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CEZA Promotes Business and Investment Opportunities in New York



L-R CEZA Deputy Administrator Godfrey Cabalza, Dir. Marilyn Lambino, CEZA Secretary Raul Lambino, Consul General Theresa Dizon-De Vega, Trade Representative Nicanor Bautista, CAZA Deputy Administrator Raymundo Roquero (photos by NYPCG)

6 November 2017, New York - Cagayan Economic Zone Authority (CEZA) Secretary Raul Lambino held several meetings in New York from 2-4 November 2017 on various business and investment opportunities in CEZA.

Secretary Lambino was joined by CEZA Deputy Administrator for Planning, Business Development and Investment Raymundo Roquero and Deputy Administrator for Operations Godfrey Cabalza. Director Marilyn Lambino of the Camp John Hay Development Corporation likewise joined the delegation.

The CEZA Team promoted the key investment and business opportunities profile of CEZA such as IT, Business Process Management, Amusement and Recreational Facilities, Medical Tourism, Integrated Resorts, Gaming Operations, Ship Building and Repair, Power

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Development, Hotels, Logistics and Cargo Handling, and Retail, among many others. Secretary Lambino likewise spoke of how CEZA was conceptualized to be a major transshipment point for trade in the Asia-Pacific rim.

The investment incentives on tax rates, visas, status of foreign investors and their immediate family, and business facilitation were likewise discussed at length.

The CEZA Team met with Mr. Brad Baldia of the Chamber of Commerce in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, The Philippines-US Chamber of Commerce in New York, the Team behind the Philippine Pavilion at Grand Central Terminal in New York in May 2018, and MRE Strategists LLC.

Prior to meeting the different business groups, Secretary Lambino and the CEZA Team called on Consul General Theresa Dizon-De Vega. The Consul General assured the CEZA Team that it would continue to support efforts to raise the profile of CEZA in international investment and business circles.

Consul General Dizon-De Vega, Trade Representative in New York Nicanor Bautista, and Economics Section Head Vice Consul Khrystina Corpuz-Popov joined the business meetings. END



L-R Deputy Administrator Cabalza, Vice Consul Khrystina Corpuz, Dep Administrator Roquero, Consul General Dizon-De Vega, Sec. Lambino, Brad Baldia of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Bautista, Dir. Lambino



L-R Mr. Aureo Sales, Atty. Harley Barrales, Ms. Ledy Almadin, Ms. Agnes Jamora of the Philippine-American Chamber of Commerce in New York meet with Secretary Raul Lambino

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