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MORE COPS SENT TO VALENZUELA CITY

An additional platoon of 40 policemen has been deployed in Valenzuela City to augment the local Police Station in its operations.

PNP Chief, Director General Leandro R Mendoza earlier instructed Deputy Director General Edgar Galvante, Regional Director of the National Capital Region Police Office (NCRPO) to beef-up preventive patrol operations in the city.

In his report to Mendoza, Galvante said a contingent of 40 personnel were pulled-out from the District Mobile Force (DMF) of the Northern Police District (NPD) and detailed with the Valenzuela Police Station under Superintendent Leopoldo Ureña.

The additional platoon will be divided into ten patrol teams and will be assigned to police visibility and preventive patrol duties, Galvante said.

The additional police platoon will augment the existing 246 personnel of the Valenzuela City Police Station. The Station has only 15 mobile assets.

Valenzuela is 4,000-hectare highly-industrialized city north of Manila. The police-to-population ratio in the city is 1:2600, five times greater than the ideal 1:500 ratio.