

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

Region XII Schools Division Office of Tacurong City

November 7, 2023

DIVISION MEMORANDUM SGOD No. 117 s. 2023

CONDUCT OF CY 2023 4TH QUARTER NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chiefs, Curriculum Implementation Division School Governance and Operation Division Elementary and Secondary School Heads This Division

- Pursuant to OUOPS Memorandum No. 2023-04-9504 titled "Reiteration on the Conduct of the 4th Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED)", schools and offices across all levels of the department are enjoined to participate in the conduct of 4th Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) on November 9, 2023, at 9:00 o'clock in the morning.
- 2. In relation to DOST-PAGASA's forecast of high Heat Index due to strengthening of El Niño in the Tropical Pacific, school heads and head of DepEd offices are strictly directed to observe proper protocols not to prolong exposure of learners and or personnel in direct 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 earthquake drill that includes evacuation, assembly and accounting in open field, the conduct of "Duck, Cover and Hold" and or "Table Top" exercises inside of classroom and offices is advised.
- 3. Further, School Heads through the School DRRM Coordinator are advised to proper documentation and post activity evaluation of said drill. Also, 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.
- 4. For more information, contact Jonald S. Cadiao, PDO-II Division DRRM Focal Person.

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5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: None

Reference: OUOPS Memorandum No. 2023-04-9504

Allotment: DRRM Fund

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following Subjects:

CALAMITY SAFETY EDUCATION

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