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SEMINAR-WORKSHOP ON LOCAL HISTORY WRITING

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

1. The National Historical Institute (NHI) in cooperation with the Department of Education (DepED) will conduct a series of seminar-workshops on Local History Writing in different venues nationwide. The first will be held at Ateneo de Davao University, Davao City on May 22-23, 2008.

2. The seminar-workshop aims to:

- a. gather local scholars, historians, teachers, historical societies, historico-cultural workers, and researchers to share their observations, experiences, or the results of their researches on the histories and cultures of their region;
- b. expand the frontiers of local historical societies in the Philippines through research in local history;
- c. encourage local historians and researchers to write their own local history;
- d. increase awareness of Philippine history and recent trends in historical research;
- e. encourage local residents to collect historical materials; and
- f. instill in the hearts and minds of the Filipinos the profound appreciation of their local and national histories and cultural heritage.

3. All district supervisors, education supervisors and teachers of history and culture, especially those who are teaching HEKASI and Makabayan subjects are invited to attend the seminar-workshop.

4. The seminar is free of charge and shall be on a "first-come, first-served" basis.

5. Other schedules of the seminar-workshops are to be announced later.

6. For more inquiries, please contact the National Historical Institute (NHI) through Deputy Director Emelita V. Almosara at tel no. (02) 523-0905 or Ms. Carminda Arevalo at tel. no.(02) 523-1037.

7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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