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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

PARTICIPATION IN THE SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION (SNED) FORUM

1. In line with the Department of Education's (DepEd) goal of delivering quality, accessible, relevant, responsive, and inclusive basic education for learners with disabilities pursuant to Republic Act (RA) No. 11650 (Inclusive Education Act), the Learning Systems Strand, through the Bureau of Learning Delivery Inclusion Division (BLD-SID), will conduct the Special Needs Education (SNED) Forum from September 30 to October 2, 2026, within National Capital Region (NCR). The specific venue shall be announced through a separate advisory.

2. With the theme "SNED 2.0: Working Together, Delivering Better," the SNED Forum aims to serve as a collaborative platform for instructional leaders to discuss how to standardize the SNED Program implementation anchored on RA 11650. Specifically, it aims to:

- A. Assess the current status of SNED implementation in relation to RA 11650;
- B. Identify major implementation gaps in the SNED implementation; and
- C. Propose targeted action steps to standardize the SNED implementation anchored on RA 11650.

3. The participants in the activity are selected instructional leaders from the regional offices (ROs) and schools' division offices (SDOs) as follows:

Division	Name of Participants
Agusan del Norte	Antonina A. Prisco
Agusan del Sur	Miraflor B Trogue
Bayugan City	Genevieve S. Verceles
Bilsig City	Rizaida Otacan
Butuan City	Restituto Navarro
Cabadbaran City	Zandra Cabradilla
Dinagat	Villaflor Edillor
Siargao	Elias Brina
Surigao City	Lea Sarvida
Surigao del Norte	Bernadette Mora
Surigao del Sur	Analiza Doloricon
Tandag City	Egy Jumadla
Regional Office	Bernabe L. Linog

4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

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Officer-in-Charge

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