

Basuguan ng Pilipinas



Embassy of the Philippines

Canberra

**MESSAGE**

On behalf of the Philippine Government, the Philippine Embassy wishes to extend its deepest and heartfelt appreciation to all who stand in solidarity with the Philippines and the Filipino people during this difficult and trying time.

We are grateful to all those who have expressed their condolences, sympathies and prayers. Your words of comfort give our people the much-needed strength and courage to move forward.

We also thank those who have selflessly responded to the needs of our *kababayans* through their donations, fundraising activities and other offers of assistance. Your generosity will greatly contribute in providing our people with their needs and in rebuilding our communities.

The road to rehabilitation is a long and tedious process, but we remain confident that through the *bayanihan* spirit and faith in the goodness of humanity, we will see a better tomorrow.

We have thanked God for what you have done for the Philippines and the Filipino people.

*Maraming salamat po sa pakiki-isa sa Sambayanang Pilipino!*

May God reward you generously for the love you have shown for His people in need.

  
**BELEN F. ANOTA**  
Ambassador

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