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SEPTEMBER 2013 GOOD NEWS

GOOD NEWS	WHY GOOD NEWS
ECC extends help to carpenter	GOOD GOVERNANCE, TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY
	<p>Eduardo Moncado, a 42-year old carpenter of Stage General Services in Cebu City, was hit by a speeding motorcycle while on board his bicycle on his way home, at 5:15 pm of June 15, 2013. He was rushed to Mandaue Cortez General Hospital, and was later transferred to Vicente Sotto Medical Center, due to the fracture on his right arm.</p> <p>During the course of his treatment, Moncado received no financial assistance from his employer. He also found out that his SSS contributions have not been remitted. These prompted Moncado to file a complaint against his employer.</p> <p>While he was at the DOLE regional office in Cebu City to file a complaint, Moncado was referred to the Employees' Compensation Commission for a possible availment of the benefits under the Employees' Compensation Program.</p> <p>To address Moncado's immediate financial need, the ECC, through Information Officer Ms. Ingrid Yumang, communicated with</p>

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	<p>his employer for a meeting to amicably reach a solution.</p> <p>As a result of the meeting, the employer agreed to settle the wage difference obligation, payment of the SSS contributions, and assured Moncado of assistance in the processing of his EC medical reimbursement claims, subject to any penalty under the law that will be imposed by the SSS for the late compliance.</p> <p>Truly, at ECC "Higit pa sa benepisyo ang binibigay na serbisyo".</p>
<p>ECC conducts an ECP lecture in a Philippine Army base</p>	<p>With the recent rise of bombing and ambush incidents involving soldiers of the Philippine Army in Region 12, particularly in the province of North Cotobato and Cotobato City, the ECC conducted an Employees' Compensation Program (ECP) awareness campaign to the members of the 27th Infantry Battalion, Phil. Army in Tupi, South Cotobato on August 16, 2013.</p> <p>It was the second time that the ECC conducted the information campaign with the 27th IB. The earlier was for the soldiers assigned at Tupi South Cotobato and this second one to the soldiers of the battalion assigned in the mountainous areas of Lake Sebu, South Cotobato.</p> <p>There were a total of sixty (60) soldiers present during the activity and most of them heard the ECP for the first time. The Soldiers were oriented on the ECP and the documentary requirements for the filing of an EC claim on work-related contingencies. The issue on ECP coverage for the uniformed personnel of the AFP was brought up, considering that they are no</p>

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