

## Republic of the Philippines **Department of Education**



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PARTNERS IN LEARNING 4<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL SEARCH FOR INNOVATIVE TEACHERS LEADERSHIP AWARDS (ITLA 4)

To:

Bureau Directors

Regional Directors

Schools Division/City Superintendents

Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. The Department of Education (DepED), in collaboration with Microsoft Philippines, Inc. and Philippine Business for Social Progress (PBSP), announces the 4th Innovative Teachers Leadership Awards (ITLA 4).
- 2. The ITLA is a yearly search for the top 10 public school elementary and secondary teachers who have successfully integrated the Information and Communications Technology (ICT) in teaching and learning effectively impact on developing knowledge workers and life-long learners.
- 3. This year's competition is open to all public secondary and elementary schools teachers coming from the top 30 Potensyal winning divisions. The divisions are as follows:

Baguio City Batanes Iba, Zambales Ifugao Ilocos Sur Kalinga Makati City Masbate City Muntinlupa	Mandaue City Tagbilaran City Cebu Province Ormoc City Calbayog City Iloilo City Roxas City Biliran Lapu-Lapu City	Panabo City General Santos Bukidnon Butuan City Surigao Del Norte Bislig City Digos City Iligan City Surigao City
Muntinlupa Nueva Ecija	Lapu-Lapu City San Carlos City	Surigao City Ozamis City

- 4. From the top 10 finalists, 3 will be chosen as grand winners and will represent the Philippines in the Annual Regional Innovative Teachers Conference.
- 5. The said competition is now accepting entries. The deadline for the submission of entries is on February 15, 2008, 12 o'clock noon. For further details on contest rules and application process, visit the PiL website, <a href="https://www.pil.ph">www.pil.ph</a>. The ITLA 4 judging of top 10 semi-finalists will be announced on a later date.

- 6. Board, lodging and travel expenses of the top 10 semi-finalists and their principals in the final judging and awarding shall be shouldered by Microsoft under the ITLA 4 project.
- 7. For more information, please contact the following: Ms. Toni D. Ignacio and Ms. Thea Torres, PiL Program Support Specialists at (02) 860-8784, (02) 860-8771, or e-mail at ignacio\_tmay@hotmail.com and v-theato@microsoft.com.
- 8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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