



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CARAGA REGION



November 9, 2020

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 472, s. 2020

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
This Region

2021 PRINCESS MAHA CHAKRI AWARD NOMINATION

1. In reference to the Unnumbered Memorandum from the Office of the Director of the Department of Education-International Cooperation Office, Dir. Margarita Consolation C. Ballesteros, this office announces the call for nomination for the 2021 Princess Maha Chakri Award.
2. Each Schools Division is directed to select and recommend one (1) nominee using the criteria set by the awards:
 - a. outstanding achievement which generate benefits to education and human development;
 - b. active in teaching or administration at the primary or secondary levels;
 - c. has inspired fellow teachers with their dedication to students in the country.
3. Below are the documentary requirements:
 - a. Endorsement signed by the SDS;
 - b. Updated Personal Data Sheet (CSC Form 212);
 - c. A 1500-word essay explaining why he/she should receive the award; and
 - d. Matrix of awards and achievements relevant to the PMCA, accompanied by supporting documents (certificates of training need not be submitted). All acronyms need to be spelled out. Attached is the format of the matrix.
4. Nominees shall submit hard and soft copies of the documentary requirements on or before **November 20, 2020**. The hard copy, printed in in A4-sized paper, shall be submitted in 1 long folder to this office through the Human Resource Development Division (HRDD) c/o Ms. Marlyne M. Villareal, EPS and Rewards and Recognition Focal Person. While the soft copy, scanned in one pdf file, shall be sent through email at caraga@deped.gov.ph with the subject **SDO ____: Princess Maha Chakri Awards 2021**.
5. The Regional PRAISE Committee shall conduct the regional screening on November 23-25, 2020 and recommend only one (1) for nomination to the International Cooperation Office.



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6. Attached is the unnumbered memorandum for reference.
7. For information, guidance, and compliance.


FRANCIS CESAR B. BRINGAS, CESO V
Regional Director

Encls.: As stated

Reference: Unnumbered Memorandum from DepEd ICO

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

AWARD

REWARDS AND RECOGNITION

TEACHER

HRD/mmv
11/09/2020

(Full name)
(Designation)
(Name of School)
(Schools Division)
(Region)

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MEMORANDUM

FOR : **ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS**

FROM : 
MARGARITA CONSOLACION C. BALLESTEROS
Director IV

SUBJECT : **2021 Princess Maha Chakri Award Nomination**

DATE : 03 November 2020

This is with reference to the letter from the Royal Thai Embassy on the request of the 4th Princess Maha Chakri Award.

The PMCA was established on the occasion of the 60th birthday anniversary of Her Royal Highness (HRH) Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn of Thailand in 2015. It aims to:

- a. honor HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn for her outstanding achievements in the field of education and in the development of the quality of life, especially for the disadvantaged;
- b. honor highly dedicated teachers whose accomplishments make significant contributions to education and human development and who deserve international recognition;
- c. support and promote development of the teaching profession, as well as educational enhancement; and
- d. strengthen international relations in the field of education.

It is mandatory for each region to send at least one (1) nominee to the Department of Education International Cooperation Office. Potential candidates are still those who are still active in teaching or administration at the primary and secondary education levels (pre-tertiary), and who have inspired fellow teachers with their dedication to students in the country.

The general criteria require that nominees should

- come from SEAMEO member countries,
- be active in teaching or in education administration,



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- have generated developmental changes in students and inspired fellow teachers, and
- have outstanding achievements that generated benefits to education and human development.

The specific criteria and selection process are conducted by the Ministry of Education of each country. The Ministry of Education will be responsible for selecting awardees in accordance with the criteria for the award nomination. The Princess Maha Chakri Awards Philippine Selection Committee are composed of:

- Undersecretary who will serve as the Deputy Minister;
- Head, Bureau of Human Resources and Organization Development;
- Head, International Cooperation Office; and
- Head, National Educators Academy of the Philippines

The regions will do their respective selection of nominees using the criteria set by the awards:

1. Outstanding achievement which generate benefits to education and human development
2. Active in teaching or administration at the primary or secondary levels
3. Has inspired fellow teachers with their dedication to students in the country

One teacher from each Southeast Asian country will be selected as awardees.

Interested applicants are directed to submit hard and soft copies of the following requirements to their respective Department of Education (DepEd) regional offices (ROs):

- a. Updated Personal Data Sheet (CS Form 212);
- b. A 1500-word essay explaining why he/she should receive the award; and
- c. Matrix of awards and achievements (See attached matrix) relevant to the PMCA, accompanied by supporting documents (certificates of training need not be submitted). All acronyms need to be spelled out.

In this regard, we would like to request your good office to screen the submission and choose only one (1) nominee per region to the International Cooperation Office pending the release of the memorandum order from the Office of the Secretary on or before December 7, 2020.



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Copies of the documents may also be sent through email with the subject "Region ____: Princess Maha Chakri Awards 2021" or to:

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Should you have further queries/concerns on the matter, kindly contact our International Cooperation Office (ICO) at telephone number (02) 8637-6463 or email address ico@deped.gov.ph. You may also visit pmca.or.th for more details.

Thank you very much.

*Attachments: PMCA Briefer
Template – Matrix of Achievements*