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THIRD PESPA-BEE PRINCIPALS CONGRESS

To: Regional Directors
 Schools Division/City Superintendents
 Private Elementary Schools Principals

1. The Philippine Elementary School Principals' Association (PESPA) in coordination with the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) and the Bureau of Elementary Education (BEE) will hold its third PESPA-BEE Principals Congress at the Grand Convention Center of Cebu, Banilad, Cebu City on April 18-20, 2001 with the theme "School-Based Management: The Challenge of Decentralization".
2. The Congress aims to strengthen the management and leadership competencies of elementary school principals in a decentralized milieu. It further aims to take a closer look at the major issues and concerns facing the school managers to the challenge of school-based management.
3. Participants will include PESPA officers and board members, public and private elementary school principals and head teachers. PESPA officers are expected to be at the venue a day before the Congress.
4. A registration fee of Four Thousand Pesos (P4,000.00) will be charged each participant to cover expenses for food, accommodation, honoraria of speakers, conference materials, kit and other incidental expenses chargeable against local funds subject to its availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The schools may also explore local donors or sponsors to subsidize expenses for attendance to the Congress.
5. Inquiries regarding pre-registration may be made with Mr. Faviolito B. Alberca, Congress Director at City Central School, Cebu City with tel. nos. (023) 416-50-53, (023) 261-57-84 and cell no. 0919-244-05-77.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

[Signature]
 ISAGANI R. CRUZ
 Undersecretary

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