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HON. KARLO ALEXEI B. NOGRALES
Cabinet Secretary



Cabinet Secretary Karlo Alexei B. Nograles is a lawyer who obtained his law degree from the Ateneo School of Law. He is a firm believer in the capacity of government to make a profound difference in the lives of our people, and is fully committed to using his new post to deliver on the President's pledge to bring development to the regions outside Metro Manila and to provide more economic opportunities for his *kapwa probinsyano*.

Just before joining the Cabinet, Sec. Nograles was the Chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations, which passed the 2017 and 2018 National Budgets in record time. As Appropriations chief, he also played a crucial role in obtaining funding for the following: the Free Higher Education Law, the increase in the salaries of our soldiers and policemen, free irrigation for our farmers, and the Coconut Farmers and Industry Development Trust Fund.

Aside from working to fund significant laws passed by the current administration, Sec. Nograles is the author of landmark legislation such as the Green Jobs Act, which is hailed by the International Labor Organization as a first of its kind in the world; the JobStart Philippines Act, which provides our countrymen with better access and opportunities for employment; and the Universal Access to Quality Tertiary Education Act, which provides for free tuition and exemption from other fees in state universities and colleges and local universities and colleges in the Philippines.

Cabinet Secretary Nograles is a multi-awarded legislator. He received the Golden Globe Awards for Excellence in Public Service in 2015 and 2016, and was also awarded the Outstanding Congressman Award in 2012 and again in 2015 by the prestigious international award giving body, Superbrands Marketing International.

Davao City born and bred, Sec. Nograles is one of the country's new generation of dynamic young leaders—a conscientious public servant with an unblemished track record; a passionate advocate for the marginalized; a tireless worker who uses his intelligence, education, and experience to serve his countrymen, especially his fellow *probinsyano*.

GENERAL RICARDO RAMORAN VISAYA (RETIRED)
47TH CHIEF OF STAFF, ARMED FORCES OF PHILIPPINES

On 01 July 2016, Gen. Ricardo R. Visaya assumed command of the 128,000 strong and able men and women of the Armed Forces of the Philippines ushering in a new era of change that laid down the foundation for a stronger security and defense policy under the new administration of President Rodrigo Roa Duterte. Among the priorities that the then COS Gen. Visaya set forth during his term were the following: unification of all Filipinos in winning the peace through people-centered approach; support to the expanded peace process and participation in consensus building towards nation-building; unrelenting Focus Military Operations against terrorist groups and allied cells; intensified support to law enforcement to eliminate widespread criminality and permeation of illegal drugs; refocused modernization for rebuilding internal security capabilities; enhanced Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Response capabilities; and, professionalism of ranks and genuine transformation anchored on good governance.

During his term of office as COS, Gen. Visaya was able to institutionalize reforms that paved the way for a stronger and more responsive Armed Forces. On 08 Dec 2016, upon his retirement from the service, Gen. Visaya was awarded the Legion of Honor degree of Commander by no less than the President of the Republic of the Philippines, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte.

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 08 Dec 1960; Bacarra, Ilocos Norte

DATE ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE: 01 April 1979

COMPULSORY RETIREMENT: 08 Dec 2016

MILITARY SCHOOLINGS:

<u>COURSE TAKEN</u>	<u>NAME OF SCHOOL</u>	<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE	PHIL MILITARY ACADEMY	11 MAR 1983
SCOUT RANGER COURSE	SRTC, FSRR, PA	15 SEP 1983
INTEL OFFR BASIC COURSE	SITS, ISAFP	30 JUN 1987
TRADECRAFT FOR TRAINORS	SITS, ISAFP	30 MAY 1989
INFANTRY BASIC COURSE	CAS, TCPA	14 DEC 1989
INFANTRY ADV COURSE	CAS, TCPA	24 MAY 1989
ELECTRONIC WARFARE	CMS, G2, PA	23 JUL 1996
PROJ MGMNT/ACQ PLANNING	TOTAL LOG MGMNT TM	18 AUG 2000
BID EVAL/CONTRACT NEGO	TOTAL LOG MGMNT TM	11 JUL 2001
CONTRACT MGMT CRSE	TOTAL LOG MGMNT TM	05 DEC 2001
CGSC	CGSC, TRADOC, PA	18 DEC 2003
EXECUTIVE COURSE	APCSS, US PACOM, HAWAII	21 NOV 2006
PACIFIC MGMNT SEM	USARPAC, TOKYO, JAPAN	28 AUG 2009

CIVILIAN SCHOOLINGS:

HIGH SCHOOL	BACARRA NATIONAL HS	27 MAR 1977
BS INDUSTRIAL ENG	ADAMSON UNIVERSITY	2ND YEAR-1979
PROF MGRS PROG	ATENEO UNIVERSITY	15 APR 1991
MASTER IN PUBLIC AD	POLYTECHNIC UP	15 MAY 99 UG
FIN STATEMENT ANALYSIS	UNIV OF ASIA AND PACIFIC	31 JAN 2001
MASTER OF PROJ MGMNT	ADFA, AUSTRALIA	11 DEC 2002

SIGNIFICANT ASSIGNMENTS:

01 JUL 16 - 08 DEC 16	CHIEF OF STAFF, AFP
08 SEP 14 - 01 JUL 16	COMMANDER, SOLCOM
26 APR 13 - 08 SEP 14	COMMANDER, 4ID
31 MAR 13 - 26 APR 13	ASST DIV CMDR, 6ID
21 MAY 12 - 31 MAR 13	BDE CMDR, 901BDE
01 APR 11 - 21 MAY 12	BDE CMDR, 104BDE
09 DEC 09 - 24 AUG 10	CMDR, JTF LAND
15 JAN 07 - 23 OCT 07	CMDR, CMOBN, CMOG, PA
01 MAR 04 - 15 JAN 07	CMDR, 69IB, 7ID, PA
16 FEB 01 - 15 FEB 02	CMDT, TIS, ISG, PA
07 JAN 97 - 16 APR 99	CMDR, 3ISU, ISG, PA
20 SEP 95 - 07 JAN 97	AC OF STAFF FOR OPNS, G3, ISG, PA
01 AUG 91 - 15 MAR 95	CMDR, FS336, 3ISU, ISG, PA
01 FEB 86 - 31 DEC 86	CMDR, B COMPANY, 28IB, 4ID, PA
02 DEC 83 - 31 DEC 84	PLTN LDR, B COMPANY, 28IB, 4ID, PA

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:

- 2 – PHIL. LEGION OF HONOR DEGREE OF COMMANDER
- 5 - DISTINGUISHED SERVICE STAR
- 11 - BRONZE CROSS MEDAL
- 46 - MILITARY MERIT MEDAL
- 12 - MILITARY COMMENDATION MEDAL
- 3 - GAWAD SA KAUNLARAN
- 3 - MILITARY CIVIC ACTION MEDAL
- 2 - LUZON ANTI-DISS CAMPAIGN MEDAL
- 2 - MINDANAO ANTI-DISS CAMPAIGN MEDAL
- 1 - SAGISAG NG ULIRANG KAWAL
- 1 - HONOR GRADUATE AWARD
- 2 - LONG SERVICE MEDAL

COMMENDATION AND HONORS RECEIVED:

- 16 - PLAQUE OF MERIT
- 1 - PMAAA CAVALIER AWARD
- 1 - PMAAA OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

DEPENDENTS:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RELATIONSHIP</u>	<u>DATE OF BIRTH</u>
MILDRED L VISAYA	WIFE	12 JUN 57
MELVIN L VISAYA	SON	28 JUN 88
VEECHIE MARICAR L VISAYA	DAUGHTER	05 APR 90
RAYMUND L VISAYA	SON	06 MAR 93

I hereby certify that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



GEN. RICARDO R VISAYA AFP (Ret)

**Department of Public Works and Highways
Acting Secretary**

MARK A. VILLAR

EMPLOYMENT

Acting Secretary

Department of Public Works and Highways

Philippines

August 2016

Representative, Lone District of Las Piñas City

House of Representatives

Philippines

July 2013-July 2016

Representative, Lone District of Las Piñas City

House of Representatives

Philippines

2010-2013

General Manager

Crown Asia Corporation

2002-2010

ACADEMIC FOLIO

POST GRADUATE	:	The University of Chicago Booth of Business Masters in Business Administration June 2013-March 2015
UNDERGRADUATE	:	University of Pennsylvania Bachelor of Science in Political Science, Philosophy and Economics 1997-2001
SECONDARY/ELEMENTARY	:	International School of Manila 1984-1991; 1992-1996

KARL KENDRICK T. CHUA
Acting Secretary
National Economic and Development Authority

Karl Kendrick T. Chua was appointed Acting Secretary of NEDA on April 17, 2020.

His top three priorities upon being appointed amid the COVID19 crisis include: fast-tracking the National ID System, the economic recovery plan, and the Build, Build, Build Program.

Prior to his appointment, he was Undersecretary for the Strategy, Economics, and Results Group in the Department of Finance (DOF). In this capacity, he helped the government implement its ten-point socioeconomic agenda by ensuring equitable and sustainable financing through the Comprehensive Tax Reform Program.

During his DOF tenure, he led the tax reform team to work with Congress to pass the Tax Reform for Acceleration and Inclusion (TRAIN) Law, which corrected the long-standing inequity of the tax system by reducing income tax rates while providing funding for the government's Build, Build, Build infrastructure program. Then-Undersecretary Chua was also critical in the passage of three pieces of legislation increasing excise taxes on "sin" products, such as tobacco, alcohol, and e-cigarettes, to fund the Universal Health Care Program.

Prior to joining the government, he was the World Bank's senior country economist for the Philippines. In this capacity, he advised the government on strategies and policies to attain more inclusive growth—the type that creates more and better jobs and reduces poverty.

In his last two years in World Bank, he spent one-and-a-half years working on Mindanao, where he led a team to conduct in-depth research for the 2016 Mindanao Jobs Report, a comprehensive strategy for the island group's development. The study's inclusive approach integrated the insights of government, business, labor, civil society, and vulnerable groups who are often left out in the engagement process, such as indigenous people, Moro women, out-of-school youth, combatants, and internally displaced people.

He was with the World Bank for 12 years from 2004 to 2016.

Acting Secretary Chua completed his MA in economics in 2003 and PhD in economics in 2011 at the University of the Philippines School of Economics.

Prior to joining the World Bank, he was assistant professorial lecturer of mathematics and economics at the Ateneo de Manila University, where he also completed his BS in Management Engineering in 2000. He was consultant for several local and development partner-funded projects in the area of economic and fiscal policy.

Chua was named one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men and Women (TOYM) in January 2019 by the Junior Chamber International (JCI) Philippines.

He is married and has one child. His hobby is astronomy and his little boy is named after a star, Keid.

Profile of NEDA Acting Secretary Karl Kendrick T. Chua

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PERSONAL BACKGROUND

- Born October 14, 1951 in Bato, Catanduanes;
- Graduated Cum Laude in 1973 from Feati University with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering. He is a licensed Professional Mechanical Engineer;
- Graduated with “Superior Performance Honor” in 1990 at the Asian Institute of Management under the Management Development Program;

PREVIOUS ASSIGNMENTS:

- Executive Advisor of Axia Power Holdings Philippines Corporation a Marubeni Company;
- Former Senior Vice President of NPC, managing All Plant Generations, Technical and Maintenance Services, Independent Power Producers, Pre/Post Privatization Activities, Assets Preservation Department, Human Resources and Administration, Watershed Management Dept and Dams Reservoir & Flood Forecasting Dept;
 - Vice Chairman – Nuclear Power Projects Core Group;
 - Sr. Adviser – NPC-ALECO Management Team;
 - Philippine Delegation Head – HAPUA Working Group;
 - Chairman, Steering Committee – NPC/PSALM O&M Agreement;
 - Alternate Board Member – Renewable Energy Board;
 - Represents the Philippines in numerous fora on Energy in the ASEAN, Asia, APERC, SOME/ANEM/APEC;
 - Guest Lecturer, Consultant in the Energy field both here in the Philippines and Asia.
- Have extensive study and on the job training in Geothermal Power Plant Planning, Design Engineering and Operations both in Japan and in the Philippines;
- As an NPC employee/official, have extensive exposure & expertise in Planning, Design and Engineering, Power Plant Operation and Maintenance, Research and Development and Island Missionary Electrification and Renewable Energy;
- Received specialized training in Coal, Non-Conventional Energy and Natural Gas Utilization;
- Overall coordinator – Task Force Halalan, 2004 and 2010;
- Board Member – Philippine Electricity Market, 2003 – 2004;
- Used to be a Mathematics instructor at Feati University from 1972 and 1976;
- He is a reserved officer in the Armed Forces of the Philippines with a rank of Captain;
- He is married to Virginia H. Benavidez, the former Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam & New Zealand and former Chief of Mission 1, Department of Foreign Affairs. They have two children Alexander and Rubianca.

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Professional/Business Experience

Currently, Consultant	KSL Printing Press, Roxas St., Davao City Gelmi Enterprise, Roxas St., Davao City Seagrass Beach Resort, island Garden City of Samal GGS Farm, Calinan, Davao City
Cost Analyst (1979-80)	Apo Trade Sales, Davao City
Accounting Supervisor (1977-1979)	Dole Philippines-Stanfilco, Davao City

Education

Bachelor of Science in Commerce, Major in Accounting, graduated 1977
Holy Cross College of Digos (now Cor Jesu College), Digos City, Davao del Sur
*Athletic Excellence Gold Medalist and Scholar, Advanced ROTC Officer and Awardee
Basketball Varsity*

High School, graduated 1973
Saint Michael College of Padada, Padada, Davao del Sur
Basketball Varsity

Grade School, graduated 1967
Padada Elementary School, Padada, Davao del Sur

Community and Social Involvement

Presently, Mindanao State Officer for Calamity Preparedness and Climate Change, and concurrent Assistant Diocesan Council Coordinator, Mindanao Jurisdiction, Knights of Columbus.
past District Deputy and former Grand Knight
spearheaded Operation Kontra-baha, a private-led, multi-agency tree-planting initiative along the 3 major rivers in Davao City; 75,000 seedlings planted., in cooperation with then Mayor Sara Duterte-Carpio, and the Eastern Mindanao Command (Eastmincom).

Founding and Current National Chair, Rody Duterte Solid Group (RDSG)
*Organized in 1998, a multi-sectoral movement that advocates environmental preservation, grassroots entrepreneurship, and a drug-free and peaceful community;
In the recent 2016 presidential elections, independently supported and campaigned for the President Duterte's federalism platform, and anti-illegal drugs agenda; established a national network of campaigners and advocates, down to the regional and municipal levels.*

Founding and Current Chair, Kalambuan sa Samal (KABUS)
a grassroots-level, self-help association of marginal mongo farmers practicing natural and sustainable farming methods; organized with the advice and assistance of former Maribojoc Mayor Leoncio Evasco, Jr.

Former President, Padada Valley Association, Inc.
an organization of businesspersons and professionals who trace their roots in the so-called Padada Valley (composed of the rural municipalities of Sulop, Padada and Hagonoy in Davao del Sur); whose main advocacy is the education of poor but deserving students from the countryside. Notable members are the Durezas and PSC Chair William Ramirez.

Former President, Parents and Teachers Association (High School)
with support from the City Government of Davao, advocated and spearheaded anti-illegal drugs and anti-gangsterism interventions in the school.

Former Vice-President, Skyline Village Residents Association,, Inc.
spearheaded a community-based peacekeeping and anti-illegal drugs initiatives in the village, as well as in the barangay; supported and campaigned for then Barangay Captain Paolo Z. Duterte whose platform was along these lines; personally commissioned by then Davao City Mayor Rodrigo R. Duterte to oversee and manage the political campaign.

Former Chair, KILL DROGA Movement, Catalunan Grande Chapter
the chapter was awarded Most Outstanding Barangay Chapter in the Philippines in ceremonies held at Malacanang Palace during the term of then President Gloria Macapagal- Arroyo. The movement was part of the anti-drug program of the Office of the President.

Former Regional Chair, BIGKIS PINOY MOVEMENT
a multi-sectoral movement that supported and campaigned for the Arroyo presidency.

Former Regional Point-person of the late Agrarian Reform Secretary Horacio Morales.

Sports Advocate and Athlete
former commercial and varsity basketball player; conceptualized and supports Tour de Grande, an annual road bike race, in cooperation with the Philippine Amateur Cycling Association and the Knights of Columbus.

PERSONAL

Born November 29, 1956 in Padada del Sur to the late Amadeo Sarmiento and the late Enecita Gelbolingo, both from Carcar, Cebu.

Married for 35 years to Annabelle Pelayo de los Reyes, a businesswoman, of Davao City and Caraga, Davao Oriental.

Has three children, Katrina, married to Jorge Jao, both professionals and entrepreneurs; Suzette, comptroller of the family business; and Francia Lauren, a chef, currently pursuing a Masters degree in Culinary Arts at the Cornell Institute of Business and Technology in Auckland, New Zealand.

Has two grandchildren, Miguel, 9, and Kaitlin Sofia, 6.



ATTY. JISELLE RAE AUMENTADO VILLAMOR

Corporate Board Secretary
Office of the Corporate Board Secretary
National Irrigation Administration

Jiselle Rae Aumentado Villamor is a member of the Philippine Bar.

She has considerable experience in policy development and advocacy, as well as legislative research. She served as the Head of the Policy and Legislation Department of the League of Cities of the Philippines. She has represented the local government units, particularly cities, in committee hearings before the House of Representatives and Senate, and various national government agencies.

Jiselle has extensive experience in legal and compliance processes; formulation and recommendation of policy agenda for Board adoption; and litigation practice. Her practice focuses on land title and deeds, persons and family relations, criminal law and general corporate law.

As a volunteer lawyer at the Child Justice League, she provides pro bono counsel to abused, trafficked and indigent children, as well as those who are in conflict with the law.

Jiselle received her bachelor's degree in Political Science from Silliman University in 2010, where she graduated Cum Laude, and her law degree from Lyceum of the Philippines University in 2015.