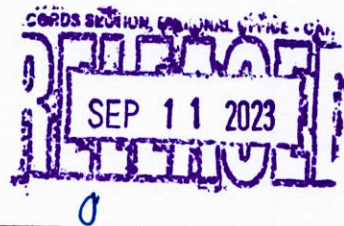




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CARAGA REGION



September 7, 2023

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 0841 s. 2023

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
DIVISION LEGAL OFFICERS/DESIGNATES
This Region

TRAINING WORKSHOP ON INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTORIAL
TECHNIQUES

1. Pursuant to Unnumbered Memorandum from the Office of the Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs, ATTY. OMAR V. ROMERO – Assistant Secretary Officer-in-Charge of Legal Service -Investigation Division of the Department of Education, will conduct a Training Workshop on Investigation and Prosecution Techniques.
2. In this connection, you are hereby requested to attend the conduct Training -Workshop on September 25-29, 2023 at Villa Excellence Beach & Wave Pool Resort, Sahud-Ulan, Tanza Cavite Province.
3. The participants are identified Legal Officers from Caraga Region XIII:

NAME	DESIGNATION
1. ATTY. JESSA D. MANGADLAO MIOLATA	Attorney III – Regional Office
2. ATTY. CARLITO B. RANOCO	Attorney III – SDO-Agusan del Sur
3. ATTY. KLAIRE CIARRA G. SANGCO-GALAVIA	Attorney III – SDO-Dinagat Islands
4. ATTY. RONALD C. LARA	Attorney III – SDO-Agusan del Norte
5. ATTY. KRISTINE FELVA P. LICUP	Attorney III – SDO-Bislig City

4. All expenses covered including **Travel Expenses, Food, and Accommodation** of all participants chargeable against Regional and Division MOOE Funds, following the COA rules and regulations. The activity will start on September 25-29, 2023.



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5. Immediate dissemination to all concerned is highly enjoined.


MARIA INES C. ASUNCION
Director III
Officer In-Charge
Office of the Regional Director

Encls.: DepEd Memo from the Office of the Undersecretary of Legal and
Legislative Affairs August 14, 2023.
Reference: DepEd Memorandum from Under Secretary of Legal Affairs re:
Training Workshop on Investigation and Prosecutorial Techniques
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

ADMINISTRATIVE CASES

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MEMORANDUM

TO : Bureau and Service Directors
The Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

FROM : 
ATTY. OMAR V. ROMERO
Assistant Secretary 
Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs

SUBJECT : Training Workshop on Investigation and Prosecutorial Techniques

DATE : 14 AUG 2023

The Legal Service - Investigation Division of the Department of Education (DepEd) will conduct the **Training-Workshop on Investigation and Prosecution Techniques** on **September 25-29, 2023** at Villa Excellance Beach & Wave Pool Resort, Sahud-Ulan, Tanza, Cavite Province.

The training-workshop aims to equip the Legal Officers with the skills and techniques on investigation and prosecution of cases. Topics under DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2006, otherwise known as the "*Revised Rules of Procedure of the Department of Education in Administrative Cases*" and the 2017 Revised Rules on Administrative Cases in the Civil Service will be discussed; Trial Skills of an Effective Prosecutor will also be tackled specifically on Case Preparation, Identification and Examination of Witnesses, Identification and Admission of Documentary and Object Evidence, Proper Use of Objections and Rebuttal Evidence and Drafting of Joint-Affidavit and Position Paper. Also, in line with the MATATAG Agenda on taking good care of learners, there will be a lecture on Child Protection in relation to presenting and interacting with child witnesses before and during trial. Further, to engage the participants, open forums and simulation exercises will be conducted.

The participants are identified Legal Officers from the Central, Regional and Division Offices. The list of which is attached as Enclosure 1.

Expenses for food and accommodation of all participants as well as the travel of those from the DepEd Central Office shall be charged to Legal Service and Development of Education-Related Laws Funds, while travel expenses of the Regional and Schools Division Office Participants, to Local Funds.

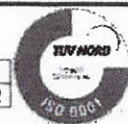
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All participants are expected to be at the venue on September 25, 2023 and registration starts at 3:00 P.M. The first meal to be served will be the afternoon snack of the same day. Everyone is also encouraged to bring one (1) laptop and one (1) flash drive. Program is attached as Enclosure 2.

Confirmation of attendance by Region shall be made not later than September 8, 2023 through email at marianne.cruzin@deped.gov.ph. Confirmation Form is attached as Enclosure 3.

For clarifications, Ms. Marianne O. Cruzin may be reached through telephone no. (02) 631-5773.

For immediate dissemination and compliance of this Memorandum.

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Training-Workshop on Investigation and Prosecutorial Techniques
September 25-29, 2023
Villa Excellance Beach & Wave Pool Resort
Sahud-Ulan, Tanza, 4108 Cavite

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

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1. **Atty. Omar V. Romero** Assistant Secretary, Officer-in-Charge, Undersecretary- Legal Affairs
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4. **Atty. Suzette T. Gannaban-Medina**, Officer-in-Charge Director III, Head of the Child Protection Unit
3. **Atty. Cornelio A. Pacala**, Chief, Legal Service-Investigation Division Officer-in-Charge, Legal Service-Office of the Director
4. **Atty. Rodel James R. Pulma**, Chief-Legal Division
5. **Atty. Clifford C. Chan**-Attorney V, Civil Service Commission
6. **Atty. James Lee Cundangan**-Asst. Solicitor General, Office of the Solicitor General

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- 41. **Atty. Marricar Endico-Ruñez**, Attorney III-SDO Lapu-Lapu City

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- 42. **Atty. Dulce C. Catubao**, Attorney III-Regional Office
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- 45. **Atty. Maria Flora Achay**, Attorney III-SDO Eastern Samar
- 46. **Atty. Gerome Cristian Lim**, Attorney III-SDO Biliran

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75. **Atty. Brent B. Buliyat**, Attorney III-SDO Taguig-Pateros
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78. **Atty. Dawn Novera Ancheta**, Attorney III, SDO-Mt. Province
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2. Marianne O. Cruzin
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4. Jennefer Q. Jalova
5. Driver, General Services Division

Noted by:


ATTY. CORNELIO A. PACALA
Chief, Legal Service-Investigation Division
Officer-in-Charge, Legal Service-Office of the Director

Training-Workshop on Investigation and Prosecution Techniques



September 25-29, 2023



Villa Excellance Beach and Wavepool
Resort, Sitio Postema, Brgy. Sahud-Ulan,
Tanza, Cavite City

KEY CONTENT/TOPICS



1. 2017 Revised Rules on Administrative Cases in the Civil Service
2. Fact-Finding or Preliminary Investigation and Formal Investigation Procedures under DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2006



3. Basic Trial Skills and Techniques
 - Case Preparation both in Pre-Trial and during Trial
 - Identification & Examination of Witnesses (Direct, Cross, Impeach)
 - Identification and Admission of Documentary and Object Evidence
 - Proper Use of Objections and Rebuttal Evidence
 - Drafting of legal documents such as Joint-Affidavit, Pre-Trial Brief, Position Paper, Formal Offer of Evidence, Resolution, Decision and Memorandum



1. Child Protection Policy in relation to the examination of Child Witness before and during Trial

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RATIONALE

For the continuous delivery and improvement of legal service, the Investigation Division, Legal Service, this Department, shall be conducting a Training-Workshop on Prosecution and Investigation Skills

TOPICS ARE IN LINE WITH THE MATATAG AGENDA

1. Take steps to accelerate delivery of basic education facilities and services;
2. Take good care of learners by promoting learner well-being, inclusive education, and a positive learning environment; and
3. Give support to teachers to teach better.

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

The training-workshop is designed to equip Lawyers and Legal Officers with enhanced knowledge and skills in handling and facilitating Fact-Finding or Preliminary Investigation and Formal Investigation - Prosecution. It endeavors that through the training-workshop the resolution and disposition of complaints and cases within the Department will be more efficient and the backlog of the same be addressed without compromising the proper procedures and due process.

Training-Workshop on Investigation and Prosecution
Techniques

SEPTEMBER 26-28, 2023

Training Activities

SEPT 26, 2023

DAY I

06.00 - 08.00 a.m	ACTIVITY	10.00 - 12.00 a.m	ACTIVITY
SECRETARIAT	Breakfast	Atty. Clifford C. Chan	2017 REVISED RULES ON
	REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS	Attorney U,	ADMINISTRATIVE CASES IN
	AND DISTRIBUTION OF MATERIALS	Civil Service Commission	THE CIVIL SERVICE
			(WITH WORKING BREAK)
08.00 - 8.20 a.m	OPENING CEREMONY (NATIONAL	12.00 - 1.00 p.m	Lunch Break
SECRETARIAT	ANTHEM, PRAYER AND ENERGIZER	1.00 - 2.00 p.m	2017 REVISED RULES ON
Atty. Leomar D. Ladonga	PRESENTATION OF THE	Atty. Clifford C. Chan	ADMINISTRATIVE CASES IN
and	PARTICIPANTS	Attorney U,	THE CIVIL SERVICE
Atty. Ma. Bernadette Tan		Civil Service Commission	(CONTINUATION)
Inciso			
8.20 - 9.30 a.m		2.00 - 2.30 a.m	OPEN FORUM
Atty. Omar V. Romero	OPENING REMARKS		
Assistant Secretary,	AND		
Officer-in-Charge,	USEC'S HOUR		
Office of the Undersecretary			
for Legal and Legislative Affairs			
9.30 - 9.45 a.m		2.30p.m - 4.30 p.m	
Atty. Alberto T. Escobarte,	WELCOMING REMARKS	Atty. Alberto T. Escobarte,	FFI/PI AND FORMAL
CESO II		CESO II	INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES
Regional Director		Regional Director	(DEPED ORDER NO. 49, S. 2006)
DepEd CALABARZON		DepEd CALABARZON	(WITH WORKING BREAK)
9.45 - 10.00 a.m.	QUICK PHOTO OP	4.30 - 5.00 p.m	OPEN FORUM
Atty. Leomar D. Ladonga	HOUSE RULES	5.00 - 6.00 p.m	PREPARATION FOR THE
and	AND	6.00 p.m	MOCK TRIAL (FOR DAY 2)
Atty. Ma. Bernadette Tan	PROGRAM RUNDOWN		Dinner
Inciso			

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Training-Workshop on Investigation and Prosecution
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SEPTEMBER 26-28, 2023

Training Activities

SEPT 27, 2023

DAY 2

07.00 - 08.00 a.m	ACTIVITY	12.00nn - 1.00 p.m	LUNCH
SECRETARIAT	Breakfast	Atty. James Lee Cundangan Assistant Solicitor General Office of the Solicitor General	TRIAL SKILLS CONTINUATION
	Registration of Participants and Distribution of Materials		
08.00 - 8.10 a.m	RECAP	2.00 - 2.30 p.m	OPEN FORUM (with workig break)
SECRETARIAT	REGIONAL LAWYER PARTICIPANT	2.30 - 3.00 p.m	Preparation for Mock Trials
8.10 - 8.30 a.m			
Atty. Leomar D. Ladonga and Atty. Ma. Bernadette Tan Inciso	PROGRAM RUNDOWN	3.00 - 4.00 p.m	MOCK TRIAL I- GROUP I
8.30 - 12.00 a.m			
Atty. James Lee Cundangan Assistant Solicitor General Office of the Solicitor General	Trial Skills of an Effective Prosecutor: the purpose of this discussion is to impart the skills needed by a prosecutor before, during, and after the trial/hearing, such as but not limited to: • Case Preparation both in Pre-Trial and during Trial • Identification & Examination of Witnesses (Direct, Cross: Impeach) • Identification and Admission of Documentary and Object Evidence • Proper Use of Objections and Rebuttal Evidence • Drafting of Judicial Affidavit, Pre-Trial Brief, Position Paper, Formal Offer of Evidence, Resolution, Decision, and Memorandum • • (with working break)	4.00p.m - 5.00 p.m	MOCK TRIAL 2- GROUP 2
		5.00 - 6.00 p.m	COMMENTS/CRITIQUES
		6.00 p.m	Dinner

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SEPTEMBER 26-28, 2023

Training Activities

SEPT 28, 2023

DAY 3

07.00 - 09.00 a.m	ACTIVITY	12.00nn - 1.00 p.m	LUNCH
SECRETARIAT	Breakfast		
	Registration of Participants and Distribution of Materials		
09.00 - 9.10 a.m	RECAP	1.00p.m - 2.00 p.m	CHILD PROTECTION POLICY IN RELATION TO THE EXAMINATION OF CHILD WITNESS (CONTINUATION)
SECRETARIAT	REGIONAL LAWYER PARTICIPANT	Atty. Suzette T. Gannaban-Medina Officer-in-Charge Director III Head of the Child Protection Unit	
9.10 - 9.15 a.m			
Atty. Leomar D. Ladonga and Atty. Ma. Bernadette Tan Inciso	PROGRAM RUNDOWN	2.00 - 2.30 p.m	OPEN FORUM
9.15 - 12.00 a.m		2.30p.m - 4.00 p.m	PREPARATION OF FFIR AND FC'S, RESOLUTION DISMISSING COMPLAINT AND UPDATES ON THE REVISED DO 49 AND WAYS FORWARD (WITH WORKING BREAK)
Atty. Suzette T. Gannaban-Medina Officer-in-Charge Director III Head of the Child Protection Unit	CHILD PROTECTION POLICY IN RELATION TO THE EXAMINATION OF CHILD WITNESS (WITH WORKING BREAK)	Atty. Cornelio A. Pacala Chief, Legal Service-Investigation Division Officer-in-Charge, Legal Service-Office of the Director	
		4.00 - 4.45 p.m	EVALUATION OF SPEAKERS AND TRAINING-WORKSHOP
			PHOTO OPS
		4.45 p.m- 5.00 p.m	CLOSING REMARKS
		Rosemarie D. Torres Schools Division Superintendent, DepEd-Division of Cavite Province	
		5.00 p.m	Dinner

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ENCLOSURE 3

CONFIRMATION SLIP

REGION: _____

REGIONAL LAWYERS

Full Name	Designation	Contact Details	Email

DIVISION LAWYERS

Full Name	Designation/Office	Contact Details	Email

It will be greatly appreciated if you can return this slip not later than **08 September 2023** at tel. fax no. (02) 86315-773 or email to marianne.cruzin@deped.gov.ph.

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