



# PHILIPPINE COAST GUARD



**SERVING THE NATION**

**By Ensuring Safe, Clean and Secure Maritime Environment**



# SEA ROBBERIES AT MANILA ANCHORAGE AND ABDUCTION OF CREW IN THE SULU-CELEBES SEAS



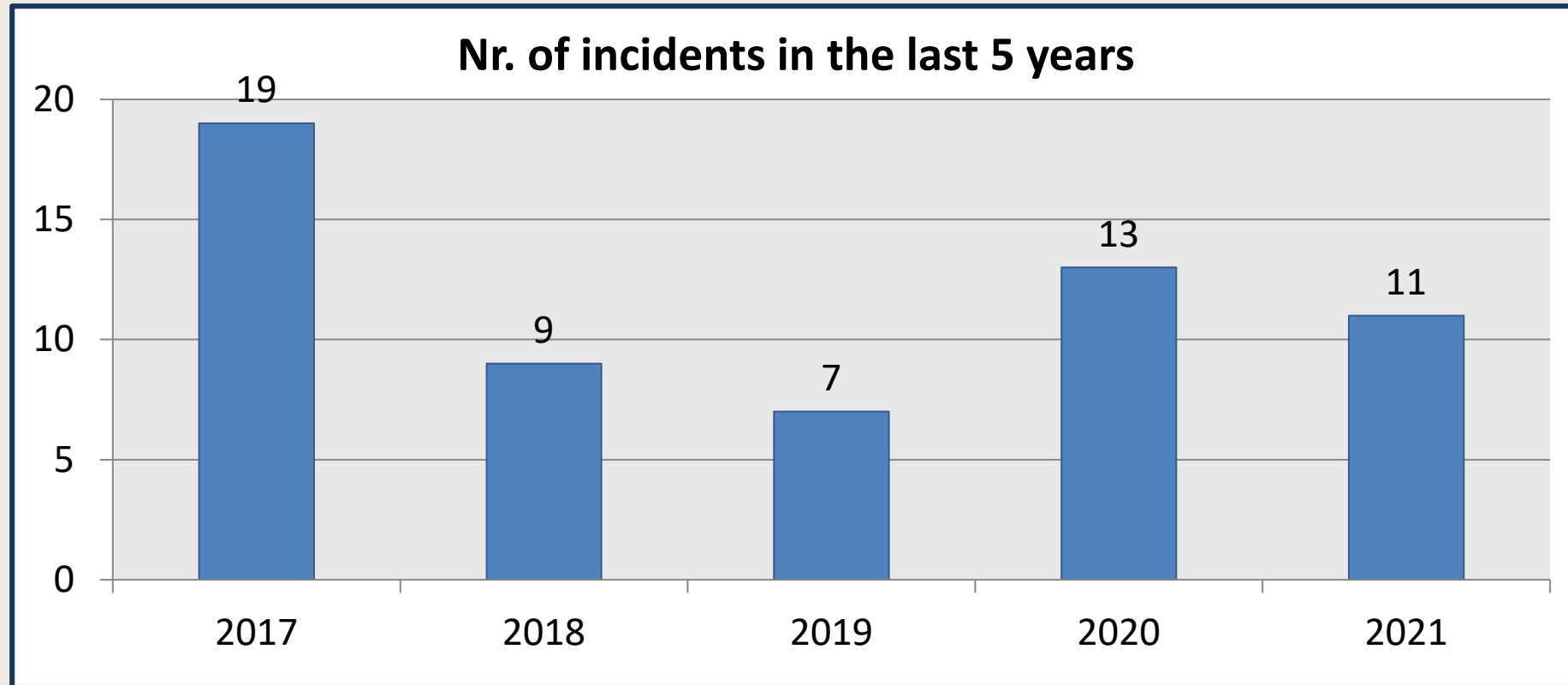
# SCOPE OF PRESENTATION

- I. SITUATION UPDATE OF PIRACY AND ARMED ROBBERY IN THE PHILIPPINE WATERS
- II. PCG EFFORTS AND INITIATIVES
- III. OUTCOMES OF ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS
- IV. WAY FORWARD



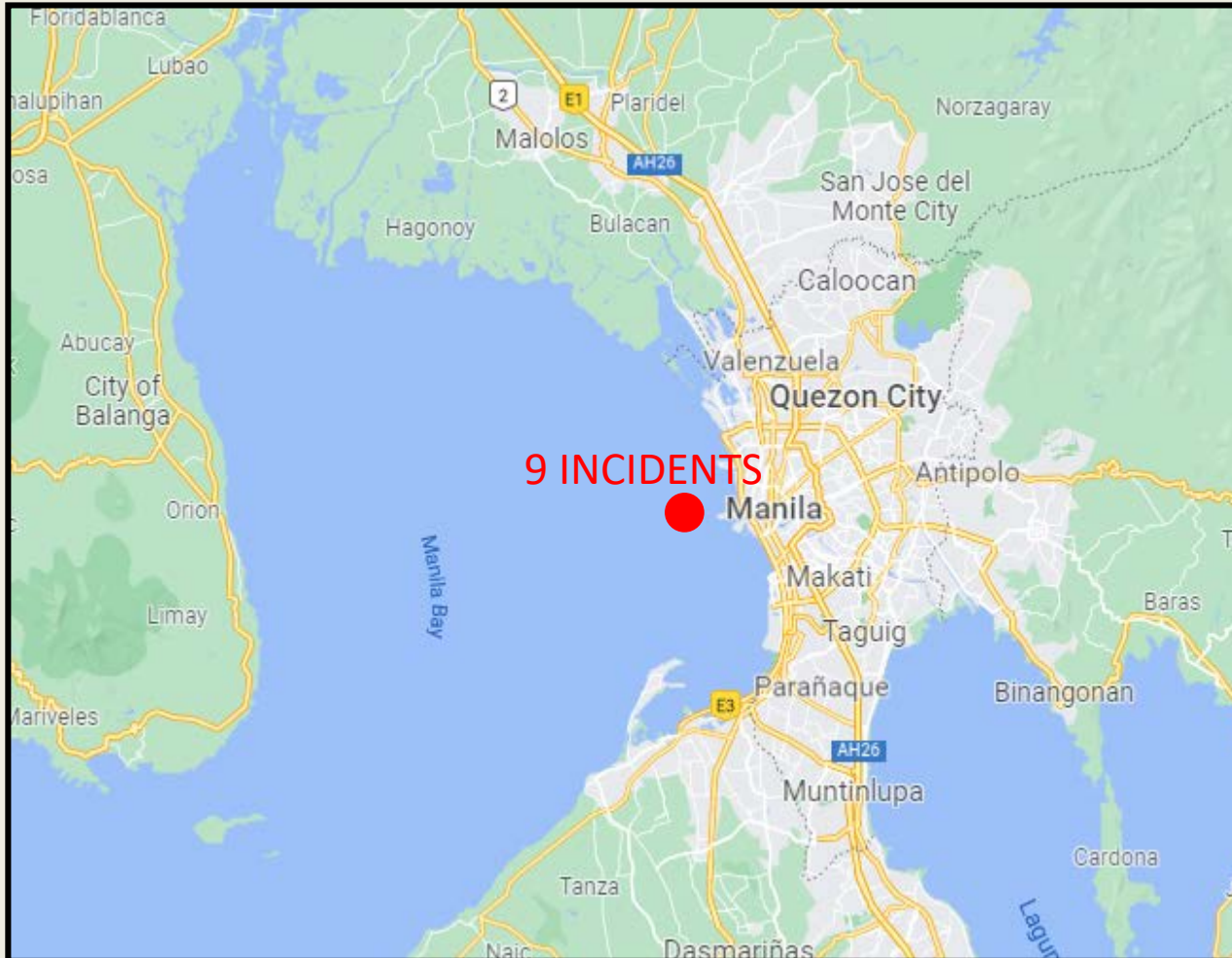
# I. SITUATION UPDATE 2021

- The year 2021 recorded a total of eleven (11) piracy and armed robbery incidents in the Philippine waters. (**Manila** - 9 actual, **General Santos** - 1 actual, and **Tawi-Tawi**- 1 attempted)
- Type of vessels attacked: container ships (8); bulk carrier (1); barge towed by a tugboat (1); and dredger (1).



# SEA ROBBERY

## MANILA ANCHORAGE:



- Of the 11 incidents, 9 were reported at Manila Anchorage, specifically at South Harbour.
- The arrival of large foreign vessels in the said place for the purpose of international crew change seemed to have attracted maritime muggers operating in the Manila Bay area.

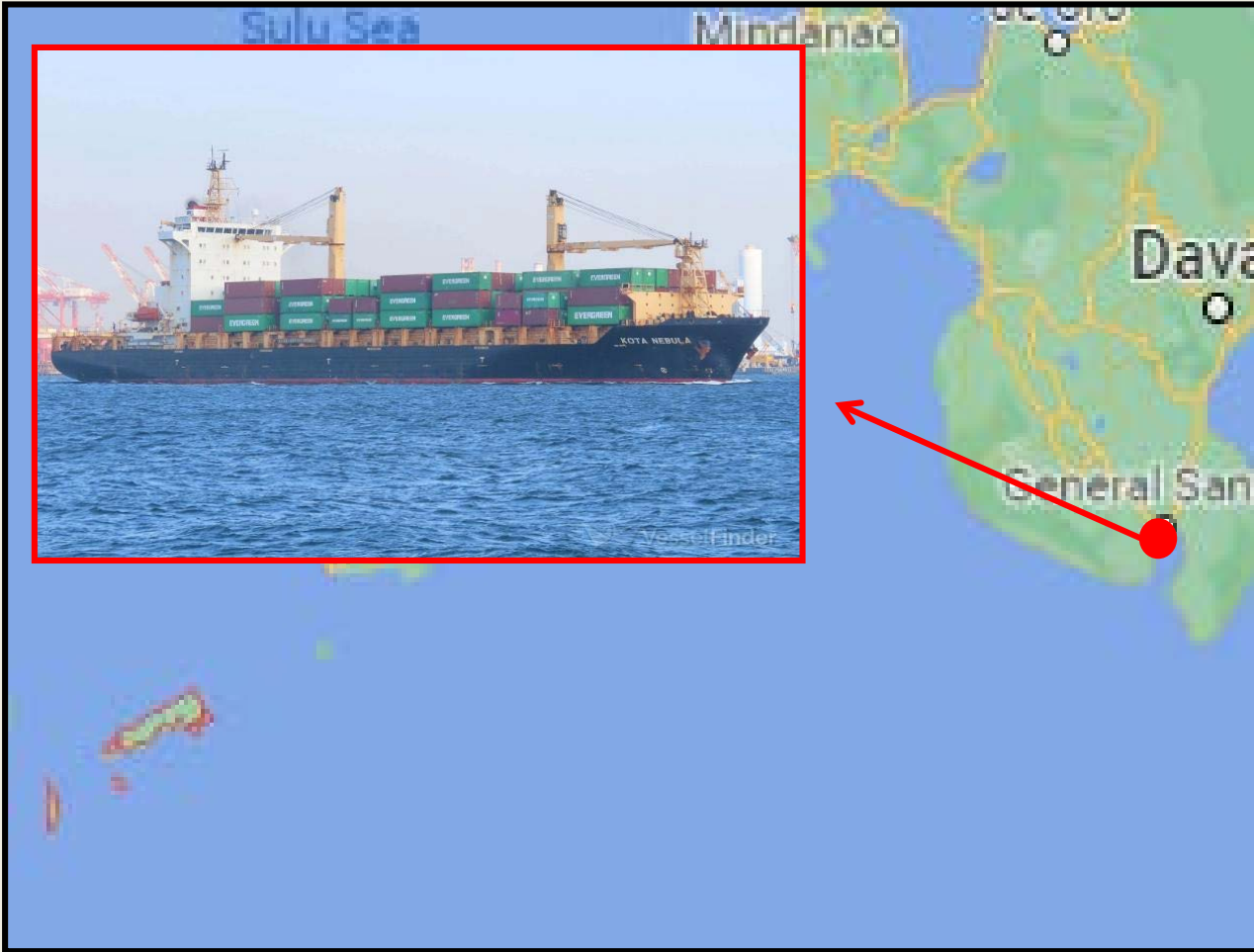
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ATTEMPTED ---- ●



# SEA ROBBERY

## GENERAL SANTOS

- **30 JAN 2021-** two (2) sea robbers were spotted on the starboard lifeboat deck of **KOTA NEBULA** while it was at Makar Wharf Berth No. 5 to 7, General Santos City. Two units of fire nozzles and two units of fire hydrant caps were reported missing.



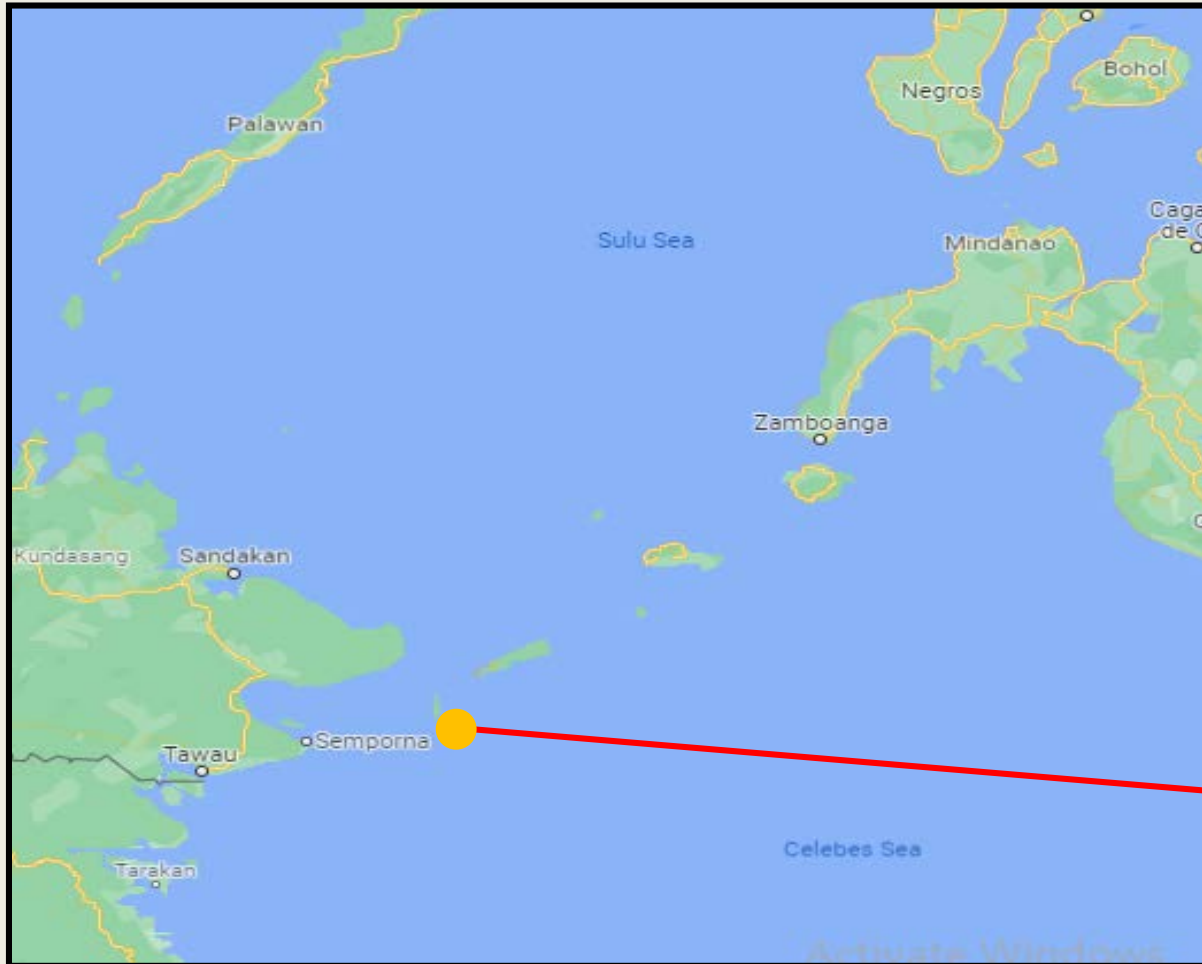
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# ATTEMPTED BOARDING

## TAWI-TAWI

- **03 MAR 2021-** While underway, a white/red single OBM speedboat with three unidentified persons headed towards **AKIJ PEARL** and attempted to throw a line at her port side beam.



LEGEND: ACTUAL ----- ●  
ATTEMPTED ---- ●



# MARITIME PIRACY

## Sulu-Celebes Sea

- The vast waters of the Sulu Sea worked to the advantage of pirates which prey on vessels passing in Sulu and Tawi-Tawi.
- From 2015-2016, a spike in Kidnap for Ransom (KFR) incidents was observed in Sulu-Celebes Sea which almost made this area a “high risk maritime area”.
- The government’s relentless pursuit of Abu Sayaff and ISIS members in Southern Philippines lowered the number of KFR cases in the succeeding years.





# NEUTRALIZED ASG HIGH VALUE PERSONALITIES

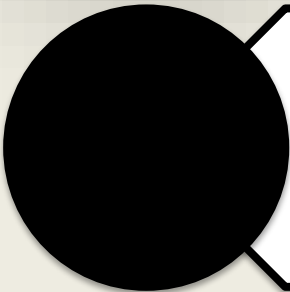


Name: **Majan Sahidjuan**

AKA: **Apo Mike**

Designation: **ASG Sub-leader**

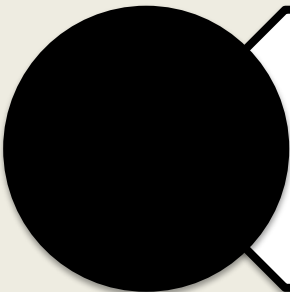
Date captured: **18 March 2021**



Identified as: **'YUSOP'**

Designation: **Foreign Terrorist Fighter**

Date killed: **16 April 2021**



Name: **Abu Khattab Jundullah**

AKA: **Saddam**

Designation: **Member, bomb maker**

Date killed: **16 April 2021**



# NEUTRALIZED ASG HIGH VALUE PERSONALITIES



Name: **Mujafal "Jhapz" Sawadjaan**

Designation: **Member**

Date killed: **23 April 2021**



Name: **Injam Yadah**

A.K.A: **Raup**

Designation: **ASG-Sub leader**

Date killed: **13 June 2021**



Name: **Al-Al Sawadjaan**

Designation: **Bomber maker, suicide bomber**

Date killed: **13 June 2021**



# II. PCG EFFORTS AND INITIATIVES

## CEASELESS MARITIME PATROLS



# MARITIME KIDNAPPING

## 20 ACTUAL INCIDENTS

Incidents	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Actual	12	3	2	2	2	0
Attempted	6	4	1	0	0	0

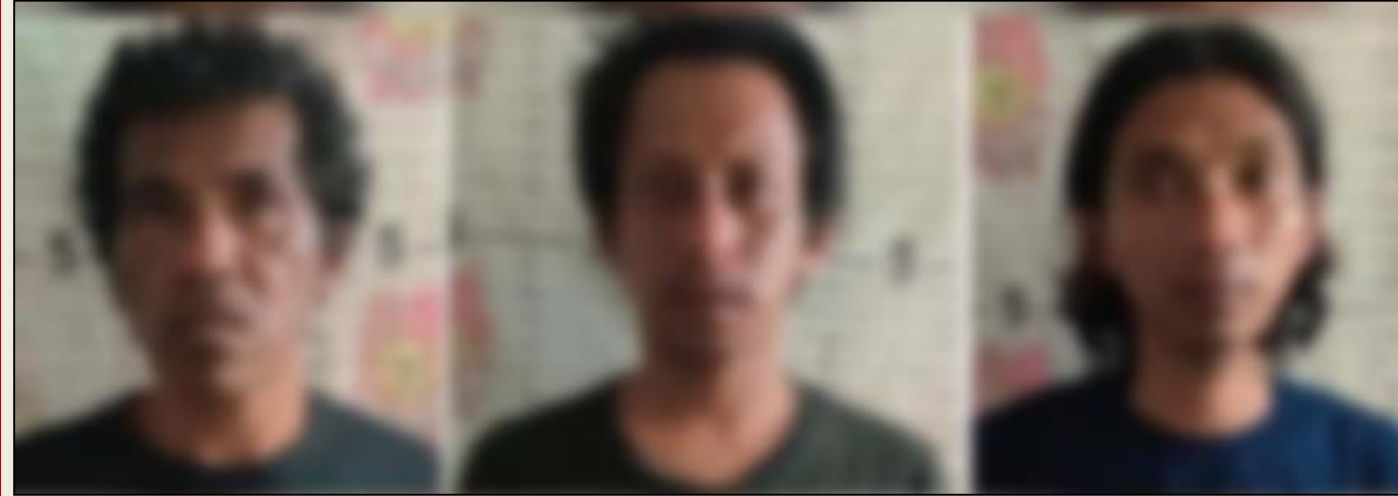
**RELEASED/  
RESCUED**



**KILLED**



**CAPTIVE**



Three of the four Indonesian hostages that were rescued by the Filipino special forces are (from left) Arizal Kasta Miran, Arsad Bin Dahlan and Andi Riswanto. - The Star/ANN



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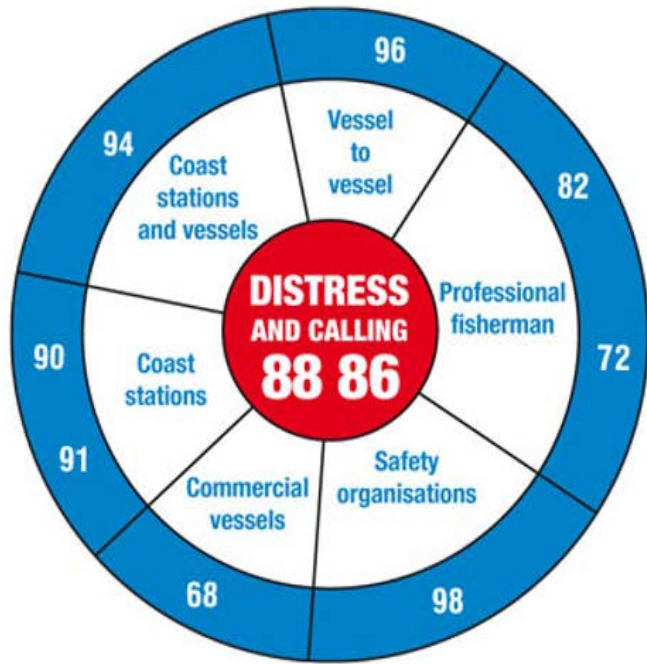
# QUICK RESPONSE TEAM (QRT) ON INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS



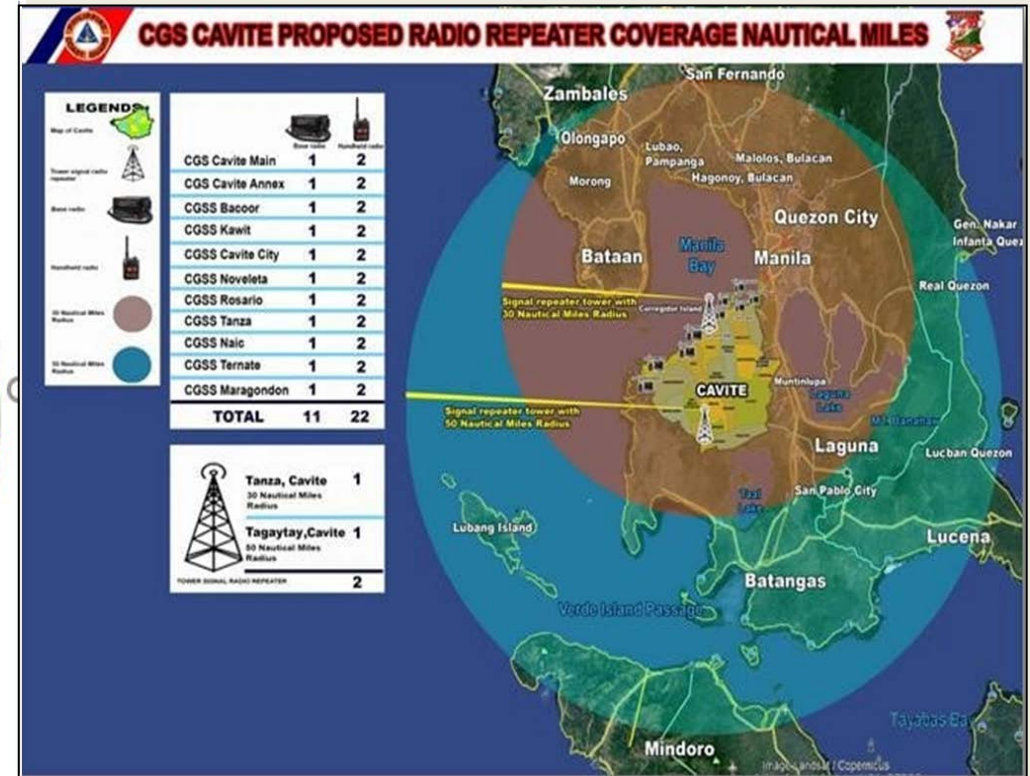
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## CONTINUOUS RADIO COMMUNICATIONS WITH SHIPS

27MHz marine radio channels



VHF marine radio channels



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## COASTAL SECURITY PATROLS (CSP) & SAFETY, SECURITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL NUMBERING (SSEN)



CSP



SSEN



# II. PCG EFFORTS AND INITIATIVES

## INTER-AGENCY COOPERATION



JOINT TASK FORCE SULU



PCG-PN MOU



PCG-PA MOU





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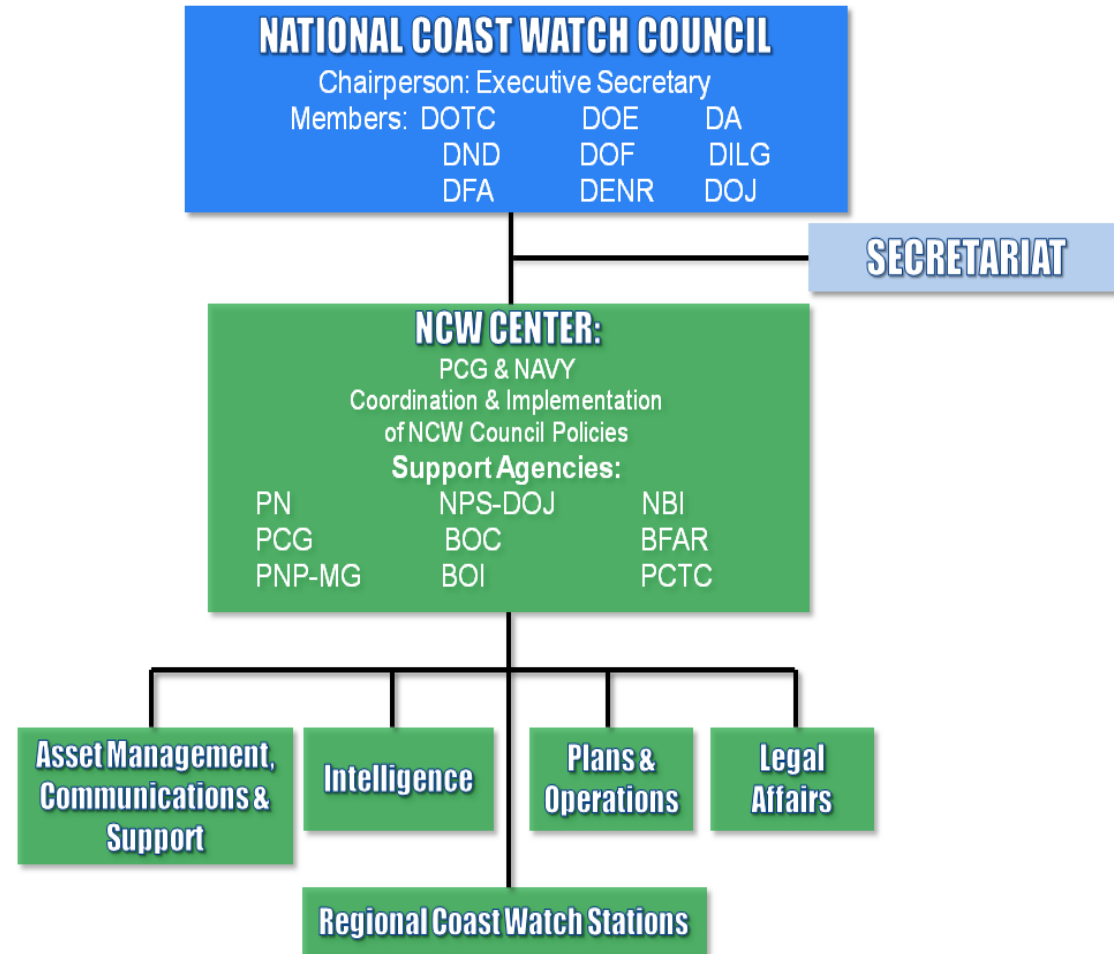
### AFP-PNP-PCG TRIPARTITE AGREEMENT

was officially adopted by the three agencies through Resolution No. 11-2021 which included the PCG in the Joint Peace and Security Coordinating Center (JPSCC).



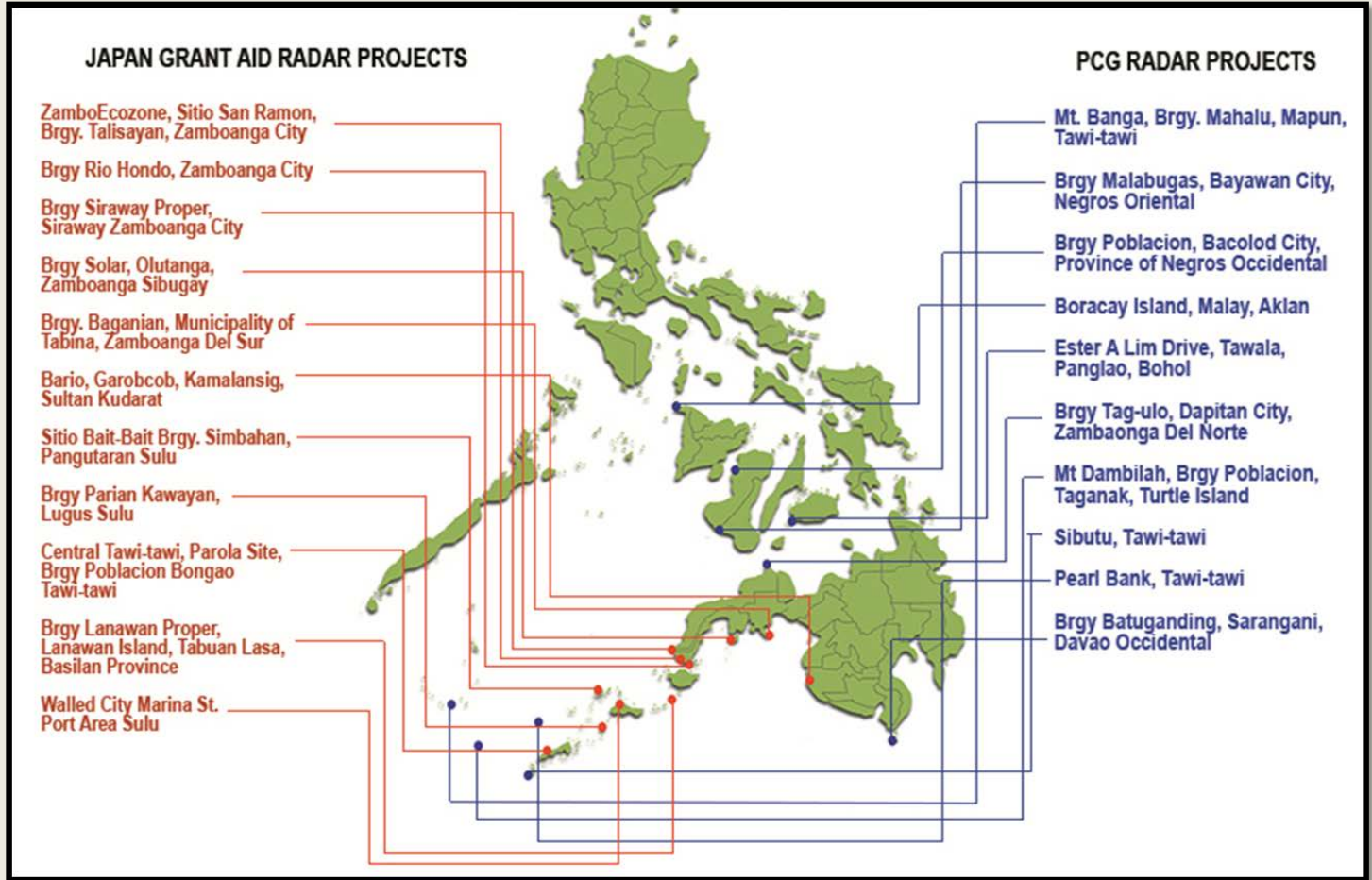
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## NATIONAL COAST WATCH CENTER



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## RADAR PROJECTS

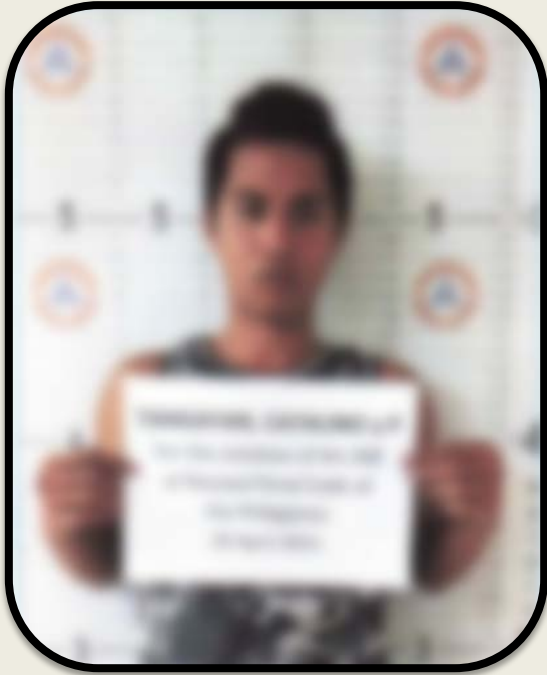


1. RIO HONDO (OPERATIONAL)	4. OLUTANGA	7. LUGUS	10. BONGAO
2. SAN RAMON	5. BAGANIAN, TABINA	8. PANGUTARAN	11. CG BASE SIBUTU (OPERATIONAL)
3. SIRAWAI	6. TABUAN-LASA	9. JOLO, SULU	

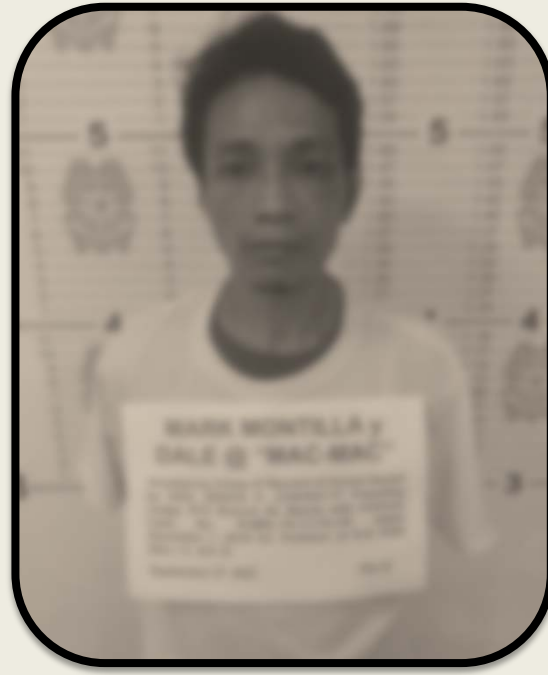


# III. OUTCOMES OF PCG EFFORTS

## APPREHENDED SEA ROBBERS



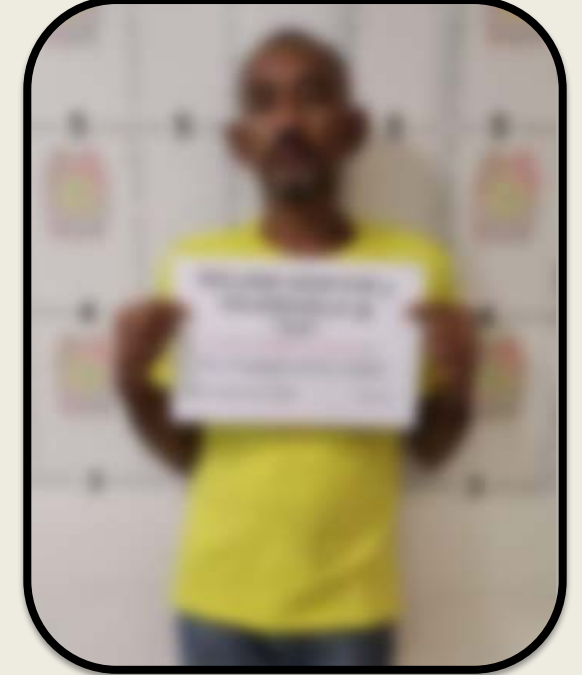
Name: **CATALINO TANGAYAN**  
Age: 29 years old  
Date of arrest: 20 April 2021



Name: **MARK MONTILLA y DALE** aka “MAKMAK”  
(leader of MONTILLA CRIMINAL GROUP)  
Date of arrest: 27 Sept 2021



Name: **MARLON MENDIETA y CARABLE** aka “RANDY MENDIETA”  
(member of MONTILLA CRIMINAL GROUP)  
Date of arrest: 29 Sept 2021



Name: **RONALD DIOKTON Y VALENZUELA** aka “TITI”  
(member of MONTILLA CRIMINAL GROUP)  
Date of arrest: 18 Nov 2021

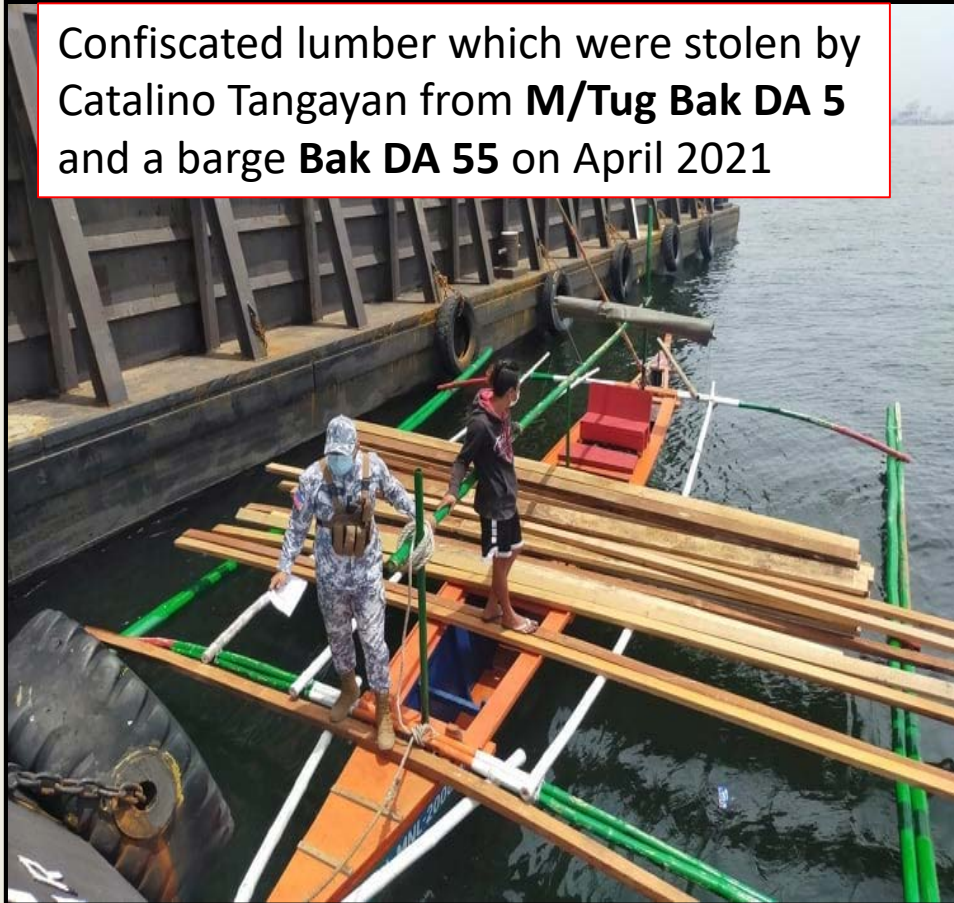
❖ inter-agency cooperation plays a huge part in combating piracy and sea robbery



# III. OUTCOMES OF PCG EFFORTS

## CONFISCATED ITEMS

Confiscated lumber which were stolen by Catalino Tangayan from M/Tug Bak DA 5 and a barge Bak DA 55 on April 2021



twenty-one (21) pails of paint confiscated on 29 September 2021



# **IV. WAY FORWARD** **ACTIVATION OF ADDITIONAL STATIONS AND SUB-STATIONS**



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**DELIVERY OF TWO (2) 94-M MULTI-ROLE RESPONSE VESSELS (MRRV)**



**FOLLOW-ON ORDER OF 84-M OFFSHORE PATROL VESSELS**



**ACQUISITION OF FORTY (40) UNITS OF 35M FAST PATROL CRAFT**



**ADDITIONAL ROTARY AND FIXED-WING AIRCRAFT**



# IV. WAY FORWARD

## INTEGRATED COAST GUARD CENTRAL COMMAND AND CONTROL SYSTEM

100 x Encrypted WAR AIS on All PCG Vessels



1 x Enhanced Vessel Information Data



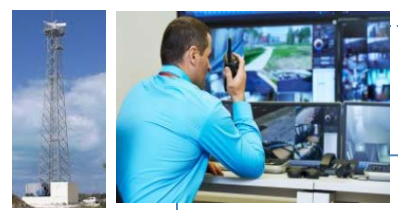
National Integrated Surveillance Command Center



National Network & Data Center



Existing PCG RADAR Surveillance Sensors



Future PCG RADAR / Sensors



15 District Command Centers



Includes Renovation & fit out expansion of PCG Command Center





END OF PRESENTATION.  
THANK YOU!

