### **Manulife**

## Photo Release

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# Manulife Philippines holds inaugural blessing of its Cebu 2Quad branch, reinforcing its agency force in the Queen City of the South



Shown at the branch opening from left: Boy Archie, Branch Head; Nonoy Cupin, Region Head; Sol Arana, Branch Head; the Honorable Atty. Rey Gealon, Cebu City councilor; Hannah Esguerra, Branch Head; Mira Esguerra, Region Head; Rahul Hora, Manulife Philippines President and CEO; Maya Lee, Manulife Philippines Chief Operations Officer; Stella Bernabe, Executive Region Head; Sailesh Nalinakshan, Manulife Philippines Head of Agency Strategy and Support; Maiko Diaz de Rivera, Manulife Philippines Head of Distribution Operations; Paolo Javellana, Zone Head, and Beni Alcaraz, Branch Head.

**Manila, Philippines** — Manulife Philippines recently inaugurated its new Cebu 2Quad office, one of 47 branches of the Company in the country, to further strengthen its agency force's commitment to providing life and health protection and financially securing the future of more Cebuanos.



Currently, Manulife's hub in the Visayas has 23 agents belonging to the Million Dollar Round Table (MDRT), a global and independent association of the world's leading life insurance and financial services professionals. The hub will house Manulife's growing agency force in Cebu, now with more than 200 agency leaders and financial advisors.

"As more Filipinos prioritize their health and future, Manulife empowers its agency force with comprehensive training and education programs, innovative digitized tools, mentorship programs, and collaboration opportunities with fellow financial advisors, enabling them to serve and help more Filipinos make well-informed decisions related to finance and health coverage," said Rahul Hora, President and CEO, Manulife Philippines. "With our expanding presence in Cebu and the Visayas region, we look forward to financially protect more Filipino families and make their every day better."

Along with Hora, also present during the inauguration were Sailesh Nalinakshan, Manulife Philippines Head of Agency Strategy and Support; Maya Lee, Manulife Philippines Chief Operations Officer; Maiko Diaz de Rivera, Head of Distribution Operations; the Honorable Rey Gealon, City Councilor of the City of Cebu, and Visayas-based Manulife Agency Leaders and Sales Management Team.

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The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company opened its doors for business in the Philippines in 1907. Since then, Manulife's Philippine Branch and later The Manufacturers Life Insurance Co. (Phils.), Inc. (Manulife Philippines) has grown to become one of the country's leading life insurance companies. Manulife Philippines is a wholly-owned domestic subsidiary of Manulife Financial Corporation, among the world's largest life insurance companies by market capitalization. Learn more about Manulife Philippines by visiting their website <a href="manulife.com.ph">manulife.com.ph</a> and following them on Facebook (<a href="facebook.com/ManulifePH">facebook.com/ManulifePH</a>), Twitter (@ManulifePH), and Instagram (@manulifeph).

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Manulife Financial Corporation is a leading international financial services provider, helping people make their decisions easier and lives better. With our global headquarters in Toronto, Canada, we provide financial advice and insurance, operating as Manulife across Canada, Asia, and Europe and primarily as John Hancock in the United States. Through Manulife Investment Management, the global brand for our Global Wealth and Asset Management segment, we serve individuals, institutions, and retirement plan members worldwide. At the end of 2022, we had over 40,000 employees, over 116,000 agents, and thousands of distribution partners, serving over 34 million customers. We trade as 'MFC' on the Toronto, New York, and Philippine stock exchanges and under '945' in Hong Kong

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