TO: Public Schools District Supervisors
   Elementary and Secondary School Heads

FROM: DEE D. SILVA, DPA, CESO VI
      Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT: Attendance to PhilGEPS Training

DATE: October 3, 2016

1. Attached is the letter from the Project Manager of the PhilGEPS, Exec. Dir. Rosa Maria M. Clemente, informing/inviting the field for the conduct of PhilGEPS Training on dates stipulated below:

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2. In connection with the aforementioned training, schools, especially national/central and big barangay schools, are encouraged to send participants.

3. Other details as to registration fee, processes to follow in registering participants, etc. could be read in the attached letter.

4. For your information and guidance.
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Attention: Schools and District Offices under Division Offices

Greetings!

We are pleased to inform you that the PHILGEPS has been benchmarked and studied by neighbouring countries who envision having their own central e-procurement system. As well, PHILGEPS officials have been invited to present the PHILGEPS program and experience in various for a, symposia and other gatherings of world-renowned e-Procurement organizations and practitioners such as those in the United States, South Korea and Singapore. In all these international gatherings, the efforts of the Philippine government in pushing for reforms in government procurement were recognized and commended. Multi-lateral development partners like the World Bank (WB) and the Asian Development Bank (ADB) acknowledge the fact that the PHILGEPS is a viable instrument in the government’s efforts at improving efficiency in the procurement function and has accepted the PHILGEPS for application on ADB and WB-funded procurement projects.

It goes without saying then, that the PHILGEPS has been continuously making system improvements such that from March to June 2013, no trainings for Buyer Agencies and Suppliers were conducted due to the deployment of new functionalities like the Government of the Philippines-Official Merchant Registry (GOP-OMR) and E-bidding for Goods and Civil Works.

It is for this reason that we are extending this invitation to your Schools Division and all the schools within its Jurisdiction to attend the PHILGEPS Training for Phase 1, and all other succeeding trainings for new system developments on the PHILGEPS so you so you can re-visit and familiarize yourself again with the use of the PHILGEPS and keep pace with the systems upgrade. We acknowledge that Deped has issued Department Order No. 6, S. 2008 with regards to PHILGEPS registration and posting, and we hope that implementation of such within the DepEd is adhered to.

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Please accomplish the attached confirmation form which require a list of your participants. Also found therein are the corresponding dates of the training. Trainings are to be held for two (2) days at designated venues. Training fee is Php2,400.00/participant (inclusive of VAT) inclusive of a training kit, lunch and snacks. Please make check payment for the account of the eblackboards Solutions, Inc.

For inquiries and/or clarification, please contact the training secretariat by e-mail at cpangilinan@eblackboards.net  
/ducavan@eblackboards.net, or by telefax at (02) 721-4724, or you may contact eblackboards Solutions at (02) 861-5280 or 8615243.

We hope to see you in one of our trainings!

Very truly yours,

Exec. Dir. ROSA MARIA H. CLEMENTE  
Project Manager, PHILGEPS