America. And wala na masyadong sha --- laboratory na malaki kasi alam nila.

You know I'd like to repeat my warning again. I'm tired of --- maybe I do it something more lucid, do not destroy my country, I will really kill you. I will slaughter you. Do not destroy our children, talagang papatayin kita. Wala tayong patawaran nito.

Human Rights, you can go to hell. ICC, you're a s\*\*\*. Why would I submit to you? Jurisdiction? You cannot have jurisdiction over me, not in a million years. P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* ka, itong mga puti may EU sila. Who are the judges? Who are the prosecutors? Ang mag-prosecute sa akin 'yung maitim na babae na magpunta dito kasi imbestigahin ko siya.

P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* mo sampalin kita, humarap ka sa akin. Binabastos mo kami. ICC --- International Court of Justice. You organize it, you put it into action, we do not even know who's the g\*\*\*\*\* s\*\* of a b\*\*\*\* are sitting there.

Kagaya ng Human Rights itong ICC nila, ang chairman sino? 'Yung kapatid ng King of Jordan. Now to tell me, you, you are not democratically elected. You belong to an autocratic regime then you try to assume jurisdiction over me?

Gusto kong insultohin noon, they said that Duterte needs to see a psychiatrist. Gusto kong banatan ang u\*\*\*. Kaya lang sabi ni General Esperon sabi niya, "Huwag muna ngayon kasi bibigay ang Jordan ng dalawang helicopter." [laughter]

So sabi ko, "Eh 'di sige." Pigil lang ako. Ang p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* 'yan warning-warning na who... Pati si Obama, bakit niya ako warningan? Ano ako postal employee ng federal...? Ikaw --- s\*\* of a b\*\*\*\*. Sinabi ko sa kanya, "You are a s\*\* of a b\*\*\*\*. Go to hell."

Who are you? P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* kung --- you reprimand me in a press conference? Sabi ko, "Obama, nanobra ka na ha?" I am a President, [garbled] go to the United Nations. Why are you crucifying me in front of the media?

Ano ako? This is not the state of California. We may be poor, we may be corrupt, lahat na, but we are a nation and we are trying to resolve our own problems. 'Wag kayong makialam. EU, itong European --- who occupied Southeast Asia? Who occupied America? 'Di ba kayo? Spain for 400 years. Americans stayed there for 50 years.

You lived off the fat of the land and now you are trying to criticize us? G\*\*\* pala kayo eh. Four hundred years we were --- and 50 years, anong itinuro ninyo? Corruption. Tapos kung magsalita kayo. Sorry for the outburst, 'yan ang totoo eh.

You think I'm happy? You stayed in my country for 400 years? Imposed religion? You know when you try to convert a race you know what happens. You know the periods of our history? Read The Popes. That's a --- Popes, plural. I don't know if you can still buy it.

Read the history of Vatican. Tapos kayo kung magsalita ng... Bakit ako hindi...? Never mind about the Santiago figure, sabi nila that's a --- okay I'll stick with the figure of Bato. Bakit walang patayan nung panahon ni Aquino? Bakit kay Gloria minimal? Kasi ang mga tao nandiyan lahat sa shabu pati mga p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* generals sa pulis.

It was not when I demanded open the records, nalaman ko. Hanggang ngayon ang pulis pati ang nasa... You view Netflix, lahat ng tinamaan na country pulis, corruption nandiyan. Mamili ka, dope, cocaine, narco, 'yung history ng Medellin, it's all corruption in government pati 'yang droga.

Dito talagang malulumos tayo hindi ko ganun... Sabihin ko sayo pati 'yung apo ninyo magkakaproblema kayo. I'm just trying to say that during my time, even if I said it means what? Honor? Going to prison? Dying? Okay lang sa akin 'yan kakasahan ko 'yan because ano I chose to be...

Ewan ko kung bakit ako napunta sa opisina 'to. Kakapagod kaya. Hindi nila alam gusto ko nang --- gusto ko nga dramatic eh. Simple, magdaan ako diyan sa gitna, ba-bye. Bahala kayo sa buhay ninyo.

Tingnan mo lang ha, 1.6? So you reduce 1.6 million Filipinos to a slavery called drugs. One million six hundred Filipinos already inutile.

Sinong Presidente man 'yan? Ako? Bahala sila. Ako, p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* papatayin kita. They are slaves to a chemical called shabu. And they are inutile for the rest of their lives. Ang hindi nga tinitingnan nitong mga --- o "20,000 pinatay ni Duterte". My answer, that's carcass. Do not s\*\*\* with me. Do not s\*\*\* me with that. You have destroyed my country making slaves of my countrymen and creating a do... Bakit? 'Pag ang isang anak mo nasa droga, may problema ka. May problema ka talaga.

Magnakaw, mag-rape, kung anong gagawin. Ang unang mawala mo kotse mo, mga bagay- bagay sa bahay mo. Then he becomes violent. Susuntukin ang nanay pati... Marami 'yan. And they suffer in silence. Papahiyain then they rape their sisters and everybody else. And it's just --- they keep under wraps because nakakahiya.

The social dysfunctions that they create. 'Yung prosecutor ng Tanodbayan na buntis. Sabihin mo patay, patay na 'yung g\*\*\*\*\* 'yun eh. Patay na rin. The way he killed the victim, 'yung tanod --- ay Ombudsman prosecutor. 'Yung pinag sasaksak niya galing convenience store na buntis. O patay na silang dalawa. Right is right.

Ang dysfunction sa asawa sa ibang anak, itong mahihirap na Pilipino. You know very well that I am not making a sweeping statement. I'm just saying there are tribes in the Arab world that practices slavery. But when you are --- if you are a slave bought in the slave market... Believe me, I've been there, slave market in Africa or you are a paid domestic helper, sexual abuse is always part of the territory.

And these parents, paglabas ng tatay, what becomes the family? It's dysfunctional. Walang tatay. So we are trying to improve the economy, nilulusos mo naman. The wife and the husband go to



work outside, iiwan lang 'yung mga anak nila diyan sa mga kapatid, sa lolo, lola, minsan sa kapitbahay. A very sad story.

And they endure rape, abuse. Bakit tatlong oras lang ang tulog? Maglinis siya sa amo niya, gagamitin pa siya tapos 'yung son-in-law niya, 'yung sister-in-law niya, linisin niya lahat 'yan sa isang compound. Tapos --- pagkatapos 'yung pagkain, garbage 'yon kasi hindi man 'yun ang pagkain natin.

Ako, 'pag maglabas, tanungin mo lahat pati piloto, puno ng carne norte 'yan, sardinas pati tuyo nasa bote. Hindi ako kumakain doon sa labas. Carne norte lang 'yan pati sardinas. Maski anong kaganda ng presentation, tignan mo lang. Picturan mo pero huwag mong kainin.

'Yan ang masakit sa akin. 'Yan diyan talaga ako nasasaktan. 'Yung nagsakripisyo na, dehumanized, degraded sometimes... Kaya tumatalon na lang ang... How many times? More than 50 times? Yes. Nagbabasa naman kayo. Since then... Nag-su-suicide. Hindi na kaya.

I mean the human female body can only stand abuse. Beyond that talagang magpakamatay 'yan. Tapos pagdating nila dito, pag-uwi nila dito ang maabutan pa nila, 'yung anak nila puro shabu na. 'Yung iba nabuntisan na, nagkalat na. 'Yan ang karamihan.

Bakit? Sa mga mahirap, depressed areas dinidikitan nila 'yan. 'Pag alam nila na may remittances 'yan, tatay, nanay, t\*\*\*\* j\*\* hanggang bibigay ang tao, bata. Kaya sabi, "Ba't itong si Duterte, pinapatay niya mga mahihirap."

I don't give a s\*\*\*. Because shabu is a commodity for the poor. Ang mayayaman hindi gumagamit ng shabu, alam nila. Bright eh kasi may pinag-aralan and they read. Shabu causes the brain to shrink. Unlike itong cocaine, hash, whatever, they are organic plants. But shabu is a chemical ng formalin pati 'yung tubig ng baterya and they are cooked with some other chemicals chloride. Kaya nakakasira ng utak.

So maski na sabihin mo ano lumalaban talaga 'yan. You, you want to try grabbing a child sa sidewalk. "Halika dito kasi curfew". Lalaban 'yan. Subukan ninyo. Kayo-kayo mismo. "Halika bata. Bakit ka nandyan sa labas?" Sige subukan ninyo. Kaya pagdating niyan sa ano may garas-garas na o minsam masapak ng pulis. Ayun takbo doon sa mga doktor ito may hematoma, bruises --- human rights.

Ang pulis 'pag idinemanda mo --- pag i-dedemanda mo, the day kasi may suspension talaga 'yang may kaso, he goes hungry. There is no more food on the table. The children stops schooling especially if they travel one ride, two rides, three rides. Kaya walang pulis, karamihan ayaw sumipot o nabibili o nasa negosyo. Because overnight in about two months operation, they are already millionaires. Noon jeep lang 'yan sila stainless ngayon o may Alphard na.

Ang Presidente 'yung dito ang ginagamit ko Nissan. Gamit pa ni Gloria. Wala akong binili na sasakyan para sa akin. I have to tell you, I am not... Eh kayong mga negosyante, no transaction of government ever, ever reaches my table. I do not allow it. It begins and ends sa opisina mo, Cabinet members.

Do not f\*\*\* me with itong mga transactions, LRT, MRT, reclamation, approval of Clark pati --- wala, hindi 'yon. It does not carry the imprimatur, the signature because I expect them to do their duty. Wala ako. Malinis ang... And I don't accept audiences with businessmen lalo na kung...

Magtanong kayo ng taga-Davao kung may hiningian ba ako. Tanungin niyo ang taga-Davao may hiningian ba ako maski piso sa eleksyon. You can ask them. 'Yan ang I've been trying to avoid. You know why? Kasi ako I was a prosecutor. So I used to prosecute then wala pa 'yang Ombudsman, Tanodbayan pa 'yan, I was one of the two special prosecutors ng Tanodbayan. Ako 'yung humahawak sa bandang Mindanao pati Cebu. Graft.

Biro mo naman, one day I find myself standing before you. Talagang ano. Ang akin tinatanggap sweldo ko lang. If you can find something else, tell me and I will resign. Ganun lang ang sweldo ko. My sweldo is about 207,000. Eh maghati 'yung dalawang pamilya. Eh dalawa ang asawa ko. 'Di magpunta kay Elizabeth 'yung kalahati, magpunta kay Honeylet 'yun. Mabuti't na lang ito kay may anak na, ito naman may negosyo. So wala akong ano diyan pera-pera. You can accuse me of anything. Now or at the end of my term, wala kang makitang na ganun.

Corruption sabi ko sabihin mo kung sino 'yan. All you have to do is to come here or call 8888.

Sabihin mo 'yung pangalan. Kung ayaw mong sabihin pangalan mo, 'di maggamit ka ng Juan dela Cruz. At ipatawag ko dito, tayong tatlo.

'Pag hindi ako kontento sa p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* 'yan, sampalin ko 'yan sa harap ninyo. Sigurado 'yan sampal. Pinaka minimum pagka totoo. Hindi... Umalis ka na lang. Ihulog kita diyan sa... Talian ko 'yang paa mo pati kamay mo tapos itapon kita diyan sa...

Eh ayaw mag-ano ang Pilipino eh. O 'di magsabi sana. Even if it's not you personally involved. But you might want just to be observant and listen to your --- mga companions, your friends. Sabihin lang ninyo.

Hindi ako nagpapa-corny. Sabihin ninyo bumalik kayo dito bukas. Sinong gusto ninyong tawagan? Dito sa harap niyo, sampalin ko and i-kick in... Iyan 'yan sila. Iyan lahat 'yang taga...

Ngayon lang sila nakakita ng Presidente talaga nambubugbog. Hindi ko lang sabihin kung ilan na. Pero ngayon lang 'yan sila nakakita ng Presidente na taga-Tondo rin style. Hindi mo ganunin...

At sabihin ko sa kanya kung BIR, "Hoy, makinig ka. P\*\*\*\*\* i\*\* mo, 'pag may nangyari sa nag-report sa akin, totodasin kita." He who is the cause of the cause is the cause of them all.

So kung masaktan kita, masampal kita o mapatay kita, ginusto mo 'yan eh. He who is the cause of the cause is the cause of them all. If you follow my advice, we will be better off in the last remaining years.

Pero itong droga, palabas na ito. Hindi dito. Alam nila papatayin ko talaga sila eh. Walang istorya-istorya na ano --- talagang yayariin kita.

Kung importation, that's the problem. They are throwing it, jettison it in the high seas. There's a GPS, hinahabol naman nito. But well baka sabihin niyo naisahan tayo. Hindi ko lang makwento but someday ikwento ko.

You might get something there but if we happen to meet in one corner, you're dead. You will not be enjoy --- you'll not enjoy your... I will not allow you to enjoy. Dito ka? Ay sus. Bakit ako magpalugi?

Ako naghirap ng p\*\*\*\*\* i\*\*\*\* buhay na ito. Ikaw magpasarap ka lang, pahirapan mo pa ang Pilipino. Hindi tayo magkaintindihan niyan. Sabihin ninyo bulgar ang baba --- ang bunganga ko, totoo 'yan. Sabihin ninyo bastos ako, totoo 'yan.

Sabihin ninyo na hindi ako statesman, ah sus lalo na. Man lang kasi ang naintindihan ko, ang states wala. Masama ugali ko, killer ako, ah mas lalo na. Para sa? Anong makuha ko? Why would I --- why would I have to look for this kind of problems in my life?

I just let the police or some Customs there --- corrupt, enjoy there. Sila lang. Just leave it that way tatal nature will correct itself. Oh well, that's a statement that is conditional. But it ain't going to happen under me. Kung meron man, disgrasya lang.

So to all itong mga durugista na malalaki especially foreigners, be careful of what I said. I have proven it several times. You will not go home. You will not go out of this country alive. So that put your embassy and everybody in --- on notice na huwag dito. Hindi kayo makakalabas.

Now, for the statesman in me, I'd like again to --- hindi na ito ano ha, 'yung formal na. Ma'am, baka --- biro lang naman 'yun. Hindi ka pala mabiro? Ganun kaagad sila lahat o. Kaganda niyan.

Alam mo 'yang chain nitong chandelier na ito, ma'am? The rope is connected to heaven. [laughter] God will not allow it to fall it on you.

So I'd like to thank again the awardees and the cultural bodies for giving importance to the Filipino.

It is --- ito 'yung --- it is the medium of transmission of values. It's written. Unfortunately, wala akong talent na ganun because if I had, then I would also have been...

Tingnan mo ang medalya ko lang --- mabuti't na lang naisip ni ano, binigyan ako ng medalya. Pero maski na okay na 'to. It suffices for the moment.

I don't need --- I don't need praises. Nakokornihan ako niyan. I don't need applause. Nagsawa na ako niyan.

All I need is just for you to understand whether you are really for it or against it positively to understand that I have to do what I have to do. Sometimes I do it because I'm the only one who can really do it for our country.

Maraming salamat po. [applause]

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