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CUERDAS SA PAGKAKAYSA
(The 3RD International Rondalla Festival)

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA), the Musicological Society of the Philippines (MSP), and the City of Tagum Tourism Council (CTTC) will hold the *Cuerdas sa Pagkakaysa: The 3rd International Rondalla Festival* with the theme "*Plucked String Music: Tradition, Change and New Directions*" on February 12-19, 2011 at the City of Tagum, Davao del Norte. The festival features a conference and workshop scheduled on February 14-16, 2010.

2. The festival aims to:

- a. promote the rondalla tradition and other plucked string instruments from different countries; and
- b. broaden the knowledge on tradition, development, changes and new directions in plucked string practices.

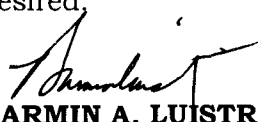
3. The participants to this activity are music teachers from both public and private elementary and high schools, rondalla teachers, trainers and conductors from the schools implementing the Special Program for the Arts (SPA), regional and division *Makabayan* supervisors who are in-charge of music and arts education. Attendance of public school participants is **on official time only**. Participants from private schools shall make arrangements with their respective schools/institutions.

4. Teachers and students are encouraged to visit the exhibit and watch the performances. Participants in the workshop are requested to bring their musical instruments.

5. A registration fee of Three Thousand Pesos (PhP3,000.00) inclusive of workshop kit (bag, book of abstracts, handouts, and workshop materials), lunch and two (2) snacks for February 14-16, 2011 only. Registration period will start on **November 15, 2010**. Admission to the performances and exhibition is free to the public. However, tickets must be secured from the Office of City of Tagum Tourism Office (CTTC) at least one (1) week before the conduct of the activity.

6. For more information, please contact the NCCA Office at telephone no.: (02) 926-0028; mobile phone no.: 0917-9633-490; e-mail address: cuerdasphil@yahoo.com or visit website: www.cuerdasfestival.com.

7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Secretary



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