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 Regional Office No. IV-A (CALABARZON)



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*To: SDSs  
 For your information  
 + appropriate actions please  
 Thank God Bless  
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**Dear Director Antonio:**

The Department of Science and Technology Region IV-A (CALABARZON) will be conducting the **2015 Regional Invention Contests and Exhibits (RICE)** on **October 27-29, 2015** (venue to be announced later) with the theme, '**CALABARZON: A Smart Region Innovating and Inventing for Global Competitiveness.**' This Regional Contest will serve as the qualifying round for the **2016 National Invention Contests and Exhibits (NICE).**

In line with this, we would like to request for a **Regional Memorandum or Advisory** to encourage the participation of **high school students and teachers (researchers & inventors)** in the 2015 RICE. Since Region IV-A has a lot of high schools, both private and public, **ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CATEGORY PER SCHOOL WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Contest rules, criteria, guidelines and forms may be downloaded at <http://region4a.dost.gov.ph/71-downloads/819-brochures>.

The forms may be submitted duly accomplished and notarized, to our **PROVINCIAL S & T CENTER (PSTC) OFFICE NOT LATER THAN AUGUST 7, 2015** or to **DOST IV-A OFFICE NOT LATER THAN AUGUST 14, 2015.** The **PRELIMINARY SCREENING** is scheduled on the **4<sup>th</sup> WEEK OF AUGUST 2015** at DOST IV-A Office.

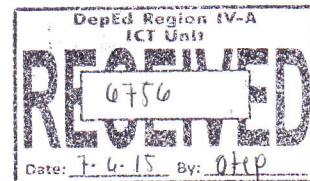
For further inquiries and concerns, please contact **Ms. Sarah Maranan / Ms. Lotus Dimagiba / Mr. JC Manas / Ms. Quimby Genota** at (049) 536-5013 / 536-4997 or email **dost4aparcu@gmail.com.**

Thank you very much in anticipation of your positive response.

Best regards.

Very truly yours,

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