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Department of Education

Region V – Bicol
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES

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TO

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent

Chief Education Supervisors

Public Schools District Supervisors/In-Charge of Districts Elementary & Secondary School Heads/Officers-in-Charge

All Others Concerned

FROM

SUSAN S. COLLANO

Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT:

COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED)

UNRECOGNIZED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION (HEI)

DATE

March 16, 2023

This is in reference to the letter dated February 15, 2021 of Freddie T. Bernal, Director IV, CHED Regional Office V, please be advised that Far East Advent School of Theology (FEAST) International Inc. is **NOT** a CHED recognized HEI nor has its authority to offer any academic programs. Hence, the documents of its graduate students cannot be used for promotions and similar purposes.

Further, DepEd employees are reminded to enroll only in CHED recognized institutions to earn degrees. All concerned may view the complete list of CHED recognized HEIs and programs offered at www.ched.gov.ph.

Enclosed is a copy of the letter of Director IV Freddie T. Bernal for reference.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Legazpi City

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Dir. Gilbert T. Sadsad Regional Director Department of Education- Region V Regional Center Site Rawis, Legazpi City

Dear Dir. Sadsad:

This is in reply to your letter dated February 2, 2021, re: inquiry on Far East Advent School of Theology (FEAST) International Inc. pertinent to the request to consider its graduate students' documents for promotion, pending decision on the *Petition for Mandamus* filed in court.

Please be advised that FEAST is not among the recognized Higher Education Institutions in the Philippines, hence, the documents of its graduate students cannot be used for promotion and similar purposes.

Thank you.

FREDDIE T. BERNAL Director IV

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