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As we reflect on the journey we've taken together, it is clear that our shared efforts have been rooted in more than just progress—they have been about purpose. Every initiative taken, every challenge surmounted, and every milestone reached has contributed to something far greater than the sum of its parts.

The year 2024 has been a time of change towards greater significance as we continue to explore new ways to create lasting significance and impact in the lives of both our staff and clients. In a rapidly evolving environment, driven by technological advancements and environmental challenges, EPMI has remained steadfast in its commitment to serving our clients.



We have adopted various strategies to meet our operational goals, including addressing staffing concerns to attract and retain top talent. Organizational alignment has also been a priority, exemplified by the successful spin-off of the ECLOF Agri Center, which reflects our deep commitment to serving our clients and positively impacting their businesses. We've strengthened our partnerships, collaborating with both existing and new program partners. These efforts reflect our unwavering dedication to our mission and vision.

Throughout these three decades, ECLOF Philippines has remained true to its mission, that is committed to build communities and livelihood, which are sustainable – economically viable, socially desirable, and environmentally sound. As we look forward to the years ahead, let us continue to invest our talents, energy, and wisdom in driving positive change and creating meaningful impact for our clients, and the communities we promised to serve.

This also comes with sincere gratitude to the management and staff, my co-board members, and all the General Assembly members, for the collective sharing of gifts and talents towards achieving greater significance and impact.

Congratulations to everyone—and thank you for being part of this remarkable journey.

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