

Biographical Details – LRTA Board of Directors

1) DOTr

Sec. Jaime J. Bautista
Designation: Chairman
Date of Birth: February 10, 1957 (age 67)
Date Appointed: July 2022 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Doctorate in Humanities (Honoris Causa), Central Luzon State University
Bachelor of Science in Commerce, Major in Accounting, Colegio de San Juan de Letran

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Secretary, Department of Transportation, July 2022 – Present
President and COO, Philippine Airlines, 2014 – 2019 and 2004 – 2012
Director, MacroAsia Corporation
Director, ETON Properties Philippines, Inc.
Treasurer, Tan Yan Kee Foundation, Inc.
Key Executive, LT Group, Inc.

Alternate Chairperson:
Usec. Cesar B. Chavez

Alternate Secondary Chairperson:
Asec. Jorjette B. Aquino

2) LRTA

Atty. Hernando T. Cabrera
Designation: Member
Date of Birth: December 21, 1967 (age 57)
Date Appointed: August 2022 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Bachelor of Laws, St. Louis University
AB Political Science, St. Louis University, cum laude

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Administrator, Light Rail Transit Authority, August 2022 – Present
Corporate Board Secretary, Light Rail Transit Authority, 2004 – 2022
Official Spokesperson, Light Rail Transit Authority, 2010 – 2022
Compliance Officer, Light Rail Transit Authority, 2015 – 2022
OIC, Administrative Department, Light Rail Transit Authority, 2021 – 2022
Member, Integrated Bar of the Philippines

3) Private Sector Representative

Atty. Dimapuno R. Datu
Designation: Member
Date Appointed: June 2017 to Present

Academic Qualifications:

Lawyer, University of the East, Manila; College Dalupan Scholar, cum laude

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Vice-Governor of Lanao del Sur, 2001-2004;
Sultan sa Raya (Watu-Balindong), Lanao del Sur;
Commissioner, Regional Reconciliation and Unification Commission in ARMM;
Dean, College of Business Administration, Mindanao State University;
Provincial Attorney, DAR Attorney, Lanao del Sur;



Legal Counsel, Philippine Amanah Bank, Lanao del Sur & Norte;
MSU Chief Legal Officer, Mindanao State University (MSU);
Professor, MSU-College of Law;
Professor, College of Law, University of the East-Manila;
Professor, Jamiatul Philippine Al-Islamia-Marawi City;
Radio Commentator, DXAD-AM Radio Station Marawi City, and “Pangnal o Masa” Radio Marawi, 96.9 FM Station;
Radio Anchorman of NAMFREL in 1995 & 1998 LOCAL ELECTION;
Human Rights Advocate and Freedom Fighter since Martial Law;
FLAG Lawyer (Marawi and Lanao del Sur Chapter);
Writer and Journalist, Publisher-Editor of Philippine Crescent;
President, Marawi City Press and Radio Ranao Patrol Club;
First President of Philippine Muslim Workers Association Inc.;
Former President of Dansalan Junior College Alumni Association;
Former Port Collector of Customs at Cotabato City, General Santos City, Dumaguete City, Davao City and MICP, Manila

4) DPWH

Sec. Manuel M. Bonoan
Designation: Member
Date of Birth: August 05, 1945 (age 79)
Date Appointed: July 2022 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Secretary, Department of Public Works and Highways, July 2022 - Present
Undersecretary, Department of Public Works and Highways
Assistant Secretary, Department of Public Works and Highways
President and CEO, SMC Tollways
President, Skyway O&M Corporation
Consultant for the Infrastructure Sector, San Miguel Corporation
Member, Association of Government Civil Engineers of the Philippines
Member, Philippine Water Works Association
Member, Transportation Science Society of the Philippines

Alternate Member:
Usec. Maria Catalina E. Cabral

Alternate Secondary Member:
Dir. Gliricidia C. Tumaliuan-Ali



5) DBM

Sec. Amenah F. Pangandaman
Designation: Member
Date of Birth: December 25, 1977 (age 47)
Date Appointed: July 2022 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Executive Master of Public Administration (on-going), London School of Economics
Master's Degree in Development Economics, University of the Philippines
Bachelor's Degree in Economics, Far Eastern University

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Secretary, Department of Budget and Management, July 2022 – Present
Undersecretary, Department of Budget and Management, 2018-2019
Assistant Secretary, Department of Budget and Management, 2016-2018
Assistant Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas
Member, Senate Finance Committee under Chairperson Loren Legarda
Chief of Staff to former Senate President Edgardo Angara
Researcher, Senate of the Philippines



Alternate Member:
Dir. Elena Regina S. Brillantes

6) NEDA

Sec. Arsenio M. Balisacan
Designation: Member
Date of Birth: November 8, 1957 (age 67)
Date Appointed: July 2022 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Hawaii at Manoa
Master's Degree in Agricultural Economics, University of the Philippines
Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture, Mariano Marcos State University

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Secretary, National Economic and Development Authority,
2012-2016, July 2022 – Present
Chairperson, Philippine Competition Commission, 2016-2022
Dean, UP School of Economics
Undersecretary, Department of Agriculture
Adjunct Professor, Australian National University
Professor, University of the Philippines
Assistant Professor, University of the Philippines
Economist, World Bank
Research Fellow, East-West Center

Alternate Member:
Usec. Joseph J. Capuno

Alternate Secondary Member:
Asec. Roderick M. Planta

Alternate Tertiary Member:
Asec. Jonathan L. Uy



7) DOF

Sec. Ralph G. Recto
Designation: Member
Date of Birth: January 11, 1964 (age 60)
Date Appointed: January 2024 – present

Academic Qualifications:

Doctor of Humanities, honoris causa, Lipa City Public College
Doctor of Humanities, honoris causa, Nueva Ecija University of Science and Technology
Doctor of Science, honoris causa, Batangas State University
Course on Leadership for the 21st Century: Chaos, Conflict and Courage,
John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University
Certificate in Business Economics, University of Asia and the Pacific,
Ortigas, Pasig City (1993)

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Senate President Pro Tempore, 18th Congress of the Philippines
Senate President Pro Tempore, 17th Congress of the Philippines (February 27, 2017 – June 30, 2019)
Senate Minority Leader, 17th Congress of the Philippines (July 25, 2016 – February 26, 2017)
Senate President Pro Tempore, 16th Congress of the Philippines (2013-2016)
Senator, 15th Congress of the Philippines (2010-2013)
Socioeconomic Planning Secretary and Director General, National Economic Development Authority (July 28, 2008 – August 15, 2009)
Independent Director, Union Bank (Sept. 28, 2007 – July 27, 2008)
Senator, 13th Congress of the Philippines (2004 – 2007)



Senator, 12th Congress of the Philippines (2001-2004)
Representative, 4th District of Batangas, 11th Congress of the Philippines (1998 – 2001)
Representative, 4th District of Batangas, 10th Congress of the Philippines (1995 – 1998)
Representative, 4th District of Batangas, 9th Congress of the Philippines (1992 – 1995)

Alternate Member:
Usec. Catherine L. Fong

Alternate Secondary Member:
Asec. Glenda R. Rumohr-Figueroa

8) MMDA

Atty. Romando S. Artes (OIC)
Designation: Member
Date Appointed: 29 October 2022 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Bachelor of Laws, San Beda College
Bachelor's Degree in Commerce major in Accountancy

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Acting Chairman, Metropolitan Manila Development Authority
Undersecretary, Metropolitan Manila Development Authority
General Manager, Metropolitan Manila Development Authority
Assistant General Manager, Metropolitan Manila Development Authority
Consultant, House of Representatives
Partner Lawyer, So Artes & Partners Law Office
Lawyer, Cayetano Sebastian Dado & Cruz Law Office

Alternate Member:
Atty. Jose M. Arollado, Jr.



9) LTFRB

Atty. Teofilo E. Guadiz III
Designation: Member
Date Appointed: 06 November 2023 - Present

Academic Qualifications:

Bachelor of Laws

Professional Qualifications and Other Affiliations:

Chairperson, Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board,
December 2022 – Present
Assistant Secretary, Land Transportation Office

Alternate Member:
Engr. Riza Marie T. Paches

Alternate Secondary Member:
Atty. Mark T. Cofino

Alternate Tertiary Member:
Atty. Jocelyn V. Tataro

Alternate Quaternary Member:
Atty. Carl Sha Jemimah F. Marbella

