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REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 1523 s. 2026

FINAL DELIBERATION OF THE PHILIPPINE PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS ASSOCIATION (PPSTA) REGIONAL SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING DEPED EMPLOYEES

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Regional Office Functional Division Chiefs
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is a communication from Dr. Carmelino P. Bernadas, CESO V, Regional Federation President, PPSTA Federation of Region VIII, Inc., dated November 10, 2026, regarding the Final Deliberation of the PPSTA Regional Search for Outstanding DepEd on November 20, 2026 at NEAP-RELC Hall 3, Government Center, Candahug, Palo, Leyte.

2. All identified PPSTA Regional Search Committee (RSC) members shall attend the activity on Official Time.

3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ JD, EdD, CESO III
Regional Director

Enclosures: As stated
References: As stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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DR. SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ JD, CESO III
Regional Director
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Government Center, Palo, Leyte

Subject: **REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO CONDUCT THE FINAL DELIBERATION OF THE PPSTA REGIONAL SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING DEPED EMPLOYEES ON OFFICIAL TIME**

SIR:

Warm greetings!

The PPSTA Federation of Region VIII, Inc. respectfully seeks your approval for the conduct of the **Final Deliberation of the PPSTA Regional Search for Outstanding DepEd Employees** on **November 20, 2026 (Friday), at the DepEd-NEAP Hall, DepEd Regional Office No. VIII**, to be participated in by the identified members of the Regional Search Committee (RSC), as reflected in the attached Memorandum and its corresponding Enclosure.

The activity is intended to facilitate the final review, evaluation, and deliberation of the credentials and supporting documents of the shortlisted nominees, as well as the consolidation and completion of the necessary results and documentary requirements for submission to the PPSTA National Office within the prescribed period.

In this connection, we respectfully request your authority for the identified RSC members to attend and undertake their assigned responsibilities **on OFFICIAL TIME**, considering the organizational significance of the activity and its direct relevance to the recognition of deserving DepEd employees across the region. We likewise seek your concurrence that all necessary expenses incurred in connection with the activity shall be charged against available PPSTA Federation funds.

We wish to emphasize that the proposed arrangement shall be strictly subject to adherence to existing DepEd rules, regulations, and policies, particularly those governing the grant of official time and participation in authorized organizational activities, as well as existing government accounting and auditing rules, regulations, and procedures.

We sincerely hope for your favorable consideration and approval of this request, which will enable the Federation to complete this important undertaking efficiently and within the timeline set by the PPSTA National Office.

Thank you for your continued support and consideration of the Federation's initiatives in recognizing excellence, dedication, and exemplary service among DepEd personnel.

Respectfully yours,

CARMELINO P. BERNADAS, PhD, CESO V
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Enclosure:

- *Proposed Memorandum on the Final Deliberation of the PPSTA Regional Search for Outstanding DepEd Employees, including the List of Regional Search Committee Members*

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MEMORANDUM

No. 006, series 2026

November 10, 2026

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To: THE MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH COMMITTEE (RSC)
PPSTA Regional Search for the 2026 Outstanding DepEd Employees

1. In preparation for the completion and submission of the official results and documentary requirements of the PPSTA Regional Search for the 2026 Outstanding DepEd Employees to the PPSTA National Office, the members of the Regional Search Committee (RSC), whose names are listed in the attached Enclosure, are hereby directed to participate in the **Final Deliberation** on **November 20, 2026 (Friday), at 10:00 AM; DepEd-NEAP Hall, DepEd Regional Office No. VIII**.

2. The activity aims to undertake the final review, evaluation, and deliberation of the credentials, accomplishments, and supporting documents of the shortlisted nominees to ensure the integrity, fairness, transparency, and credibility of the selection process. It shall also facilitate the consolidation and completion of the necessary results and documentary submissions in accordance with the prescribed guidelines and requirements of the PPSTA National Office.

3. In this regard, all concerned RSC members are expected to actively participate, exercise due diligence and impartiality in the deliberation, and ensure the timely accomplishment of their respective tasks and responsibilities.

4. The participation of the identified TWC members shall be on **OFFICIAL TIME**, subject to the applicable office protocols and approval of their respective heads of office. All necessary expenses to be incurred in connection with the conduct of this activity shall be charged against available **PPSTA Federation funds**, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. For the information, guidance, and compliance of everyone concerned.

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Enclosure:
List of Regional Search Committee Members

Enclosure to Memorandum No. 006, series 2026.

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