



# SEP at 16!



## Mabuhay!

As Palawenos jovially celebrate Baragatan 2008, it is with great pride that Palawan Council for Sustainable Development (PCSD) will also celebrate the 16th Anniversary of the

SEP Law on June 19, 2008. Despite challenges faced in its implementation, it will commemorate the humble gains and milestones of its journey towards achieving the goals of sustainable development for Palawan.

With the theme *"Keeping the SEP Promise: Sustaining the Spirit, Facing the Challenges"*, it is a time to pay tribute to the people who contributed largely in ushering the Law to its present laurels, a time to reminisce the beginnings of SEP, and a time to let people know that PCSD is serious in the administration of its task to ensure that the future will be bright for Palawan.

The highlight of the celebration will be the "PCSD-Ulat Bayan 2008, the Chairman's Report" which will showcase the present situation of the province considering latest developments, threats and opportunities that beset Palawan.

It is therefore an honor for me, on behalf of the Council, to graciously invite you to be part in celebrating this momentous event as we continuously entice partnership with you in sustaining a better future for our beloved people of Palawan.

Together, let's celebrate, dahil kapag sama-sama, kayang-kaya!

  
HON. JOEL T. REYES  
Chairman, PCSD  
Governor, Province of Palawan

You are cordially invited

## PROGRAMME

*June 16-18, 2008*  
*PCSD Building grounds*  
*Bgy. Sta. Monica, PPC*  
■ PCSD Staff Kumustahan  
■ Indoor games

*June 18, 2008*  
*PCSD Building grounds*  
*Bgy. Sta. Monica, PPC*  
■ Destroying of confiscated chainsaws  
■ Release of confiscated birds back to the wild

*Theme:*

# "KEEPING THE SEP PROMISE: Sustaining the Spirit, Facing the Challenges"

*June 19, 2008*  
*Convention Hall, The Legend Hotel, PPC, Palawan*  
**2:00-9:00 pm**

Prayer/Invocation	<b>Karmela Kathleen Nikola U.Nono</b> <b>Jeminah Andrea S. Matulac</b>
Philippine National Anthem	
Welcome Remarks	<b>Romeo B. Dorado</b> OIC-Executive Director, PCSDS
Inspirational Message	<b>Hon. Antonio C. Alvarez</b> Vice Chairman, PCSD Representative, 1 <sup>st</sup> District of Palawan

The SEP Story book signing & distribution:  
■ Author's Message **Hon. David A. Ponce De Leon**  
Member, PCSD  
Vice Governor of Palawan  
■ Signing and ceremonial distribution of the "The SEP Story"

Ulat Bayan 2008: *The Chairman's Report*  
■ Palawan's Situationer **Hon. Joel T. Reyes**  
Chairman, PCSD  
Governor, Province of Palawan

Awarding of Special Recognition to distinguished guests:  
■ Awarding of Recognition  
■ Awarding of Recognition to **Mr. Jose Ch. Alvarez**  
■ Acceptance Message of **Mr. Jose Ch. Alvarez**  
■ Awarding of Recognition to **His Excellency Alistair MacDonald**  
Head of Delegation of the European Commission to the Philippines  
■ Special Message **His. Excellency Alistair MacDonald**  
Guest of Honor

Dinner... renditions of songs from local artists

Closing Remarks **Hon. Abraham Kahlil B. Mitra**  
Representative, 2<sup>nd</sup> District of Palawan

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