

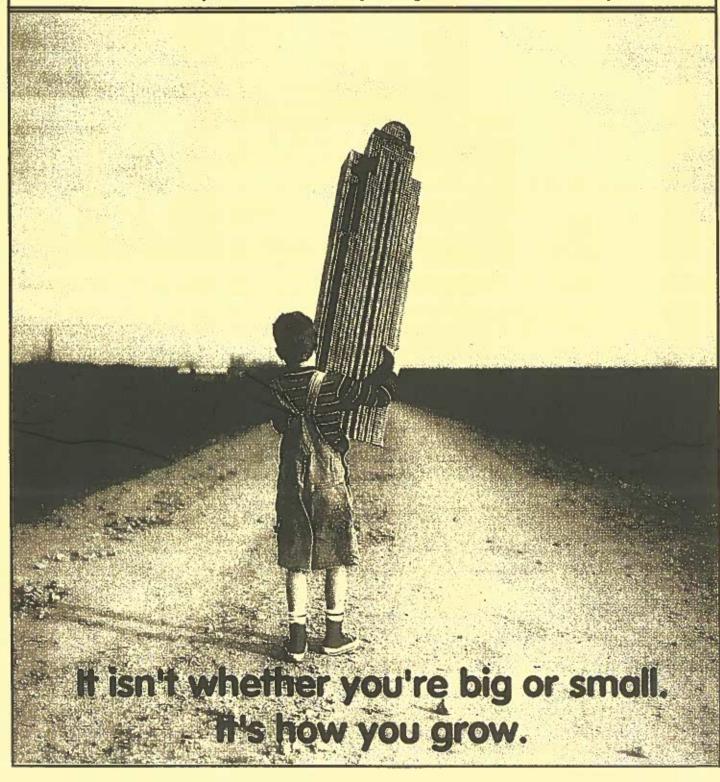
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The Calabarzon in Copenhagen

he CALABARZON Coordinating Council visited the Scandinavian countries of Sweden, Norway and Denmark. The objective of the CCC visit was mainly to study and to observe recent developments in environmental protection projects for possible adaptation in their respective provinces.

CALABARZON is an agglomeration of the provinces of Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, Rizal, Aurora and Quezon, the governors of which serve as the planning and implementing arm of this sub-region.

While environmental protection is the focus of their mission, they have had the time to meet the board members of the Bayanihan Center during the dinner reception hosted for them at the Filipino House on 11 September. This enabled the delegation to get a dimension of the Filipino community in Denmark.

The official delegation of the CALABARZON exploratory mission are Gov. Jose D. Lina, Jr., CCC Chairman and concurrent Governor of Laguna; Gov. Edwardo L. Ong, Governor of Aurora; Gov. Wilfredo L. Enverga, Governor of Quezon; Mayor Cesar M. Ynares, Mayor of Bina-



ngonan, Rizal; Mr. Augusto M. Claveria, Provincial Administratior of Batangas; Dir. Marilou G. Toledo, Regional Director, the Department of Trade and Industry; Dir. Ma. Teresa G. Reginio, Provincial Director, Department of Trade and Industry; and Ms. Mary Borromeo-Hedfors, Trade Assistant of Philippine International Trade Center, Philippine Embassy, Stockholm, Sweden.

Accompanying the delegates were Mrs. Loretta A. Lina, Mrs. Ramoncita P. Ong, Mrs. Mary Grace M. Enverga and Minister Ma. Fe Pangilinan Klingert of the Philippine Embassy in Stockholm.

TOP PHOTO. The Bayanihan Board welcomes the delegates with a typical Danish dinner reception. MIDDLE PHOTO. Flanking BCFM Pres. Marc. R. Dicay are (L-R) Mr. Augusto Claveria, Mayor Cesar Ynares, Gov. Edgardo Ong, Gov. Jose Lina, Jr., Gov. Wilfrido Enverga and Dir. Marilou Toledo. LOWER PHOTO. Marc. Dicay with (L-R) Mrs. Ramoncita Ong, Minister Maria Fe Klingert of the Philippine Embassy in Stockholm, Trade Assistant Mary Borromeo-Hedfors, Dir. Ma. Teresa Regino, Mrs. Mary Grace Enverga, Mrs. Loretta Lina and Dir. Marilou Toledo.





The Governors Concert













CLOCKWISE FROM TOP PHOTO. Gov. Jose and Loretta Lina doing a cappella. Not to be outdone, BCFM Pres. Marc. R. Dicay sings his favorite song with BCFM Sec. Nora Dicay and Mrs. Ramoncita Ong lending him their ears. Gov. Edgardo Ong courageously takes the mike and does a solo performance. On the Bayanihan side, BCFM Auditor Cho Baldon chips in a Filipino song. Gov. Wilfredo and Mary Grace Enverga sing the popular "T.L. Ako Sa Iyo". Mr. Augusto Claveria and Mayor Cesar Ynares doing a Dolphy-Panchito comedy number.