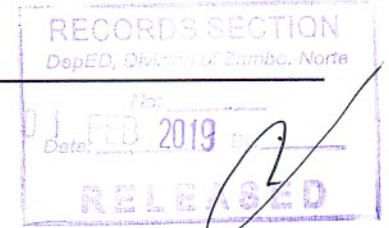




Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Regional IX - Zamboanga Peninsula
Division of Zamboanga del Norte
Estaka, Dipolog City



MEMORANDUM

TO : **ASDSs**
Chiefs, SGOD and CID
Members, Division TIMSS Task Force
Concerned Public Schools District Supervisors
Concerned School Heads
All Others Concerned

FROM : OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

SUBJECT : **Administration of the 2019 Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study (TIMSS) Main Survey in the two (2) sample Schools in this Division**

DATE : January 29, 2019

1. In line with the DepEd's commitment to international benchmarking, per DepEd Order 55, s. 2016, re: "Policy Guidelines on the National Assessment of Student Learning for the K to 12 Basic Education Program", the field is hereby informed of the administration of the subject survey to the sampled Grade 4 pupils of Gunyan Elementary School, Siayan District, on March 18, 2019, and of Nasibac Elementary School, Bacungan District on March 19, 2019;
2. As designed, the TIMSS survey aims to provide ample curricular interventions and reforms. Obtained data will be used for benching purposes and evidence-based policy formulation, planning, and programming in all levels of governance;
3. To this end, this Office hereby creates the Division TIMSS Taskforce who will perform direct and ancillary functions in order to ensure the successful conduct of said survey in this division, to wit:

JOY E. LETRAN-SINGSON, E.M.D.	- TIMSS TF Chairperson
WILSON H. INDING	- DTC/School Coordinator
ROWENA B. BULANDRES	- Member/ SH of Sample School
RHAMAWIA H. YUSOP	- Member/ SH of Sample School
ARCHIE A. RUSIANA	- Member/Test Administrator
JULIEZER M. RAZ	- Member/Test Administrator

4. The team is expected to conduct advocacy campaign and orientation from March 11 to 15, 2019, to the sampled pupils, to their parents and other concerned stakeholders to gain understanding and support, and to ensure maximum participation in the main survey;
5. Travel and incidental expenses which may be incurred in by the concerned TIMSS survey personnel for the preparatory activities like the conduct of advocacy campaign, during and immediately after the conduct of the main survey shall be chargeable against the BEA downloaded funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations;
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

PEDRO MELCHOR M. NATIVIDAD, CSEE
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.:
As stated