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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Region I SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE Dagupan City



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MEMO TO

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent

Chief Education Supervisors, SGOD & CID

Education Program Supervisors Public Schools District Supervisors

All schools concerned

FROM

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT

2019 NATIONAL SEARCH FOR SUSTAINABLE AND

ECO-FRIENDLY SCHOOLS

DATE

February 15, 2019

1. The Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), in cooperation with the Department of Education, the Commission on Higher Education and private sector partners will conduct the 2019 National Search for Sustainable and Eco-Friendly Schools, in response to Republic Act No. 9512 also known as National Environment Education Awareness and Education Act of 2008.

2. The search aims to:

- a. encourage schools/academic institutions to become more actively involved in environmental issues at practical and local level;
- b. develop skills and understanding among the students, faculty and school administrators in initiating active response and increasing community awareness and participation on environmental concerns.
- 3. The promotion of this program is for the establishment and/or strengthening of sustainable and eco-friendly schools in the country had been enriched as a priority to the Post ASEAN Environment Education Action Plan for Sustainable Development 2014-2018.
- 4. Interested schools will be provided technical assistance and orientation regarding the said search. For queries, please coordinate with the SDO through DRRM at 075-615-2647 and/or the EPS in Science (Dr. Cherry Cayabyab).
- 5. Please further refer to this link for details: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1xDKqaxFbKXc8XH8EP9ZLD8jhvGCS_Ui N?fbclid=lwAR0LtjVXmKJR9O1Uu6C8zxbQp5VbteLLTlvoc2nlToFS9cckDbTLk NNVp0g

6. For your information, guidance and reference.

LORNA GPBUGAYONG, CESO VI Schools Division Superintendent



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TO: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS

FROM: THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: 2019 National Search for Sustainable and Eco-

Friendly Schools

Attached is the communication from the Chief, Environment Management Bureau Environmental Education of the Department Of Environment and Natural Resources, Ms. Elenida Del Rosario-Basug, dated December 6, 2018.

Attached is the said communication.

For information.

Incl: As stated

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December 6, 2018

The Regional Director
Department of Education-Region 1
Flores St., Catbangen, San Fernando City, La Union

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), in cooperation with the Department of Education, the Commission on Higher Education and private sector partners will conduct the 2019 National Search for Sustainable and Eco-Friendly Schools.

The search which is open to elementary, secondary, and tertiary nationwide aims (1) to encourage schools/academic institutions to become more actively involved in environmental issues at a practical and local level; and (2) to develop skills and understanding among the students, faculty and school administrators in initiating active responses and increasing community awareness and participation on environmental concerns.

The promotion of this search for the establishment and/or strengthening of sustainable and ecofriendly schools in the country had been enshrined as a priority in the ASEAN Environmental Education Action Plan for Sustainable Development 2014-2018, and likewise in the Road Map for the Implementation of Republic Act No. 9512 also known as the National Environmental Awareness and Education Act of 2008

In relation to this, we would like to request the assistance of your office in disseminating the attached posters urging the various public and private elementary and high schools in your division to join the aforementioned.

For school entries from your division, we would like to request for a master list of the same, if possible on or before May 10, 2019.

We look forward to your favorable response on this matter. Should you have any other queries, please do not hesitate to contact:

The National Program Secretariat

2017 National Search for Sustainable and Eco-Friendly Schools

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Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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