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DIVISION OF CATANDUANES
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MEMORANDUM

To : Chief, SGOD
All Public Schools District Supervisors
All Public Secondary School Heads
All Public Elementary School Heads
All Others Concerned

From : **SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO VI**
Schools Division Superintendent

Subject : **3rd National Simultaneous Earthquake Drill**

Date : September 26, 2017

1. Relative to NDRRMC Memorandum No. 117 s. 2017 dated September 20, 2017, the conduct of the **3rd Quarter National Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED)** will take place on **September 27, 2017** at **2 o'clock in the afternoon**. With this, all elementary and secondary schools are hereby advised to conduct Earthquake drills.

2. Submit an **Accomplishment Report (attached-*annex a*)** at the School Governance and Operation Division c/o the DRRM Unit **not later than September 29, 2017**.

3. For immediate and wide dissemination.

Annex A

3rd Quarter National Simultaneous Earthquake Drill
Post Activity Report

Name of School			
School Head		School ID	

Number of Participants During the Drill	Teachers	Students	Parents	Other Stakeholders

For schools with other stakeholder participants, please specify what agency/company:

Activities Conducted	Orientation	Drill Proper	Post Evaluation
	◯ Yes ◯ No	◯ Yes ◯ No	◯ Yes ◯ No

Common Issues encountered during the conduct of NSED	

Where there encountered incidents during the conduct of NSED?	If yes, please identify:
◯ Yes ◯ No	

Prepared by:

Name
School DRRM Coordinator

Noted by:

Name
School Head/Principal

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

MEMORANDUM
No. 117 s, 2017

SEP 20 2017

TO : **ALL NDRRMC Member Agencies and OCD Regional Offices**

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF THE CY 2017 3rd QUARTER NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED) FROM 21 SEPTEMBER TO 27 SEPTEMBER 2017**

DATE :

Rule 6, Section 7 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the RA 10121 states that "Public awareness shall also be undertaken through the conduct of drills by the LDRRMO on a regular basis". Likewise, the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Plan (NDRRMP) states that one of the activities to achieve Outcome 10: "Developed and implemented comprehensive national and local preparedness and response policies, plans and systems" is to develop/ enhance and simulate scenario-based preparedness and response plans. Furthermore, one of the policy framework stated in the National Disaster Preparedness Plan as embedded in the fourth priority area of the Sendai Framework for Action 2015 – 2030 includes the target: "to promote regular disaster preparedness, response and recovery exercises".

The CY 2017 3rd Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) scheduled on **21 September 2017 has been postponed to 27 September 2017 at 2:00 P.M. The ceremonial venue shall be at Strike Gymnasium, Bacoor, Cavite.**

The objectives are as follows:

1. To test the efficiency and usefulness of the preparedness, response and recovery plans, systems and policies developed in their respective localities/ offices/ schools;
2. To evaluate the effectiveness of contingency plan;
3. To test the coordination and communication mechanism during response operation.
4. To understand the command and control mechanism in emergency and disaster operation at the DRRMCs.

All NDRRMC member agencies and OCD Regional Offices are directed to conduct similar activities.

Proper documentation and the conduct of the Post Activity Evaluation is encouraged. Result of the analysis and documentation should be submitted to the Capacity Building and Training Service through electronic mail at cbts@ocd.gov.ph not later than 05 October 2017 for consolidation and submission to the Chairperson, NDRRMC.

By Authority of the Chairperson:

USEC RICARDO B JALAD
Executive Director, NDRRMC, and
Administrator, OCD