



**To provide an enabling environment for the Bangsamoro, allowing the MILF combatants to transition to productive civilian life**

# INDEPENDENT DECOMMISSIONING BODY

The IDB is created by the GPH and MILF to oversee the process of decommissioning of the MILF forces and weapons. It is a key component of the normalization program in accordance with the Comprehensive Agreement on the Bangsamoro.



Verification of Bangsamoro Islamic Armed Forces (BIAF) combatants and the inventory of weapons;



Ensure that all the necessary processes for decommissioning are complied with by the Parties;



Scheduling of decommissioning and its implementation;



Report the progress of its work and submit its terminal report to the GPH and MILF panes; and



Development of plans and technologies for weapons collection, transportation and storage;



Coordinate with the Joint Normalization Committee and other components of normalization.



Facilitated the ceremonial decommissioning of 145 MILF combatants and 75 weapons on June 16, 2015



Facilitated the Disposal of Ammunitions and Explosives for Phase 1, Phase 2 and Phase 3 Decommissioning



Facilitated the launching of Second Phase of Decommissioning of MILF combatants and weapons on September 07, 2019 and successfully Decommissioned 30% of MILF combatants and weapon under Phase II



Established two facilities – IDB Headquarters in Cotabato City, as the operational base; the Secured Arms Storage Area (SASA)



Commencement of Phase 3 Decommissioning and conducted Public Launching of the Resumption of Phase 3 Decommissioning



Developed the IDB data center system for the verification and decommissioning of the combatants and weapons and Creation of IDB-BIAF Technical working group



Completion of Phase 3 Decommissioning



Conducted series of organizational building and strengthening capabilities for personnel and staff

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