



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

July 20, 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
CLMD-2026- **914**

**ON-SITE VISIT TO e-TURO DIGITAL LEARNING SYSTEM IN
REGION VIII RECIPIENT SCHOOL**

To: Schools Division Superintendent } Catbalogan City Division
CID Chief
CLMD Chief
Regional Science Supervisor
Regional Mathematics Supervisor
Division Science Supervisor
Division Mathematics Supervisor
School Head of Guinsorongan Elementary School
All Others Concerned

1. This is in reference to the official communication from the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Eastern Visayas on the conduct of an on-site visit to Guinsorongan Elementary School in Catbalogan City on July 21, 2026.
2. The visit aims to assess whether the identified school satisfies the selection criteria for its proposed designation as a pilot school implementation site of the e-TURO Digital System.
3. The participants of the activity are as follows:

Dr. Emmanuel P. Firmo, Jr. – EPS-Science, CLMD-DepEd RO 8
Dr. Glendale B. Lamiseria – EPS-Mathematics, CLMD-DepEd RO 8
Dr. Carmen R. Lim – EPS-Science - Catbalogan City Division
Dr. Edgar V. Calvadores – EPS, Mathematics – Catbalogan City Division
Elena B. Cayat - School Head, Guinsorongan Elementary School
4. The transportation of the participants from the DepEd Regional Office shall be handled by the Department of Science and Technology, while per diem and other expenses shall be charged against their local funds/MOOE, subject to the usual accounting and auditing procedures.
5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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Regional Director

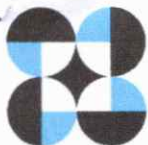
Enclosure: e-TURO On-Visit
References: Official Communication from DOST Eastern Visayas
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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09 July 2026

DIR. SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ, CESO III

Regional Director
Department of Education Region VIII
Gov't. Center, Candahug, Palo, Leyte

Dear **Director Jimenez**:

First and foremost, we extend our sincer appreciation to Department of Education Regional Office VIII for your valuable time and insightful inputs during our coordination meeting held on July 09, 2026 regarding the proposed collaborative project entitled, **"Pilot Implementation of e-TURO Digital Learning System in Region VIII"**.

Further to our discussions, we respectfully invite the designated DepEd VIII focal persons, namely **Dr. Emman Firmo, Education Program Supervisor in Science** and **Dr. Glendale Lamesaria, Education Program Supervisor for Mathematics**, to join the DOST VIII team in conducting an ocular visit to **Guinsorongan Elementary School in Catbalogan City, Samar** on **July 21, 2026**. The visit aims to assess whether the identified school satisfies the established selection criteria for its proposed designation as a pilot implementation site for the e-TURO Digital System.

For your convenience, DOST VIII will provide the transportation for the duration of the ocular visit.

We will appreciate receiving your confirmation on or before July 15, 2026. Our office through Ms. Jean Gay O. Ragub, Senior SRS and e-Turo Project Leader, will coordinate with your office regarding the necessary arrangements. For urgent concerns, you may reach her at cellphone number 09263060371 or at email address: jean.ragub@region8.dost.gov.ph.

We look forward to your favorable response and to your continued partnership in advancing innovative and technology-driven education initiatives for the learners of Eastern Visayas.

Very truly yours,

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