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Region VII, Central Visayas

**DIVISION OF CEBU PROVINCE**

Sudlon, Lahug, Cebu City



February 21, 2014

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 108, s. 2014

**16<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL EDUCATORS' SEMINAR-WORKSHOP**

TO : OIC, Assistant Superintendents  
Education Supervisors/Coordinators  
District Supervisors/OICs  
Elementary and Secondary School Heads

1. Attached is a copy of Regional Memorandum No. 105, s. 2014, dated February 21, 2014, announcing the 16<sup>th</sup> National Educators' Seminar-Workshop, for the guidance and information of all concerned.
2. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 105, s. 2014

16<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL EDUCATORS' SEMINAR-WORKSHOP

To : Schools Division Superintendents  
Officers-in-Charge of Regular and Interim Divisions

1. Attached is a letter from Jazminda Lumanang, Head, IBOM Partnership in Education for Development, announcing the conduct of the 16<sup>th</sup> National Educators' Seminar-Workshop on April 22-25, 2014 in Davao City.
2. For more information, refer to the attached communication.
3. Attendance of interested personnel to this Seminar-Workshop from your Division is subject to your discretion based on existing DepED policies.
4. For your information and wide dissemination.

  
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Director III  
Officer-In-Charge

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**Dr. Carmelita T. Dulangon**  
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Dear **Dr. Dulangon**,

Warm greetings from IBON Foundation!

IBON is a development and advocacy institution that specializes in socio-economic research and information. Our formal education arm, the IBON Partnership in Education for Development (IPED) is organizing the 16<sup>th</sup> National Educators' Seminar-Workshop on April 22-25, 2014 in Davao City. IBON conducts this annual gathering of educators from all over the country to discuss issues and developments affecting and affected by education, and in response to the call for Transformative Education.

This year's theme is "**Beyond MDGs: Asserting Pro-People Development**". The Seminar-Workshop aims to be an important platform in building greater awareness and capacity in promoting Human Development Goals that are truly responsive to people's welfare among teachers and school administrators for the benefit of students in elementary and high school. This platform will also involve applying the Seminar-Workshop Theme through different workshops in the spirit of an Education Festival.

In this light, may we request to have a DepEd memorandum or DepEd advisory from your good office, encouraging school principals and Social Studies coordinators in public and private elementary and high schools nationwide to join the 16<sup>th</sup> IBON National Educators' Seminar-Workshop? Please find enclosed a draft Memorandum, Concept Paper and the Confirmation Form of participants. May we follow up by February 10?

We hope for your support. Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours in Transformative Education,

*Jazminda Lumang*

Jazminda Lumang

Head, IBON Partnership in Education for Development

**DepEd MEMORANDUM**

No. , s. 2014

**16<sup>th</sup> IBON National Educators' Seminar-Workshop**

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

1. The IBON Partnership in Education for Development (IPED) will conduct the 16<sup>th</sup> National Educators' Seminar-Workshop at the Brokenshire Resort in Davao City, on April 22-25, 2014.
2. This year's Seminar-Workshop, with the theme "*Beyond MDGs: Asserting Pro-People Development*" aims to serve as an important platform in building greater awareness and capacity in promoting Human Development Goals that are truly responsive to people's welfare among teachers and school administrators for the benefit of students in elementary and high school. This platform will also involve applying the Seminar-Workshop Theme through different workshops in the spirit of an Education Festival.
3. The expected participants in the Seminar-Workshop are Social Studies teachers and coordinators, and principals or administrators of public and private elementary and secondary schools.
4. Participants coming from partner-schools of IPED shall be given full or partial discounts in joining the Seminar-Workshop. Participants from other schools shall pay the Registration Fee of P5, 000.00 to cover the board and lodging, Seminar-Workshop Kit and Certificates., while a Registration Fee of P2, 500.00 shall be charged for live-out participants. An early bird rate of P4, 500.00 (or P2, 000.00 for live-out participants) can be availed if Confirmation Form is sent on or before February 28, 2014.
5. The transportation costs of participants, including airfare expenses, shall come from the teacher development and other funds of the regional or city office, school and others.
6. Participants coming from public schools shall participate in the Seminar-Workshop within official work-hours only.
7. Because the Seminar-Workshop can only accept a limited number of participants, interested school heads, teachers and coordinators must send their Confirmation Forms on or before *March 28, 2014*.

For more information, please contact Mr. Amil Gutierrez at (02) 927-6982 or (02) 927-7060 to 61 (loc. 411) or Mrs. Melissa San Miguel at (02) 927-7060 to 61 (loc. 301). Confirmation Forms can be emailed at [iped.ibon@gmail.com](mailto:iped.ibon@gmail.com) or faxed at (02) 929-2496.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

(Sgd.)

**Dr. Carmelita T. Dulangon**  
**OIC Regional Director**  
**Division Office**  
**Region VII**

**16th IPED National Educators' Seminar-Workshop**  
**Theme: "Beyond MDGs: Asserting Pro-People Development"**  
April 22-25, 2014  
Brokenshire Resort, Davao City

**Rationale:**

2014 marks what is expected as the final stretch for countries to fulfill the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). These set of goals were affirmed by member countries of the United Nations in 2000 to help pursue human development by eradicating extreme poverty and hunger, achieve universal primary education, ensure environmental sustainability, promote gender equality, and improve services on the areas of child and maternal health as well as HIV/AIDS, malaria and other illnesses. The MDGs also include the objective of achieving a global partnership for development.

While the MDGs are supposedly reflective of critical areas of human development, the past decade has shown intense economic and social policies that only concentrated resources on a few, while deepening poverty and inequality for the many. And the situation of the Filipino people is a testament not only to the inadequacy of the MDGs itself but to how the most basic progressive reforms that could have been possible are even sidetracked or used to justify pro-business policies.

There is a need therefore to reassert our right to development by focusing on development goals that genuinely address our welfare while sustaining the environment. The recent man-made and natural calamities that rocked the Philippines show us how policies have basically failed in securing human welfare.

And Filipino educators have an important role, being in the forefront of training the next set of leaders, of helping spread information on alternative and progressive policies and measures that provide a clearer path to human development.

**Seminar-Workshop Objective:**

The 16<sup>th</sup> IPED National Educators' Seminar-Workshop seeks to be an important platform in building greater awareness and capacity in promoting Human Development Goals that are truly responsive to people's welfare among teachers and school administrators for the benefit of students in elementary and high school. This platform will also involve applying the Seminar-Workshop Theme through different workshops in the spirit of an Education Festival.

**Specific Objectives:**

1. Re-examine the Millennium Development Goals, especially in the Philippine context, towards highlighting progressive measures and policies that truly respond to people's welfare, particularly in the areas of environment/disaster risk reduction, education and other social services, national economy, peace efforts and governance.
2. Develop modules that contain teaching strategies and methods on how to integrate Human Development Goals in the existing Curriculum.
3. Link Seminar-Workshop participants with people's organizations and ongoing people's campaigns through the Education Forum for Development (EfD).

**Confirmation Form 1**  
**16<sup>th</sup> National Educators' Seminar-Workshop**  
**April 22-25, 2014**  
**Brokenshire Resort, Davao City**

*Theme: "Beyond MDGs: Asserting Pro-People Development"*

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Slot/s: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Info: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Participant/s (Pls. Indicate Contact Person)	Designation	Sex	Contact Info / E-mail

It is understood that the school/delegate will shoulder the cost of transportation and other incidental expenses.

The Registration Fee of PhP 5,000.00 covers board and lodging, Seminar-Workshop Kit and Certificates. Live-out participants pay a registration fee of PhP 2,500.00. You can avail of an early bird rate of PhP 4,500.00 (or PhP 2,000.00 for live-out participants) if Confirmation Form is sent on or before **February 28, 2014**.

*Deadline of registration is on March 28, 2014. You may send this by mail, fax or e-mail at:*

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