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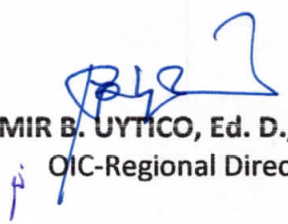
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2017 GLOBAL PEACE CONVENTION

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is a letter from Mr. James P. Flynn, International President, Global Peace Foundation, inviting school heads, teachers, and students from both public and private schools as well as youth leaders and young professionals to the 2017 Global Peace Convention with the theme "Moral and Innovative Leadership: New Models for Peace and Development" on February 28- March 2, 2017 which will be held at the Marriott Hotel, Manila.
2. Considering that this is an Advisory, the Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.
3. Immediate dissemination of this Advisory is desired.


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OIC-Regional Director

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James P. Flynn
International President
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RAMIR B. UYTICO, Ed.D., CESO IV
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Dear Dr. Uytico,

On behalf of the Global Peace Foundation, we are pleased to announce that the **2017 Global Peace Convention** will be held at the Marriott Hotel, Manila, Philippines on February 28th to March 3rd. This convention will be attended by more than 2,000 international and local dignitaries and delegates from various sectors.

Global Peace Convention is a signature biennial assembly of global peace advocates and serves as a global platform in sharing best practices while developing collaborative multi-sector partnerships for the promotion of sustainable peace and development. Drawing upon the expertise of government, corporate, non-government organizations and civil society partners in the host country, and involving stakeholders from over twenty countries in which Global Peace Foundation has field offices, Global Peace Conventions address critical issues and concerns toward the development of innovative solutions in key strategic areas – peacebuilding, youth leadership development, education, volunteerism and community-driven development. Past conventions were held in Paraguay, Malaysia, Korea, Kenya, the United States of America and the Philippines (where the first Global Peace Convention was launched in 2009).

The theme of the 2017 Global Peace Convention, “**Moral and Innovative Leadership: New Models for Peace and Development,**” will focus on innovative multi-sector partnerships and leadership to help achieve the UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. A combination of plenary and parallel sessions will provide an opportunity for participants to share, learn and collaborate on achieving a collective impact.

In conjunction with the Global Peace Convention is the **5th International Professors and Educators Conference**, which provides an avenue for educators around the globe to discuss and formulate resolutions on sustainable peace and development by building dynamic synergy.

The Convention and its associated events will be held in the following venues:

February 28 to March 2 – Global Peace Convention (plenaries and sessions on education and entrepreneurship, service and volunteerism, women empowerment, interfaith peacebuilding, and youth development); International Professors and Educators Conference; Global Peace Business and Economic Forum (Marriott Convention Center)



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March 1 – 2017 Global Peace Awards Gala (Marriott Convention Center)

March 2 – “1K” (K-pop) Concert: One Dream, One World (SM Mall of Asia Arena)

March 3 – Global Youth Summit, SM Mall of Asia Arena

It is our honor to invite you to participate in this convention. We also welcome your endorsement by sending representatives from your region.

Kindly refer to the attached documents about the convention and its associated events.

For confirmation and inquiry, kindly contact Ann Montejo (Director, Global Peace Education) at: (landline) 02-3517652, 02-7381465; (mobile) 0917-3238651, 0998-5745441; or email to amontejo@globalpeace.org. You may also visit our website, www.globalpeace.org, for more details on our programs and projects.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter and to your leadership in our common efforts to build a global culture of peace and service. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

JAMES P. FLYNN
International President
Global Peace Foundation

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The target participants are school heads, teachers, and students from both public and private schools, as well as youth leaders and young professionals.

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More information may be inquired from either *Aldrin L. Nituma*, Executive Director, Global Peace Foundation Philippines (GFPF) at 205 Cedar Executive Building II, 26 Scout Tobias St. corner Timog Avenue, Lagging Handa, 1103 Quezon City at telephone no. (02) 351-7652, mobile phone no. 0917-809-5380, or *Jocelyn F. Remigio*, Program Director, GFPF at mobile phone no. 0998-541-1836 or through email address: info@globalpeacephilippines.org, and website address: www.globalpeacephilippines.org.

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