

***Bases Conversion Development in the Philippines
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The Bases Conversion Development Authority (BCDA) was created under the Office of the President of the Republic, to pursue the following:

- 1. The disposition and privatization of Metro Manila camps,***
- 2. The conversion and development of former baselands and facilities into Special Economic Zones, and***
- 3. Social development, which consists of the provision of housing and livelihood for the dislocated families affected by development projects undertaken by BCDA.***

The development strategy consists of determining the economic and business potentials of the former baselands, converting them in partnership with the private sector, and developing growth corridors to spur economic growth and development of the regions concerned.

This paper discusses the various projects undertaken by the BCDA.