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NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF PSYCHO-SOCIAL
HELPING PROFESSIONALS (PAPSHP)

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

1. The Philippine Association of Psycho-Social Helping Professionals (PAPSHP), in coordination with the Department of Education (DepED) will hold the National Convention on February 26-27, 2009 at Tagaste Retreat House in Tagaytay City with the theme **“Teachers and Counselors as Psycho-Social Helping Professionals: Practices, Issues and Challenges”**.
2. The convention aims to:
 - a. strengthen their competencies in addressing concerns involving the teaching and counseling professions;
 - b. acquire knowledge and insights on continuing programs and initiatives toward effective instruction and counseling;
 - c. enhance their competencies as practitioners who deal with different types of learners; and
 - d. update themselves in terms of developments as well as current practices, issues and challenges in the teaching and counseling professions.
3. The participants to this activity are teachers, guidance counselors, social workers, psychologists, administrators, principals, supervisors, superintendents and professors from both public and private educational institutions. Attendance of public school participants shall be on **official business**.
4. The registration fee of Two Thousand Pesos (PhP2,000) shall be charged each participant to cover expenses for lodging, seminar kit, snacks, lunch, dinner and certificate of participation.
5. For more information, please contact Mr. Fortunato G. Vendivel, Jr., President, PAPSHP at Block 1, Lot 10 Kathleen Place Townhomes, F. Fernando Street, Barangay Sta. Clara, Pasay City, Metro Manila at tel. no. (02) 404-0267; e-mail address: fgvendiveljr@yahoo.com
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Sally: (PAPSHP)
January 28, 2009