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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

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**"MATHEMATICS IN ACTION INSIDE THE CLASSROOM: FROM CONCRETE-  
CONCEPTUAL TEACHING TO GUIDED-DISCOVERY LEARNING"**

To: OIC, Assistant Superintendents  
Education Supervisors/ Coordinators  
District Supervisors/OICs  
Secondary School Heads  
Heads, Private Secondary Schools

1. Attached is a letter from Lorna S. Almocera, Ph. D. President, Mathematics Society of the Philippines, (MSP Cebu), inviting Mathematics teachers to attend the **Seminar- Workshop on Mathematics in Action Inside the Classroom : From Concrete-Conceptual Teaching to Guided-Discovery Learning** on February 23, 2013, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM, at the New Municipal Hall Rooftop, Balamban, Cebu.

2. This Office interposes no objection, provided that participation of our teachers in this activity shall be on voluntary basis only.

3. For further queries, contact Dr. Lorna S. Almocera, email: [lsalmocera@yahoo.com](mailto:lsalmocera@yahoo.com), [mstpcebu@gmail.com](mailto:mstpcebu@gmail.com), contact numbers: 032- 2338203, 09173276390 and Mr. Cesar A. Restauero, MKP Pres., Cebu Province Division/TIC, Buanoy NHS-Evening Class, email: [mrrestauero22@yahoo.com](mailto:mrrestauero22@yahoo.com), contact number: 09216048799.

4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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(MSP CEBU)**

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18 January 2013

**DR. ARDEN D. MONISIT**  
Schools Division Superintendent  
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Sudlon, Lahug, Cebu City

Dear Dr. Monisit:

The Mathematical Society of the Philippines, Cebu Chapter (MSP Cebu) was organized on February 2009 and has been very active in conducting lectures, seminars and workshops on math content and pedagogy aimed at improving the teaching competencies of the mathematics faculty. As of February 2012, the chapter boasts of around 300 members from different schools, colleges and universities of Region 7 who, for the past three years, have been recipients of the chapter's different activities.

As part of its continuing pursuit to promote and enhance the level of mathematics research and teaching in the region, MSP Cebu will conduct a seminar-workshop in Mathematics entitled:

*"Mathematics in Action Inside the Classroom: From Concrete-Conceptual Teaching to Guided-Discovery Learning"*

on 23 February 2013, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM, at the New Municipal Hall Rooftop, Balamban, Cebu. Resource speaker is Dr. Ian June L. Garces, Associate Professor of Ateneo de Manila University and member of the Technical Panel for Mathematics of the K-12 Program of the Department of Education.

Registration fee, inclusive of handouts, certificate, snacks and lunch is Eight Hundred Pesos (P800). Additional information about the seminar-workshop is found in the attached letter of invitation. Inquiries may be addressed to the following:

1. **Dr. Lorna S. Almocera**  
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2. **Mr. Cesar A. Restaura**  
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In this regard, may we request for endorsement of the said seminar-workshop? This endorsement would surely go a long way in improving the teaching competencies of our mathematics teachers.

We hope for a favorable response to this request. Thank you very much for your kind attention.

Very respectfully yours,

**Lorna S. Almocera, Ph.D.**  
President  
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