

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. 0461, s. 2025

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To: Schools Division Superintendent  
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

**CORRIGENDUM AND ADDENDUM TO REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
NO. 0401 s., 2025 RE REGIONAL ENHANCEMENT WRITESHOP  
FOR THE 2025 NATIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE  
(NSPC) QUALIFIERS**

1. The Department of Education, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), shall grant Vacation Service Credits (VSC) to all participating teacher-coaches, as the Regional Enhancement Writeshop falls within the End-of-School-Year (EOSY) break. A maximum of 7.5 days of VSC shall be given to those who complete the entire duration of the activity. For participants who are unable to complete the full engagement, the actual service rendered shall be computed on a prorated basis, wherein one hour of actual participation is equivalent to 1.5 hours of VSC. This provision is in line with the DepEd Order No. 013, s. 2024, Revised Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits for Teachers.
2. To further strengthen the performance of the Broadcasting Teams in the upcoming 2025 National Schools Press Conference (NSPC), the Best Composite Teams in Radio and TV Broadcasting (both English and Filipino categories), together with their respective team and non-team coaches, shall undergo onsite enhancement sessions. These will be held at the Schools Division Offices of Surigao City, Bayugan City and Agusan del Sur. The Division Journalism Coordinators of the three respective divisions shall take the lead in managing and ensuring the successful implementation of the activity.
3. The training will be conducted onsite, with designated venues and dates as follows:

| Event                                           | Venue                          | Schedule                     |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Radio Broadcasting (Filipino - Secondary Level) | Bayugan City Division Office   | May 5-9 and May 13-15, 2025  |
| Radio Broadcasting (English - Secondary Level)  | Agusan del Sur Division Office | May 6-10 and May 13-15, 2025 |
| TV Broadcasting (Filipino - Secondary Level)    | Agusan del Sur Division Office | May 6-10 and May 13-15, 2025 |
| TV Broadcasting (English - Secondary Level):    | Surigao City Division Office   | May 5-9 and May 13-15, 2025  |

4. All expenses related to participation in the regional writeshop will be covered by the Division MOOE, School's Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE), local funds, campus journalism funds, or other approved sources, in accordance with standard accounting and auditing regulations. Participants from private schools are responsible for securing their own funding to cover the costs associated with their involvement in this event.
5. All other provisions outlined in Regional Memorandum No. 0248, s. 2024, remain in effect.
6. For more information, please contact Gladys S. Asis, Regional Journalism Coordinator, Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), through Tel. No. (085) 342-8207 loc. 123.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Director IV  
Regional Director 

Encls.: As Stated  
Reference: None  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

LEARNERS  
TEACHERS  
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