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SECOND NASSPHIL TEACHERS CONGRESS

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Public and Private Secondary Schools  
Vocational High School Principals

1. The National Association of Secondary Schools of the Philippines (NASSPHIL), Inc., in coordination with the Bureau of Secondary Education (BSE) announces the holding of the **Second NASSPHIL National Teachers Congress** with the theme "*Teacher Empowerment: Shared Governance, Shared Responsibility (The Teacher at the Forefront of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Education)*", at the Centennial Resort and Convention Center, Alta Tierra Subd., Tabuk, Suba, Jaro, Iloilo on November 20-22, 2009.

2. The congress aims to:


- a. update teachers on the trends and issues in education in the 21<sup>st</sup> century;
- b. develop a National Competency-Based Teacher Standards (NCBTS)-based working guide as basis for quality performance; and
- c. provide a forum for teachers to share best practices and address common concerns and problems in teaching and teacher development.

3. The participants to this congress are public and private secondary school teachers in all subject areas including secondary trade-agricultures-fisheries and special secondary school teachers, NASSPHIL teacher leaders in the division, regional and national levels, and working committee members. The chiefs of secondary education division, supervisors in-charge of public and private schools and the schools division/city superintendents and assistant superintendents are invited to attend the congress. Attendance of public school participants shall be on **official business**.

4. A registration fee of Four Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP4,500.00) per participant, including working committee members, shall be charged to cover board and lodging, materials and other related congress expenses. Meals shall be served from dinner of November 20 until lunch of November 22, 2009. Members of the different committees, as well as the present NASSPHIL officers and board of directors are authorized to travel two (2) days before the congress. Traveling expenses and registration fee shall be charged against local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. For more information, visit the website at [www.nassphil.com](http://www.nassphil.com) or contact Dr. Exequiel F. Guanzon, NASSPHIL President at cellphone no. 0917-8064103 or NASSPHIL Office c/o Mrs. Zenaida G. Mendoza at tel. no.: (02) 631-0650 and/or Mrs. Corazon P. Zinampan, President, NASSPHIL Teachers Sector at cellphone no.: 0906-5593940.

6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Undersecretary  
Officer-in-Charge

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