

## Republic of the Philippines Department of Education



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## 58<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF NUTRITION (PAN)

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. The Philippine Association of Nutrition (PAN) will hold its 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention at the Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City on July 21-22, 2005, with the theme "Good Governance: Community and Family-Driven Strategies for Nutrition".
- 2. This year's convention aims to:
  - a. give current information on nutrition intervention strategies at the barangay level;
  - b. further explore community participation in nutritional improvement; and
  - c. propose new directions in strategic opportunities for barangay planning and action programs in nutrition.
- 3. In view of the relevance of the theme which will focus on the importance and urgency of local initiatives and actions to effectively address the malnutrition problem of the country, Nutritionist-Dietitians based at the Central Office and Regional Offices are authorized to attend the convention on **official business**.
- 4. Travel expenses and a registration fee of Two Thousand Pesos (PhP2,000.00) covering a kit, lunches and snacks for two days shall be chargeable against local funds or savings from school health program operations. Accommodation is not covered in the registration fee.
- 5. For inquiries, please contact the PAN Secretariat, through Ms. Rowena R. Manalansan at tel. no. (02) 839-18-42 or mobile no. 0919-557-7581, with headquarters in FNRI Bldg., DOST Compound, Gen. Santos Avenue, Bicutan, Taguig City, e-mail address: pan@fnri.dost.gov.ph; webpage: http://www.fnri.dost.gov.ph/pan/index.html
- 6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

FLORENCIO B. ABAD

Secretary

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