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Southern Leyte LCRs and Staff Attend Training on Implementation of RAs 11909, 11642, and 11767 in Tacloban City

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The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Southern Leyte, in collaboration with the Southern Leyte Municipal Civil Registrars Association (SOLEMCRA), successfully conducted a training session on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics (CRVS) from October 28 to 30, 2024, at Hotel Alejandro in Tacloban City.

The training emphasized the implementation of important laws, rules, regulations, and guidelines, including the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act No. 11909. This act addresses the permanent validity of all civil registry documents issued by the former National Statistics Office (NSO), the PSA, Local Civil Registry Offices (LCROs), and Sharia Courts. Participants also gained knowledge on the guidelines for registering the Final Order of Adoption as per Republic Act No. 11642 and the updated protocols for registering the Certificate of Live Birth for individuals with unknown parents under Republic Act No. 11767.



The event brought together Local Civil Registrars and LCRO personnel from across the province, promoting collaboration and enhancing understanding of registration processes and vital statistics. The training aimed to improve the efficiency and accuracy of civil registration, ensuring that every citizen's right to legal identity is recognized and protected.

Attendees engaged directly with resource persons, allowing them to thoroughly explore the material and apply insights to actual registration scenarios. Feedback highlighted the training's relevance and the importance of ongoing professional development in civil registration.

In addition to PSA trainers and facilitators, the training featured a resource person from the DSWD-Regional Alternative on Child Care Office 8 (RACCO8). Participants were involved in interactive discussions and written exercises, fostering a deeper engagement with the content.



The PSA and SOLEMCRA remain committed to advocating for accurate civil registration, supporting the implementation of these laws, and striving to enhance the quality of vital statistics in the region.

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