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DepED MEMORANDUM
No. 34, s. 2007

THIRD NATIONAL SCIENCE-MATHEMATICS CONGRESS
OF REGIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOLS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Secondary Schools
Heads, Regional Science High Schools

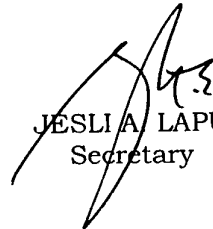
1. The Bureau of Secondary Education (BSE) through the Curriculum Development Division (CDD), Department of Education (DepED) will conduct the Third National Science-Mathematics Congress of Regional Science High Schools on February 5-9, 2007 at RELC, Cabatangan, Zamboanga City to be hosted by Regional Science High School for DepED Region IX, Malasiga, San Roque, Zamboanga City. The theme of the Congress is "Promotion of Strong Science Culture".
2. The Congress shall serve as a forum for sharing of best practices among teachers and school heads of the RSHSs, dissemination of research findings and enhancement of students' scientific inquiry and mathematical skills as well as higher order thinking skills.
3. Each Regional Science High School shall be represented by a delegation consisting of the following: Eight (8) students (one (1) First Year student, one (1) Second year student, at least one (1) Third Year student and at most of five (5) Fourth Year students); two (2) research science teachers; two (2) mathematics teachers (one (1) statistics teacher and one (1) mathematics advisor) and one (1) school head/principal. Student participants of the Congress will compete for science investigatory projects and will present mathematical investigations. Parents' permit is a requirement for students joining the Congress. Please see guidelines in the enclosure.
4. A registration fee of Five Thousand Pesos (PhP5,000.00) shall be charged each participant to cover expenses for board and lodging, kits, honoraria for speakers and trophies.
5. Science and Mathematics supervisors of the Regional and Division Offices are invited to join the Congress. Allowable travel expenses, per diem and other incidental expenses of supervisors shall be charged against local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Travel expenses and per diem of regional participants shall be charged against local funds, while those from BSE Management Staff, honoraria of judges, cash

awards for the winners, extra duty allowance/registration fees of BSE Management Staff, and other incidental expenses relative to the activity shall be charged against OSEC funds (Operational Expenses of the RSHSs) subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

7. All regional participants are requested to confirm their participation by accomplishing the enclosed pre-registration form and sending the same by fax on or before January 15, 2007 to the Curriculum Development Division, Bureau of Secondary Education, Department of Education, DepED Complex, Merlaco Avenue, Pasig City.

8. For more information, please contact Mr. Wally A. Afunggol, CDD, BSE at telefax no. (02) 632-7746 or (02) 632-1361 locals 2062 and 2146.

9. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.


JESLI A. LAPUS
Secretary

Encl.:

As stated

Reference:

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Guidelines for the Science-Mathematics Congress of RSHSs

1. Each regional delegation should bring Science investigatory entries:
 - a. one (1) team investigatory project for life science (biological science).
 - b. one (1) team investigatory project for applied science (physical science).
 - c. one (1) individual investigatory project for life science (biological science)
 - d. one (1) individual investigatory project for applied science (physical science)
2. Three (3) copies of the manuscripts for each entry should be submitted to BSE on or before January 18, 2007. Non-submission of entries on time means disqualifications.
3. Student participants are required to be in their respective uniforms and should wear ID during the conduct of the congress.

Pre-Registration Form
Third National Science-Mathematics Congress
Regional Science High School
Zamboanga City
February 5-9, 2007

- I. Please write the names of the participants
 - A. Science student participants:
 - First Year**
 - 1.
 - Second Year**
 - 1.
 - Third Year**
 - 1.
 - Fourth Year**
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
 - 5.
 - B. Teacher Coordinators
 - Science**
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - Math**
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - C. Head of the School/Principal
 - 1.