Regional Memorandum
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PARTICIPATION OF PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS IN THE
ONLINE SURVEY ON ANALYSIS OF BASIC EDUCATION
SCHOOL CALENDAR IN THE PHILIPPINES

To  Schools Division Superintendents

1. With reference to Memorandum PEO-2023-DO27, this Office requests the participation of private school teachers in the online survey re: “Research Project: Analysis of Basic Education School Year Calendar in the Philippines”. Specifically, this is a study on the reversion of school calendar to summer. Other important details can be found in the attached copy of the said memorandum.

2. For immediate and widest dissemination to all concerned.

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO II
Regional Director

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MEMORANDUM
PEO-2023-DO27

TO : ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS

FROM : ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO
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        Assistant Secretary for Operations

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DATE : October 16, 2023

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In view of the foregoing, this Office respectfully request for your assistance with collecting the requested data using the link provided by PNU. The link can be accessed through: http://tinyurl.com/PrvtSchoolDepEdSchoolOpening.

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The Department of Education through the Curriculum and Teaching Strand has requested the Philippine Normal University (PNU) to conduct a study relative to the reversion of school calendar to summer.

In this regard, we kindly request the Private Education Office of the Operations Strand to disseminate the link of the PNU online survey to private school teachers: https://tinyurl.com/PrvtSchoolDepEdSchoolOpening.

For more information and clarifications, please contact Jayson A. Peñafiel of the Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Teaching through email at ouct@deped.gov.ph or Director Allen Espinosa of PNU Education Policy Research and Development Center through email at eprdc@pnu.edu.ph.

Cc: Dir. Allen Espinosa
    PNU EPRDC
5 September 2023

DR GINA O GONONG
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Teaching
Department of Education

Dear Usec Gonong,

The Philippine Normal University – Educational Policy Research and Development Center (PNU-EPRDC) research team is currently working on a research project titled “Analysis of the Basic Education School Year Calendar in the Philippines.” The study seeks to (1) describe the Filipino teachers' preference and reasons for the opening of the school year calendar in basic education; and (2) compare and contrast Asian countries’ basic education school calendar and their reasons for adopting their calendars. The findings from these two studies will be integrated to inform policy recommendations regarding the opening of the basic education school calendar in the Philippines.

Intended participants are private and public-school teachers. As part of the data collection process, the PNU-EPRDC research team will review local documents and conduct online surveys.

In line with this, we kindly request your approval to grant permission to the PNU-EPRDC research team to conduct data collection within the Department of Education, targeting the private school teachers in basic education. If approved, we kindly request your office to disseminate the link of the online survey to private school teachers: http://tinyurl.com/PrvSchoolDeoEdSchoolOpening.

This study has been cleared by the PNU Research Ethics Committee (REC). If you have any concerns about the conduct of this research project, please contact the Secretariat of the PNU REC: 53171768 local 750/751; rec@pnu.edu.ph or eprdc@pnu.edu.ph. Quote the REC code 04262022-059.

Thank you very much and we are hoping for your favorable response regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

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