

## PROVINCIAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTMENT PROMOTIONS OFFICE

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**Accomplishment Report** 

PROGRAM/ PROJECT/ ACTIVITY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	STATUS/ REMARKS/ ACCOMPLISHMENT
Economic Development and Investment Promotion	The office is in-charge of facilitating, coordinating, and implementing local economic development and investment promotion policies, programs, projects, and activities to make the Province of Isabela a prime investment destination in the country.	Attended the following:  16th International Food Exhibition (IFEX) Philippines together with DTI and other PGI Departments held at the World Trade Center, Pasay City from May 22 to 24 2025;  3rd International Smart City Exposition and Networking Engagement (iSCENE) held at the Isabela Convention Center (ICON), Cauayan City from May 22 to 24; and  City of Ilagan's Investment Forum 2025 titled "Promoting Inclusive and Sustainable Development in the Countryside" on May 22, 2025 held at the Capital Arena, Ilagan City.
Provincial Committee on Anti-Red Tape (P-CART)	The Provincial Committee on Anti-Red Tape (P-CART) shall ensure that the PGI receive, respond, and comply with the requirements of R.A. 11032 or the "Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act of 2018", its IRR, and subsequent issuances by the Anti-Red Tape Authority (ARTA) in coordination with appropriate offices.	Conducted the following activities in the observance of the Ease of Doing Business (EODB) Month:  • Announcement of the activities for the EODB Month celebration during the PGI's Flag Ceremony on May 5, 2025;  • Meeting with PHRMO on May 8, 2025 to answer their queries on the preparation of the Client Satisfaction Measurement Report and to discuss the tasking for the Briefing to EODB Focals to be held on May 26, 2025;  • PGI's participation in ARTA's Nationwide Frontline Service Inspection on May 15, 2025 through its inspection of key frontline services at One-Stop-Shop and the Provincial Assessor's Office;  • Briefing to EODB Focals together with PHRMO on May 26, 2025 at Balai, Capitol Compound to discuss the ARTA requirements in submitting the Citizen's Charter, Backlog Report, and Client Satisfaction Measurement Report;  • Printing of the updated Citizen's Charter together with the Provincial Administrator's Office which were posted in front of various PGI Departments/ Provincial Hospitals; and  • Uploading of latest PGI's Handbook, Citizen's Charter, Executive Order

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			on Reorganizing the P-CART, and ARTA IEC Materials in the PGI website together with the Provincial Administrator's Office.
Ayuda sa Kapos ang Kita Program (AKAP)	The activity aims to provide clear and updated guidelines on the implementation of AKAP, particularly in relation to the distribution of rice subsidies to qualified clients.	•	Attended the Orientation on AKAP on May 26, 2025 at the PSWDO
Provincial Task Force on High Value Commercial Crops (HVCC)	The PGI issued Executive Order No. 41 series of 2024, which created the Provincial Task Force on High Value Commercial Crops (HVCC) in the Province of Isabela to promote the growth and development of the HVCC industry, particularly for mango, pineapple, banana, and cacao, and improve the quality of life of all Isabeleños engaged in this industry.	•	Attended the meeting on May 27, 2025 to discuss the proposed Juice Processing Facility to be established in the province
LDIP Consultation Meeting with PPDO	The Local Development Investment Program (LDIP) is a three-year program of LGUs that translates the broader Comprehensive Development Plan into specific programs, projects, and activities.	•	Attended the LDIP Consultation Meeting led by PPDO on May 27, 2025 to discuss the PPAs of PEDIPO and PSO
Inception Meeting cum Workshop for the Food and Agriculture Organization's (FAO) Sustainable Agricultural Mechanization (SAM)- Agribusiness Development Along the Value Chain (ADVC) through Farmer Field Schools (FFS)	This activity aims to enhance the productivity, profitability, and resilience of small-scale producers. It focuses on expanding the Rice PalayCheck System to include Onion-After-Rice and Corn-After-Rice production systems, integrating sustainable mechanization and agribusiness development along the value chain.	•	Attended the Inception Meeting cum Workshop on the Finalization of the SAM-ADVC-FFS Curricula on May 30, 2025 held at Philippine Center for Post-Harvest: Development and Mechanization in the Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija.
Gawad GRTA Ulirang Kawani ng Linggo	The PGI launched the Governor Rodito T. Albano (GRTA) Ulirang Kawani ng Linggo Award to recognize exemplary PGI employees on a weekly basis based on their	•	Ms. Cherry Ann F. Beltran, AA IV of PEDIPO, was recognized as one of the Top 20 awardees of the Gawad GRTA Ulirang Kawani ng Linggo on May 26, 2025.

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	work performance, punctuality, productivity, professionalism, and workplace behavior.  Certificates of Recognition and cash incentives are given to awardees.	
Capacity Building Activities	The staff attended various training, webinars, and capacity building activities to enhance their skills and knowledge on economic development and investment promotion.	Attended the following webinars organized by PESO via Zoom:  • "Introduction to Modern AI" on May 27, 2025; • "Mindful Art in Pixels: A creative Journey with Canva" on May 28, 2025; • "Leveraging AI and ChatGPT to Enchance Workforce Efficiency" on May 29, 2025; and • "Stay Safe Online Cybersecurity Basics" on May 30, 2025.

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