

Department of Education

Region XII Schools Division Office of Tacurong City

September 4, 2023

DIVISION MEMORANDUM SGOD No. 78, s. 2023

CONDUCT OF CY 2023 3rd QUARTER NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL

TO: OIC – Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chiefs, Curriculum Implementation Division and Schools Governance and Operations Division Education Program Supervisors Elementary and Secondary School Heads

- 1. This is in accordance with OUOPS Memorandum No. 2023-04-1668, reiterating the Schedule for the conduct of CY 2023 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill. As such, offices across all levels of the Department and Schools are enjoined to participate in the conduct of quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) on September 7, 2023, at 2:00 PM.
- 2. In relation to DOST-PAGASA's forecast oh high heat index and El Niño, school heads and head of DepEd offices are strictly directed to observe proper protocols not to prolong exposure of learners and personnel in open heat of the sun or in any situation that will put them in danger or affected by harmful effects of hyperthermia during the conduct of NSED. If deemed unsafe to conduct the full-length of the earthquake drill that includes evacuation, assembly and accounting in open field, the conduct of 'Duck, Cover and Hold' and or 'Tabletop' exercises inside of classroom and offices is advised.
- 4. Proper documentation and post activity evaluation of said drill are required. School DRRM Coordinators are advised to make necessary preparations to ensure that the required reports are submitted on time using the guidelines and templates as provided by OUOPS Memorandum No. 2023-04-1668.



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- 5. For more information, kindly contact mobile no. 09184354245 or email at <u>Jonald.cadiao@deped.gov.ph</u>.
- 6. Immediate dissemination and compliance to this Memorandum is desired.

GLDO G. MOSQUEDA, CEO VI Schools Division Superintender

Encl: as stated
Reference: OUOPS Memorandum No. 2023-04-1668
To be indicated in the **Perpetual Index**Under the following subjects:
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