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ANNUAL NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINE LIBRARIANS ASSOCIATION, INC. (PLAI)

The Philippine Librarians Association Inc. (PLAI), in partnership with the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) through the National Committee on Libraries and Information Services (NCLIS), will conduct its *Annual National Congress* with the theme *Philippine Libraries: Future Possibilities* from November 26 to 28, 2014 at the Century Park Hotel, Malate, Manila.

The Congress aims to gather ideas, which will bring positive changes in the way Philippine libraries are being built and managed, following international standards in the provision and delivery of services. Specifically, its objectives are to:

1. update librarians of new possibilities, trends and practices, which will improve resources and services among libraries;
2. generate renewed interest in conducting research among librarians and information professionals; and
3. identify challenges facing the profession which can affect the future of librarianship in the country.

The target participants are librarians, teachers of library science, library staff, teacher-librarians, and all those people who are working in the library or information centers from both public and private schools nationwide.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the no-disruption-of-classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

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