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**INVITATION TO ATTEND ONLINE FORUM ON PUBLIC WORKERS RIGHTS,
BENEFITS AND THE 2026 REGIONAL WORKERS CONGRESS**

Attached is a communication letter from Esperanza S. Ocampo, PGEA, National President, Philippine Government Employees Association, inviting all HRRO/AO and President/Officers of the CSC Registered Public Sector Employees Organization (PSEO) to attend the Online Forum on Public Workers Rights, Benefits, and the 2026 Regional Workers Congress on October 16, 2026.

Participation of all concerned shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitle *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

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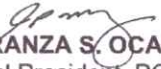


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September 30, 2026

FOR : THE HEAD OF OFFICE
ATTENTION : HRRO/AO and President/Officers of the CSC Registered Public Sector Employees Organization (PSEO)
FROM :  **ESPERANZA S. OCAMPO**
National President, PGEA
SUBJECT : Invitation to attend Online Forum on Public Workers Rights, Benefits and the 2026 Regional Workers Congress

Greetings from the PGEA!

The Philippine Government Employees Association (PGEA) cordially invites you to the **Forum on Public Workers Rights, Benefits and the 2026 Regional Workers Congress**, which will be held on **October 16, 2026, 1:30pm to 4:30pm** via zoom.

This forum serves as a vital platform to discuss key developments affecting government employees. We have curated a program focused on strengthening our advocacy, improving social, health, economic and providing updates on critical labor policies.

Specifically, the Forum will provide an Orientation on GSIS recent benefit issuances such as Balik Ginhawa 2, Emergency loans, G-Health, G-Bel, G-Sel and other updates. PGEA will also share the Workers Legislative Agenda to increase Cola, automatic Promotion upon retirement and the enabling law of C- 151, the Public Sector Labor Relation Bill (PSLRB) that aims to strengthen workers rights.

Further, the Forum aims to orient the participants on Republic Act No. 12231, the Government Optimization Act (Reorganization) that provides **Public Sector Employees Organizations (PSEOs)** representation to the Committee on Optimizing the Executive Branch (COEB), the central oversight body created under RA 12231. Likewise the PSEOs sectoral representation to the Public Sector Labor-Management Council (PSLMC) will be elected in the 2026 Regional Workers Congress which is scheduled this October 22 in Cebu (Region 7 and 8).

The above topics will be shared during the October 16, 2026 Forum. Thus, may we invite **the HRRO/AO and President/Officers of the CSC Registered Public Sector Employees Organization (PSEO)** to attend the online forum.

Registration and confirmation of your participation can be done through the registration link: <https://www.pgea.website/2026-10-16-online-forum-rwc> on or before October 14, 2026. Please check the email provided on the form for your registration confirmation.

For the October 22, 2026 Regional Congress, PSEOs will receive a separate invitation together with a copy of PSLMC Advisory No. 06, s 2026. In case you have not yet received, please get in touch and we will try to assist. Another confederation is in charge in your area.

For more information, please call the PGEA Secretariat at (02) 8545-4336 or contact us at 09518071705 or 09701328566, or email us at pgeacoor@yahoo.com / pgeasecretariat@gmail.com.

We look forward for your support and confirmation of your attendance on October 16, 2026. We believe your participation will greatly contribute to our collective efforts in advancing the rights and welfare of public sector workers.

Thank you and God Bless.

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