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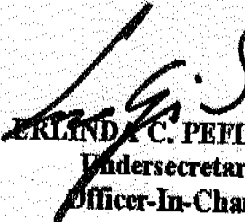
1997 PHILIPPINE PHYSICS SOCIETY CONVENTION AND NATIONAL
PHYSICS OLYMPICS AND FAIR

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities

1. The Philippine Physics Society will hold an activity complex on April 1-4 at Silliman University, Dumaguete City consisting of the following: 19th National Physics Seminar Workshop Convention; 10th National Physics Olympics; and the 5th National Physics Fair.
2. The theme of this year's convention is "Quality Physics Education Through Networking" with the following objectives:
 - a. improve the quality of physics teaching and physics research;
 - b. encourage teachers to design and construct laboratory equipment;
 - c. develop more networking and collaborative efforts among physics teachers; and
 - d. promote quality physics education through information technology and computer networking.
3. Participants to the convention are physics teachers and students who have physics investigatory projects to enter in the science fair and/or competing in the Olympiad.
4. A registration fee of six hundred pesos (P600.00) will be charged each participant to cover the membership fee, convention materials including Philippine Physics Journal, snacks and educational field trip. Participants may stay at campus dormitories of the University which costs eighty pesos (P80.00) per person or at four hundred pesos (P400.00) per room per day in pension houses.
5. Transportation expenses, registration fee, board and lodging and other allowable expenses of participants and their students from public high schools shall be charged against local funds, subject to its availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Participants from private high schools shall make arrangements with their respective schools.

6. For reservations, student fees and other details, contact the Convention Director, Dr. Hope M. Bandal at the Physics Department, Silliman University, 6200 Dumaguete City.

7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Reference:

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