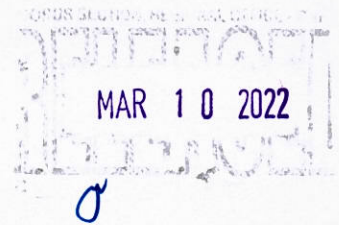




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Department of Education
CARAGA REGION



March 9, 2022

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 0173, s. 2022

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
All Concerned
This Region

DISSEMINATION OF DEPED MEMORANDUM NO. 010, s. 2022 AND OUA
MEMORANDUM 00-0322-0075 ESTABLISHMENT OF THE 2022
DEPED ELECTION TASK AND REGISTRATION OF THE
2022 ELECTION TASK FORCE

1. Attached is a copy of the following DepEd issuances for dissemination across all governance levels in the Department of Education for information and guidance:
 - a. **DEPED MEMORANDUM NO. 010, s. 2022** entitled *Establishment of the 2022 DepEd Election Task Force and its Operation and Monitoring Center in the Central, Regional, and Schools/City Division Offices in connection with the May 9, 2022 National and Local Elections*;
 - b. **OUA MEMO 00-0322-0075** entitled *Registration to the 2022 Election Task Force*
2. Schools/City Division Offices are requested to submit their respective SDO Election Task Force as required in item 10 thereof and each ETF Chair Vice Chair and Member to register through email at marc.bragado@deped.gov.ph.
3. Widest dissemination of this issuances is desired.


MA. GEMMA MERCADO LEDESMA
Regional Director

Encls.:NONE
Reference: DM No. 010, s. 2022
OUA MEMO 00-0322-0075

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ELECTION MEMORANDUM REGISTRATION

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OUA MEMO 00-0322-0075

MEMORANDUM

08 March 2022

For: **Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned**

Subject: **REGISTRATION TO THE 2022 ELECTION TASK FORCE**

In compliance to DepEd Memorandum 010, s. 2022 titled *Establishment of the 2022 DepEd Election Task Force and Its Operation and Monitoring Center in the Central, Regional and Schools/City Division Offices in Connection with the May 09, 2022 National and Local Elections* dated 02 March 2022, a copy of which is attached for reference, the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA) requests the registration of the following representatives from the regional and division offices to the 2022 Election Task Force (ETF):

1. Two (2) representatives from the Regional Offices
2. Four (4) representatives from the Division Offices, properly endorsed by their respective Schools Division Superintendents (SDSes), specifically:
 - a. Two (2) from the Division ETF
 - b. One (1) President/Vice President of Public Schools District Supervisors (PSDS) division chapter/federation
 - c. One (1) President/Vice President of Teachers Association division chapter/federation

The schedule and location of each clusters conference is summarized in the table below (exact venue to be announced). The first meal to be served will be dinner on Day 1 and the last meal will be breakfast Day 3.

Cluster	Date	Venue	Deadline of Registration
Cluster 1 (Regions VI, VII, VIII, IX)	March 14-16, 2022	Golden Peak Hotel & Suites Gorodo Ave. cor. Escario Kamputhaw, Lahug, Cebu City	March 12, 2022



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Cluster 2 (Regions X, XI, XII, CARAGA, BARMM)	March 16-18, 2022	General Santos City (VENUE TO BE ANNOUNCED)	March 14, 2022
Cluster 3 (Regions V, MIMAROPA, CALABARZON ,)	March 20-22 2022	Tagaytay City (VENUE TO BE ANNOUNCED)	March 18, 2022
Cluster 4 (Regions I, II, and CAR)	March 22-24 2022	Baguio Teachers Camp Baguio City	March 20, 2022
Cluster 5 (Central Office, Regions III, NCR)	March 27-29 2022	Subic (VENUE TO BE ANNOUNCED)	March 25, 2022

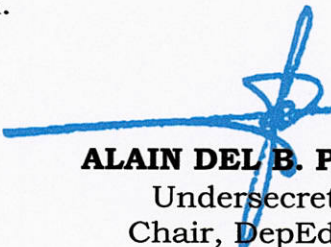
Participants should register online via <https://bit.ly/ETFRegistration> on or before the dates indicated above. Please take note that all participants who will register for the 2022 ETF **should be fully vaccinated**. Due to budget constraints, accommodations will **not** be provided for drivers.

Regional Directors and Schools Division Superintendents are likewise advised to send the directory of their Regional/Division ETF on or before 13 March 2022 to etf2022@deped.gov.ph. The directory should include names, designations, positions, email addresses, mobile phones, Viber and Facebook accounts. Please see attached template (**Annex A**.)

Attached are the programme (**Annex B**) and DepEd Memorandum No. 10 (**Annex C**) for reference.

For all future correspondence and queries on the 2022 ETF, please email at etf2022@deped.gov.ph .

For immediate and appropriate action.


ALAIN DEL B. PASCUA
Undersecretary
Chair, DepEd ETF



2022 DepEd Election Task Force Directory

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Regional Director



DepEd Election Task Force (ETF) Orientations PROGRAMME

DAY 1

1:00 pm	Arrival/Registration/Antigen Testing
2:00pm	Hotel Check in
4:00pm – 6:00pm	Presentation and Roll-out of the ff: - DepEd Election Monitoring Apps - Digital Signatures
6:00pm-8:00pm	Dinner

DAY 2

6:30 am – 7:30am	Breakfast
7:30 am – 8:00am	Invocation National Anthem Welcome Message Keynote Message (Secretary Leonor M. Briones)
8:00 am -9:00am	Election Task Forces (ETFs) and Operations and Monitoring Center (OMCs) in the Central, Regional and Division Offices (Director Marcelo H. Bragado Jr.)
9:00 am -10:00 am	Prohibition on Electioneering and Partisan Political Activity for DepEd Officials and Personnel (Usec. Revsee A. Escobedo)
10:00 am -11:00 am	Updates from COMELEC, DICT and DepEd on Election Matters (Usec. Alain Del B. Pascua)
11:00 am -12:00 nn	Open Forum (Usec. Alain Pascua, Usec Revsee Escobedo, Director Marcelo Bragado Jr)
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Voters Education and Supervision, Poll Center Management, Automated Election System (AES) and Vote Counting Machine Demonstration (COMELEC Representative)
2:45 pm – 4:00 pm	Nature and Importance of PNPKI Digital Signature to the 2022 National and Local Elections and Future Elections (DICT Representative)



4:00 pm– 4:30 pm	Open Forum
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks
6:00 pm- 8:00pm	Dinner

Day 3

6:00am – 8:00am	Breakfast
12:00nn	Check out





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DepEd MEMORANDUM

No. **010**, s. 2022

**ESTABLISHMENT OF THE 2022 DEPED ELECTION TASK FORCE AND ITS OPERATION
AND MONITORING CENTER IN THE CENTRAL, REGIONAL AND SCHOOLS/CITY
DIVISION OFFICES IN CONNECTION WITH THE MAY 09, 2022
NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS**

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Minister, Basic, Higher, and Technical Education, BARMM
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Article IX-C, Section 2 (4) of the 1987 Philippine Constitution, the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) has the power to deputize law enforcement agencies and instrumentalities of the government for the exclusive purpose of ensuring free, orderly, honest, peaceful and credible elections.
2. The Department of Education (DepEd) is one of the national agencies deputized by COMELEC to ensure free, orderly, honest, peaceful and credible elections, through the appointment of public school teachers to serve as chairpersons and members of the Election Board, as well as Technical Support Personnel.
3. By virtue of the aforementioned authority granted by COMELEC to DepEd to ensure compliance with and enforcement of all orders and instructions relative to the election duties of DepEd personnel to ensure free, orderly, honest, peaceful and credible elections, the **2022 DepEd Election Task Force (ETF) Operation and Monitoring Center for the May 09, 2022 National and Local Elections (NLE)** shall be established at the *Bulwagan ng Karunungan*, DepEd Central Office, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, starting at 1:00 p.m. of **May 08, 2022** and ending at 5:00 p.m. of **May 10, 2022**.
4. Undersecretary Alain Del B. Pascua and Undersecretary Revsee A. Escobedo are designated as Chair and Vice Chair of the DepEd ETF Operations and Monitoring Center, respectively. They shall create committees and appoint its respective chairs and vice chairs, for approval of the Secretary. The creation of such committees and appointment of its respective chairs and vice chairs shall be made weeks before the day of NLE for preparatory purposes.
5. The Committee Chairs and Vice Chairs shall immediately constitute and submit the names of their members, for the approval of the Chair and Vice Chair of the DepEd ETF.
6. Likewise, all regional and schools/city division offices of the Department are authorized to establish their respective ETF Operations and Monitoring Centers on the same schedules mentioned above.



7. The functions of ETF members include, but are not limited, to the following:
- a. maintain an Operation and Monitoring Center to document and report all teacher and school-related issues and concerns before, during and after the Elections;
 - b. ensure that teachers are provided with and/or referred to adequate information, technical and legal assistance in the course of the performance of their duties as members of the Electoral Board;
 - c. serve as DepEd institutional link to volunteer organizations and individuals;
 - d. provide close horizontal and vertical coordination and consultation among DepEd, COMELEC and partner agencies involved in the 2022 NLE; and
 - e. complement the other government agencies' efforts for an honest, orderly and peaceful election.
8. The conduct of nationwide orientations, trainings/fora to brief teachers and officials who are members of the ETF shall be organized, subject to the budget as may be allocated by the Undersecretary for Finance and approved by the Secretary. The orientation, trainings/fora shall cover the procedures on the use of digital signatures, enhancement and updates to the mobile monitoring application systems, COVID-19 protocols, do's and don'ts before, during, and after the Elections, and other election-related concerns.
9. All ETF officials and members in the central, regional and schools division Offices are required to attend the orientation, trainings and other fora, subject to availability of funds and approval of their respective executive committee officials, regional directors (RDs) and schools division superintendents (SDSs). The schedule of the aforementioned trainings shall be announced through the issuance of a separate memorandum.
10. All RDs and SDSs are enjoined to submit a list of five officials/employees who will compose its ETF, with their respective designation, position, salary grade, DepEd email address, and contact information (Globe/Smart). They are to submit the aforementioned data to the Office of the Director for Procurement Management Service on or before March 07, 2022 through email at **marc.bragado@deped.gov.ph**.
11. The five designated members of the regional and division ETF are directed to register through **https://bit.ly/ETF2022_Confirmation** for monitoring and reporting purposes.
12. The ETF will ensure that teachers shall be provided with adequate information, technical and legal assistance in the course of the performance of their duties as members of the Election Board, as well as DepEd nonteaching personnel who will serve during the May 09, 2022 National and Local Elections.
13. The Operation and Monitoring Center shall also serve as DepEd institutional link to volunteer organizations, individuals, as well as partner agencies involved in the conduct of the 2022 National and Local Elections.
14. All DepEd officials and personnel, being in the civil service, are reminded not to intervene directly or indirectly in any election campaign or engage in any partisan political activity, except to vote.

15. The grant of honoraria to officials and personnel who will render services to their respective ETFs shall be subject to existing Commission on Audit rules and regulations and relative to the Department of Budget and Management issuance on the matter. Payments of overtime pay or grant of compensatory time-off to qualified personnel in the central, regional, and schools/city division offices who will compose the DepEd ETF are authorized, subject to the availability of funds and existing auditing rules and regulations, as well as the pertinent Civil Service laws.

16. The ETF must ensure that funds be provided to enhance the DepEd Mobile App to meet the new requirements and reports needed from the field as well as conduct field monitoring.

17. For more information, please contact the **Office of the Undersecretary for Administration**, Department of Education (DepEd) Central Office, 5th Floor Mabini Building, DepEd Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, through email at usec.admin@deped.gov.ph or telephone numbers (02) 8637-6207 and (02) 8633-7203.

18. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES
Secretary

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