

December 30, 2017

MR. BENEDICT MAGSAKAY ESTRELLA

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Dear Mr. Estrella,

We are pleased to welcome you to the Government Service Insurance System (GSIS), the state pension fund that provides social security to employees in the government sector.

As a new member, you are entitled to receive a package of social security benefits, such as retirement, life insurance, separation, unemployment, disability, employees' compensation, funeral, and survivorship. You also enjoy certain loan privileges including consolidated (salary), policy and emergency loans.

These benefits are financed by member and employer premium contributions. Your contribution rate is equal to 21% of your monthly compensation - 9% representing our personal share and 12% as the employer or government share. These contributions are administered by GSIS.

To protect your personal information and help us quickly track your account, we are providing you with your Business Partner (BP) Number **2005265434**. This serves as your permanent GSIS identification, so please always keep this number in mind.

In addition, we encourage you to enroll for the GSIS UMID-complaint eCard that serves not only as your official GSIS identification card, but also a smart card, that allows you to transact conveniently through the GSIS Wireless Automated Processing System (GWAPS) kiosks.

To enroll, you may visit the nearest GSIS office and bring two valid government-issued identification cards which may include the following: office ID, Land Transportation Office (LTO) license, Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) license, passport, and voter's registration ID.

We are happy to help you learn more about your GSIS benefits and privileges. Please do not hesitate to call us should you need further clarification. You may either call the GSIS Contact Center at 847-4747 or visit our website <u>www.gsis.gov.ph</u> and click the 'Members' section for further details. We can also arrange and provide briefings on the salient points of our benefit programs for your deeper appreciation.

True to our corporate slogan "Maaasahan ng Lingkod-Bayan", we aim to be of service to you, because GSIS exists for its members and pensioners.

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to serve you.

Sincerely,

SALVACION P. MATE OIC-SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT LUZON OPERATIONS GROUP

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