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**JOINT REGIONAL TASK FORCE SELECTION BOARD  
FOR THE GAWAD PARANGAL 2024**

Attached is Regional Advisory No. 17, s. 2024 regarding the **Joint Regional Task Force Selection Board for the Gawad Parangal 2024**.

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Armed Conflict (RTF-ELCAC) VI regarding the Joint Regional Task Force Selection Board  
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**SUBJECT : JOINT REGIONAL TASK FORCE SELECTION BOARD FOR  
THE GAWAD PARANGAL 2024**

**DATE : 09 SEPTEMBER 9 2024**

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This has reference to the attached NTF-ELCAC National Secretariat Memorandum regarding the **Implementation of the Gawad Parangal 2024**.

Nominations for this year's implementation shall be open but not limited to the following:

Category
Traditional Media (Print, Radio, Television) and Social Media
Civil Society Organizations
Private Organizations
International Organizations
National Government Agencies or Its Members
Outstanding Individuals
Security Sector

In order to facilitate the selection of nominees for Western Visayas, a Google Form has been created to consolidate a list for the Joint Regional Task Force (JRTF) VI Selection Board:

<https://bit.ly/jrtf6-gp24>



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The deadline to the JRTF Selection Board shall be on **September 16, 2024, 11:59 PM PST** in order to allocate a sufficient period for the review and proper packaging of documentation of efforts/contributions/initiatives prior to the submission to the National Selection Board for approval.

Please be informed that a 200-word description of the nominee and his/her/their effort/contribution/initiative is required in the mentioned Form.

The Recommending Body may nominate a maximum of two (2) people or organizations.

For any concerns regarding this matter, you may contact LGOO IV Sefaniah Gabrielle Roldan at 0977 887 7072 (Viber) or email us at [dilgr6.lgmed@gmail.com](mailto:dilgr6.lgmed@gmail.com)

Thank you very much for your untiring and continued support in bringing out peace and development in Western Visayas!

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**MEMORANDUM TO THE JOINT REGIONAL TASK FORCES ELCAC**

**FROM : THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - NS, NTF-ELCAC**

**SUBJECT : IMPLEMENTATION OF GAWAD PARANGAL 2024**

**DATE : AUGUST 08, 2024**

**SUMMARY**

1. The success of the first Gawad Parangal Event during the 2023 NTF-ELCAC Anniversary Celebration highlighted the contributions of the Regional Task Forces and their stakeholders. Stakeholders were given recognition for their unyielding support to the campaign of the National Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict (NTF-ELCAC).
2. For this year and future iterations of the Gawad Parangal, recognition will be extended to the national level to recognize partners, especially our stakeholders who have contributed to our campaign on a national scale.
3. For the purpose of nomination, investigation, deliberation, and approval of nominees, a National Selection Board and JRTF Selection Board shall be created.

National Selection Board shall comprise the NS NTF-ELCAC Executive Director and other Directors and National Cluster Heads. The selection board/committee shall identify awardees for approval of the President. Also, the selection board/committee shall look into the propriety of nominations from the JRTF, ensuring compliance with related guidelines and policies, particularly of the Office of the President (OP).

JRTF Selection Board may include, but not limited to RPDC and RDC Chairs, JRTF Secretariat TAG, and JRTF Cluster Chairs/Heads. The JRTF may include additional members as deemed necessary. Each region shall nominate awardees for the Gawad Parangal. Nominations will be submitted to the National Selection Board for approval.

4. Nominees of JRTF Selection Boards shall meet the following pre-qualifying criteria:
  - \* Must be a Filipino Citizen or a duly recognized organization with proper registration and accreditations.
  - \* Must be of good moral standing and has no criminal or disciplinary record.
5. JRTF Selection Boards shall use the following parameters for nominations:
  - \* SOP - Relevance, Effort/contribution/initiative of stakeholders to the campaign of NTF/JRTF-ELCAC.

- 30% - Impact of stakeholder's effort/contribution/initiative (number of beneficiaries, scope/reach of the initiative, etc.)
- 15% - Involvement of the NTF/JRTF-ELCAC in their effort/contribution/initiative
- 5% - Proper documentations of efforts/contributions/initiatives

6. Nomination for Gawad Parangal shall be open but not limited to the following:

**A. Traditional Media (Print, Radio, Television) and Social Media:**

Selected Stakeholders in Traditional Media shall be recognized partners of the government in promoting peace and development. They shall be known to help the NTF-ELCAC in its awareness campaign against the dangers posed by the communist terrorist group (CTG).

Selected stakeholders in social media shall be known influencers/vloggers with a considerable number of followers/subscribers in a widely used social media platform. Nominees shall be prominent in creating/posting contents promoting peace or development in the country.

**B. Civil Society Organizations**

Selected civil society organizations (CSOs) shall have implemented projects helpful to the government efforts of alleviating the plight of vulnerable sectors or conducted activities which encourage people to become productive citizens of the country. Selected CSOs and duly accredited by the Philippine Government.

**C. Private Organizations**

Selected private organizations shall have implemented projects helpful to the government efforts of alleviating the plight of vulnerable sectors or conducted activities which encourage people to become productive citizens of the country. Selected private organizations shall be duly registered organizations in the Philippines.

**D. International Organizations**

Selected international organizations shall be primarily engaged in activities which promote peace and development. Selected stakeholders shall have conducted activities/projects which helped vulnerable sectors in the Philippines or have conducted activities helping the Philippine Government educate the Filipino People locally or abroad about the threats posed by the CTG. Selected international organizations shall be well-recognized by the international community.

**E. National Government Agencies or its members**

Nominated National Government Agencies or its members shall have exceptional contribution to the unity, peace, and development campaign of the NTF-ELCAC. Nominees shall have introduced significant innovation in the promotion of progress and national security.

#### F. Outstanding Individuals

Filipino Citizens who have significant contributions to the government's campaign against the CTG may be selected. Nominations may include but not limited to key communicators, former rebels, volunteers, and private donors who have contributed time, effort, and resources.

#### G. Security Sector

Selected stakeholders in the security sector shall include outstanding personnel from the military and law enforcement agencies instrumental in the success of ELCAC projects and programs.

7. In light of the foregoing, JRTFs are requested to convert and establish JRTF Selection Boards which may include but not limited to the RPDC and RDC Chairs, JRTF Secretariat/TWGs, and JRTF Cluster Chair/Heads. Additional members may be included as deemed necessary.
8. JRTF Selection Boards are requested to submit (in or otherwise, maximum of 3) for the Gawad Parangal 2024 based on the above-mentioned criteria and parameters. Each nomination shall include recommended citation and proper documentations related to their accomplishments.
9. JRTF Selection Boards are requested to submit their list of nominees on or before September 15, 2024 through email at [elcac@disa.mil](mailto:elcac@disa.mil).
10. For appropriate action.

  
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