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 Region V - Bicol
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES

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TO : School Heads, Public Secondary Schools

FROM : 
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Subject: **ENDORSEMENT OF PRIVATE SECONDARY SCHOOLS AS OPTION FOR ENROLLMENT IN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL THROUGH GASTPE (ESC AND SHS VOUCHER PROGRAM)**

Date: August 8, 2023

The Government Assistance to Students and Teachers in Private Education under Republic Act (RA) 6728 or the “GASTPE Act”, amended by RA 8545 or the “Expanded GASTPE (E-GASTPE) Act” and further expanded by RA 10533 or the Enhanced Basic Education Act of 2013 to cover senior high schools, provide **free Junior High School and Senior High School education in private secondary schools.**

Public secondary schools **with excess enrollment** are encouraged to inform enrollees that they can avail of this free Junior High School and Senior High School education in the following private secondary schools:

Name of School	Address	Course Offering
1. CSAT Main	Sta, Cruz, Virac	SHS
2. CSAT Annex	District 1, San Miguel	SHS
3. Catanduanes Colleges	Salvacion, Virac	JHS, SHS
4. CPIC	Francia, Virac	SHS
5. CatSU – Laboratory Schools	Calatagan Proper, Virac	SHS
6. ICOSA	Cavinitan, Virac	JHS, SHS

This would help decongest public secondary schools with excess enrollment.



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