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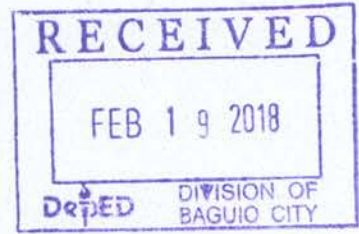
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 "Unity of Teachers to Regain the Dignity of the Profession"
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DR. MAY B. ECLAR
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Madam:

Greetings of Peace!

The Teachers' Dignity Coalition (TDC) will be holding the **National Seminar and Consultation-Workshop on Policies Related to Teachers' Rights and Duties** on March 16-18, 2018 at the Romulo Hall of Baguio Teachers' Camp. With the theme **"Empowered Schools, Better Education."** the seminar aims to educate our teachers and school administrators on the pertinent education policies and deepen the knowledge of teachers on the promotion of people's right to education and the wider advocacy for education reforms.

The specific objectives of the seminar are:

1. To equip the teacher-leaders and school heads with knowledge on several rules of the DepEd, CSC, PRC and GSIS particularly those related to teachers' rights and duties;
2. To serve as consultation and feedback mechanism that would formulate policy recommendations and proposals for the policies related to teachers' rights and duties;
3. To facilitate the formation of teachers' organizations in the grassroots that will closely coordinate with DepEd management to ensure the protection of teachers' rights and welfare.

Teacher-leaders, heads of teachers' organizations and school heads are invited to attend this seminar. A minimum contribution of P2, 500.00 shall be charged to each participant to cover cost of food, accommodation, kit/materials, honoraria for some speakers, souvenir items and other incidental expenses.

We have sent the formal communication to the Office of Secretary Leonor Magtolis-Briones requesting for endorsement of this activity to the field and to charge the expenses of participants against MOOE or any available funds. Our secretariat will prepare the list of participants after the release of said memorandum. In addition, we would also like to request your good office to send the leaders of division/district level teachers' association to participate to this event.

For any other queries, your office or interested parties may communicate with Ms. Darlene Loro of TDC Secretariat at telephone number (02)4446564 or mobile number 09353279359 or with the undersigned at 0927-3356375 and 0999-9744612.

Thank you very much and we anticipate your most prompt and favorable response.

For teachers' Dignity,

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ADVISORY

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TO: **SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
 ALL DIVISIONS
 ALL CONCERNED**

To: All School Administrators, Principals & Teachers in-Charge
 (Elementary & Secondary)
 For information and dissemination. In compliance with DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled
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FOR YOUR INFORMATION & APPROPRIATE ACTION

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