

NATIONAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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Dear Director San Antonio:

In observance of the Environment Month of June, the DENR's Environmental Management Bureau and the National Solid Waste Management Commission, in cooperation with the House of Representatives, Quezon City, ABS-CBN, GMA7, PTV4, Catholic Media Network, DZMM, Radyo ng Bayan and participating companies are holding the First National Integrated Waste Management Exhibition on June 22-26, 2015 at the Skydome of SM North-EDSA.

The Exhibition hopes to strengthen environmental consciousness and make environmental protection a matter of individual and collective responsibility.

We encourage schools to arrange faculty and student visits to this exhibition to promote environmental awareness, and to possibly adopt a school-based environmental program.

The Exhibition will feature global warming, and practical action steps to reduce carbon footprint and greenhouse emission, including solid waste management and recycling and energy saving and other carbon reduction methods.

The Exhibition hopes to inspire visitors to put green living into practice.

Our country is visited by more than 20 typhoons every year, several in super-typhoon category destroying lives, property and crops. The disasters in their wake should stir everyone to undertake green and environment-friendly measures, towards reducing and mitigating risks for our own safety and survival.

We would also be glad to help our school administrators and teachers develop environmental awareness programs that help shape our young students' environment-friendly attitudes, habits and lifestyles.

In appreciation of your support and cooperation, I am

Yours Sincerely,

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OIC-Executive Director

