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THIRD NATIONAL CONGRESS OF PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL HEADS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Secondary Schools
Secretary of Education, ARMM
All Others Concerned

1. The National Association of Public Secondary School Heads, Inc. (NAPSSHI) in coordination with various Government Agencies, Leagues of Local Authorities, Business Trade and Industry Sectors, Non-Government Organizations, Federations of Parents Teachers Associations, Federations of Teachers Associations, Federations of Sanggunian Kabataan and other Education Advocacy Groups shall hold its Third National Congress on May 8-11, 2008 at Teachers Camp, Baguio City. In the pursuit of Education for All, the congress theme is **"Partnership in Basic Education Reforms Towards School Improvement Sustainability"**.

2. The congress primarily aims to:

- a. strengthen functional school-community partnership towards continuous school improvement;
- b. build the capacity of school heads in enabling school stakeholders to appreciate mutual authority, responsibility and accountability in raising school outcomes as a mandate of R.A. No. 9155; and
- c. strengthen school heads' capacity to determine the level and extent of social support for the attainment of desired learning outcomes.

3. Furthermore, in pursuit of the NAPSSHI's mission to provide an avenue to strengthen mutual benefits and welfare, the congress shall also discuss issues and concerns affecting its membership.

4. The congress will also be an auspicious occasion to celebrate Teachers Camp Centennial.

5. Participants to this congress are public secondary school heads, chiefs or assistant chiefs of Secondary Education Divisions (SED), division and regional supervisors and assistant superintendents in-charge of SBM, schools division superintendents, department heads and master teachers. Stakeholders invited to the congress are provincial/city/municipal executives and board/council chairs on education, officers of leagues of local authorities, Barangay officials, SK chairs, PTA/PTCA presidents, and officers of associations of business/trade/industry, NGOs and advocacy groups on education. Designated committee members are authorized to travel two days before the congress. Attendance to this congress is on **official business**. Delegates from the private institutions shall make their own financial arrangements with their respective schools.

6. A registration fee of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Pesos (PhP4,700.00) shall be charged each participant to cover board and lodging expenses, materials and kits, honoraria of speakers and other incidental expenses subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

7. For more information, please coordinate with the following area contact persons for confirmation of attendance:

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6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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