Greetings of peace and good health!

I would like to sincerely congratulate the indefatigable Editorial Staff of the Philippine Journal of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery for this latest issue of our bi-annual publication under the tutelage of our esteemed Editor-in-Chief, Dr. Jose Florencio F. Lapeña, Jr. The Philippine Society of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery is indebted to your tireless efforts to continue to come up with a scientific journal with academic research at par with international standards, despite what we know are more difficult circumstances brought about by a continuing global pandemic.

I hope our Fellows will continue to guide our training Residents and Fellows-in-training, in coming up with journal-worthy scientific papers. This journal would not be what it is now without the tireless efforts of our Fellows in the academe and training institutions.

It is my wish and hopeful prayer that the next issue will come out under more favorable and happier circumstances.

Let us all continue to be safe. Cheers to a better year ahead.

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