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6TH NATIONAL EDUCATORS COOPERATIVE SUMMIT AND 10TH ANNUAL
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PHILIPPINES FEDERATION
OF TEACHERS AND EMPLOYEES COOPERATIVES (PFTEC)

To: Bureau Directors
Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Philippine Federation of Teachers and Employees Cooperatives (PFTEC), in partnership with the Department of Education (DepED), and the Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) will conduct the 6th National Educators Cooperative Summit (NECS) and the 10th Annual General Assembly (AGA) on April 29-30, 2008 at the Teachers Camp, Baguio City.
2. The DepED Cordillera Administration Region (CAR), the DepED-CAR Regional Office Employees Multi-Purpose Cooperative (ROFEMCO) and the Baguio City Schools Teachers and Employees Association (BCSTEA) Cooperative shall be the hosts of this event, with the Employees Welfare and Benefits Division (EWBD), DepED Central Office, providing the necessary assistance and technical support.
3. The theme of the summit and general assembly is **“Building Stronger Cooperatives in DepED, Creating a Sustainable PFTEC Environment”**.
4. The purpose of the summit and general assembly is to bring together the cooperative leaders and officials of the education sector in promoting new forms of cooperation in the pursuit of quality education and teachers’ welfare and benefits through cooperatives. This year’s summit aims to:
 - a. professionalize the cooperative movement in the education sector;
 - b. develop professional competency program for the board of directors;
 - c. provide mentoring and monitoring opportunities to the cooperatives; and
 - d. develop solutions and strategies for poverty alleviation through cooperatives.
5. Participants to this live-in summit and general assembly are board of directors, officers and management staff of DepED teachers’ and employees’ cooperatives who shall attend on official time only. Their registration fees,

traveling expenses and other incidental expenses shall be charged to their respective cooperative funds. School administrators, school superintendents, regional directors and other officials of DepED shall attend on official business wherein their expenses shall be charged to local funds subject to its availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

6. A registration fee of Three Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP3,500.00) shall be charged each participant to cover expenses for the following:

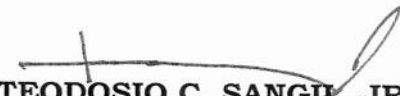
- a. Two (2) nights accommodation on April 28 and 29, 2008, only;
- b. Meals and snacks to start with AM snacks on April 28 and 29, 2008 up to breakfast on April 30, 2008; and
- c. Conference materials and motorcade/coop visitation.

7. For live-out participants, a registration fee of Three Thousand Pesos Only (PhP3,000.00) shall be charged which will cover item no. 6 (b) and (c) only.

8. Expenses to be incurred by the EWBD staff and other personnel of the Central Office shall be charged against the appropriation for the formation of teachers' cooperatives included in the DepED budget for CY 2008.

9. Participants can register on-line at pftec96@yahoo.com.ph. They can also pay directly at the PFTEC office or through on-line/accommodation deposit at its account number 3342-1003-32, Landbank, DECS Extension Office Branch, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City. The enrollment form together with the duplicate copy of the validated on-line deposit slip shall be sent directly to the PFTEC Finance Committee (Attention: Ms. Mel Afable) at tel. no. (02) 635-3198. For further details, please contact Ms. Florence Monton at 0915-8108076; Ms. Eugenia M. Tuliao at EWBD, DepED Central Office at tel. no. (02) 633-7229; or Mr. Fernando Eleponga, General Manager, BCSTEA Cooperative at 0919-4246634. Enclosed are the schedule of activities and enrollment form.

10. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


TEODOSIO C. SANGIL, JR.
Undersecretary

Reference: DepED Memorandum: No. 172, s. 2007

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