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**Department of Education**

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**MUSIKAHAN SA TAGUM FESTIVAL**

To: Regional Director  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Government of Tagum and the City of Tagum Tourism Council will conduct the **Musikahan sa Tagum Festival** with the theme "*Harvest of Creativity, Forging Global Harmony*" on February 21-26, 2012 at the City of Tagum. This Annual Festival is considered as the opening festival salvo in the Davao region. The festival has three (3) main events:

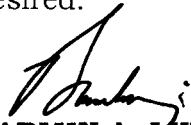
- a. *Himig Handog* Choral;
- b. *Rondal-Awit*; and
- c. *Avenida Musika* Marching Brass Bands Competitions.

2. The festival aims to strengthen the culture and the arts programs of the country.

3. All competitions are open to all schools/and or community-based music focused performing groups nationwide and from selected ASEAN member nations. The participants from public schools are allowed to attend on **official time only**.

4. For more information, all concerned may contact **Ms. Arlene Llamada**, Head Festival Secretariat, or **Ms. Faith Cadulong**, Focal Person at any of these mobile phone nos.: 0917-638-8315 and 0923-716-3392 or at telefax no.: (084) 370-1424 or at website address: [www.musikahansatagum.com](http://www.musikahansatagum.com).

5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Secretary *AL*

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