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9TH ISLAND-WIDE CONFERENCE FOR UNITED NATIONS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS EDUCATION AND ADVOCACY-VISAYAS LEG

Attached is a communication from Michael John S. Tria and James Gregor L. Asuelo, President & Chairman and CEO, Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc. respectively, regarding the 9th Island-Wide Conference for United Nations Sustainable Development Goals Education and Advocacy-Visayas Leg on August 27-29, 2025, at Cebu City, Cebu, Philippines.

The activity aims to discuss the various challenges and opportunities involved in fostering meaningful community development by aligning global agendas with local initiatives.

Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc. and the Asian Network for Sustainable Development Inc. invite all school leaders and student government representatives to participate in the activity.

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 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.

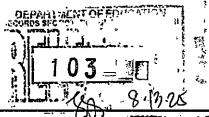
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9th Island Wide Conference for UN – Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Education and Advocacy - Visayas

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August 06, 2025

DIR. EVELYN R. FETALVERO
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Dear Director Fetalvero,

Warm greetings from the Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc.!

The 193 Member States of the United Nations adopted the **2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development** in September 2015, laying out 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and 169 targets as a universal call to action to address the world's most pressing challenges. A decade since its adoption, the call to accelerate progress is stronger than ever.

With the vision of a progressive and sustainable Philippines, The Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc. and Asian Network for Sustainable Development Inc., in partnership with the Chamber of Commerce of the Philippine Islands, with technical support from Asuelo Management Consultancy and Impact Southeast Asia Travel and Tours, will gather leaders and stakeholders, among strategic communities and regional hubs to discuss the challenges and opportunities in mainstreaming United Nations - Sustainable Development Goals (UN-SDGs) in the local development agenda. The 9th Island-Wide Conference for UN Sustainable Development Goals Education and Advocacy - Visayas leg will be held this coming August 27-29, 2025 at Cebu City, Cebu, Philippines.

With the theme: "Pivoting the Philippine Growth through the achievements of the SDG 2030 and beyond", the conference is a gathering of like-minded leaders, individuals, and organizations from the academe, government, private sector, NGOs, youth and the civil societies, to discuss the different challenges and opportunities in bringing meaningful development to our communities by integrating the global agenda to our local initiatives.

Anent to the above, we are honored to *invite all Division Superintendent, District Supervisors, School Heads, Student Governments, and other DepEd officials* under your region to participate in the aforementioned event. **Specifically, we would like to request your kind assistance for disseminating the invitation to all Division Superintendent, District Supervisors, School Heads, Student Governments, and other DepEd officials in your region.**

For more information and a better appreciation of the event, we attached herewith the Conference Abstract, DILG Advisory, Solidarity Message from the Office of the Vice President, Solidarity Message from the Office of the Senate President, and Registration Form for your perusal and guidance. Please feel free to review the information stated and contact the undersigned if you have further questions.

For inquiry, you may contact the Secretariat at Telephone No. +62 (02) 7917-8145, Telefax No. +63 (02) 7917-8146, Mobile No. +63 942-554-4037 (Smart & Sun) or +63 915-163-3984 or email us at info.sdg17@gmail.com.

We would be honored by your participation in this important conference. Your participation in this meaningful conference will be instrumental in creating impactful, inclusive, and innovative solutions for sustainable development in our community, in our country, and in our region.

Warm regards,

MICHAEL JOHN S. TRIA

President

Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc.

JAMES OREGOR L ASUELO

Chairman and CEO

Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc.

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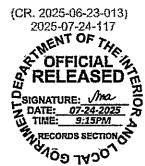




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The Bridging Leaders for Sustainable Development Inc. (BLSD) and Asian Network for Sustainable Development Inc. (ANSD), in partnership with the Chamber of Commerce of the Philippine Islands (CCPI) and with technical support from Asuelo Management Consultancy and Impact Southeast Asia Travel and Tours, are organizing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Island-Wide Conference from July to September 2025.

With the theme "Pivoting the Philippine Growth through the achievements of the SDG 2030 and beyond," said conference aims to gather representatives from the government, civil society organizations, youth organizations, private sector, and the academe to discuss opportunities and challenges to explore possible partnerships and develop strategies and solutions in achieving the SDGs.

The conference will be held in clusters as follows:

Region	Schedule
Mindanao: Cagayan de Oro City, Misamis Oriental	July 23-25, 2025
Visayas: Cebu City	August 27-29, 2025
Luzon: Metro Manila	September 24-26, 2025

Expected participants include Municipal Vice Mayors, Councilors, Liga ng mga Barangay Officers and Members, and Sangguniang Kabataan Officers and Members. Interested participants are requested to accomplish the registration form and submit the same together with the deposit slip through email at blsd inc@yahoo.com.ph or info.sdg17@gmail.com.

Registration fee for each participant is PHP 8,400.00 inclusive of the conference fee, meals, event kit, and certificate. Payment of corresponding travelling, accommodation, and registration expenses may be charged against available LGU funds, subject to existing laws and applicable accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

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Relative thereto, all DILG Regional Directors are directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Advisory to LGUs within their respective areas of responsibility.

Attached, for reference, is the conference abstract providing additional information on the said event.

For queries and/or concerns, interested participants may directly coordinate with the Conference Secretariat through telephone number at (02) 7917 8145 or (02) 7917 8146, mobile number at +63 942 554 4037 or +63 915 163 3984 or email at the abovementioned email addresses.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

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