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**REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**

Cordillera Administrative Region

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**DR. FRANCIS CESAR B. BRINGAS**

Schools Division Superintendent

DepEd-Baguio City

Military Cut-Off, Baguio City

Dear Superintendent Bringas,

The Philippine Center for Gifted Education (PCGE) is a non-stock, non-profit organization devoted to raising awareness about giftedness and gifted education. It aims to actively search for the Filipino Gifted and to provide them equitable access to programs for the gifted.

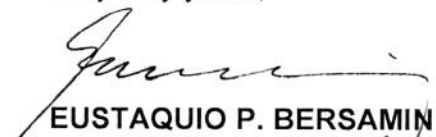
Once again, the PCGE is undertaking a nationwide search for the "Mga Bagong Rizal: Pag-asa ng Bayan". Students from grades 3 to college level who emulate the ideals of our National Hero and who exemplify his excellence, creativity, passion and values are eligible to be nominated.

In this regard, may we ask your support by submitting nominees from your division to this year's Search. PCGE will be choosing one (1) awardee from each region and the Mercury Drug Foundation Inc. will be choosing one (1) from the 17 regional awardees to be the recipient of a full scholarship.

Please find attached call for nominations, schedule of activities and sample nomination forms. For more information, you may visit the PCGE website [www.pcgeinc.com](http://www.pcgeinc.com).

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

  
**EUSTAQUIO P. BERSAMIN**  
Chairman, RDC-CAR  
(Governor, Province of Abra)



The round metal gong of the Cordillera known locally as "gangsa" is a symbol of the upland people's culture that has been passed on from generations to another.

The profile of a person blowing a "tangguyob" represents a community being called for an important matter or action.

The lines that shape the mountains, the rice terraces, clouds and rivers symbolize the connectivity and flow of human interaction in a geographic area such as the Cordillera.

All the symbols combined represent unity and harmony of its people with culture and environment in beating the gong for self-determination.