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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
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To: Schools Division Superintendent) Division of Agusan del Sur
All Others Concerned

AUTHORIZATION FOR SCHOOL-BASED CATECHISM PROGRAM

1. The Diocesan Catechetical Ministry of Prosperidad (DCMP) expresses its willingness to offer School-Based Catechism programs to both elementary and secondary schools within its area of responsibility (see attached letter).

2. The objectives of the said diocesan program align with the Department of Education's core value of Pagkamaka-Dios, where learners are encouraged to embody and promote "Pagkamaka-Dios" in all school-related activities.

3. In line with this, it is hereby proposed that the DCMP be authorized to implement school-based catechism in schools within Prosperidad, Agusan del Sur. These sessions shall strictly adhere to the following conditions:

- 4.
- a. Participation shall be entirely voluntary
 - b. No DepEd policies shall be compromised, including:
 - i. Non-disruption of classes,
 - ii. The No Collection Policy
 - iii. The Gender-Responsive Basic Education Policy
 - iv. The Child Protection Policy
 - v. Schools as Zones of Peace, and
 - vi. Other relevant issuances ensuring the safety and welfare of learners.

5. We hope this partnership fosters deeper values formation among learners while strengthening our community's shared commitment to holistic education.

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Regional Director

Encl.: None
Reference: DepEd Order (No. 21, s. 2029)
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