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NATIONAL SCIENCE CLUB MONTH'S ONLINE QUIZ SHOW

To: **Regional Directors** Schools Division/City Superintendents

Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Principals

- In connection with the celebration of the National Science Club: Month (NSCM) this September, the Philippine Society of Youth Science Clubs (PSYSC), Inc., in cooperation with the DECS Center for Students and Co-Curricular Affairs, will conduct the Online Quiz Show during the whole month of September.
- The project, which aims to involve the young in the celebration of the NSCM through the medium of the Internet, is open to all in-school and out-of-school youth from ages 6 to 17 years old.
- All concerned are enjoined to encourage their students to actively participate in the contest and make use of available access to the Internet. Enclosed is the mechanics of the contest.
- 4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

Secretary

Encl.: As stated Reference:

None

Allotment: 1- -(D.Q. 50-97)

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ONLINE QUIZ SHOW *Mechanics*

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The project primarily aims to provide a venue for the Filipino Youth - science clubbers and non-science clubbers alike - to participate in the celebration of the NSCM through the Internet. Specifically, it aims to involve science enthusiasts who cannot attend other NSCM activities but have access to the web.

- 1. The Online Quiz Show is open to Filipinos of ages 6 to 17 years old. Participants will be divided into two (2) age groups, that is, 6 12 and 13 17. Each age group shall be eligible to answer only the questions intended for their bracket.
- 2. Participants are obliged to e-mail their answer to psysc@i-next.net. Entries sent through other means are disqualified. Unless otherwise required, questions need not to be written in the e-mail.
- 3. Only one entry per week per participant will be allowed. In case of more than one entry, only the entry sent earlier will be considered.
- 4. Winners of previous weeks are encouraged to answer the succeeding weeks' questions but shall not be eligible to win prizes.
- 5. Entries for a week's questions shall only be valid if it sent on or before 12:00 noon of that week's Sunday and the following information are included:

Name of the Participant
Age
Grade/Year level (if out-of-school, indicate OSY)
E-mail Address/es
Permanent Address and Contact Number (land line/cellular phone/pager)
School Address and Contact Number (if studying)
Barangay Hall Address and Contact Number (if out-of-school)
Name of Science Club (if a member)
Answer for Week _____

- 6. The mechanics, questions and the corresponding prizes will be posted on the PSYSC web page (www.psysc.org.ph) and will be updated weekly.
- 7. The entry with the most number of correct answers shall be declared the winner for that week. In the case of a tie, the entry that has sent first shall be favored. One winner for each age group will be declared weekly for a total of two winners per week.
- 8. Winners shall be notified through e-mail (or any available means) and their names shall be posted on the PSYSC web page. The names of non-winning participants will also be posted.