DIVISION MEMORANDUM
NO. 616, s.2016

THREE-DAY STEM TRAINING

To:
Ms. Juliet J. Adolfo
Ramon Magsaysay Central Elementary School

Mr. Fermin J. Galo
Ramon Magsaysay Central Elementary School

1. Attached are the copies of the Regional Advisory Number 137 series 2016 dated October 12, 2016 from Atty. Alberto T. Escobarte, CESO III, Regional Director and the invitation-letter from Ms Gina S. Panulde, Branch Manager of the Resources for the Blind, Inc. in partnership with the Overbrooke Nippon Network on Educational Technology (ON_NET) will hold a Three-Day STEM Training on October 27-29, 2016 at Hotel Asia, Don Jose Avila St., Capitol Site, Cebu City.

2. The participation in the above mentioned activity of the identified teachers will be on Official Time Only. Please note that since the activity is not initiated by the Department of Education, no DepEd funds shall be utilized.

3. For more details, you may contact Resources for the Blind, Inc. at (032) 415-0329/0915-2038003 and look for Mr. Ryan Q. Operario between 8:00AM-5:00PM from Monday-Friday.

4. For information and guidance.
REGIONAL ADVISORY No. 1/2016
October 12, 2016

3-Day STEM TRAINING

TO: Schools Division Superintendents

Attention: Division of Digos City and Davao del Norte

1. Attached is a letter from Ms. Gina S. Panulde, Branch Manager of the Resources for the Blind, Inc. in partnership with the Overbrooke Nippon Network on Educational Technology (ON-NET) will hold a Three-day STEM training on October 27-29, 2016 at Hotel Asia, Don Jose Avila St., Capitol site, Cebu City.

2. This Office interposes no objection to the participation in the above mentioned activity of the identified teachers provided that attendance is subject to the discretion of the Schools Division Superintendent and on Official Time Only. The policy on no disruption of classes shall be strictly observed. Considering, however that this activity is not initiated by the Department of Education, no DepEd funds shall be utilized.

3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO IV
Regional Director

Enc: as stated
Reference: DepEd Memorandum 2016

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Dear Atty. Escobarite,

Greetings from Resources for the Blind, Inc.

As an institution advocating for quality education and placement for the blind or visually impaired, we have been facing the reality that these students have been kept out of Science, Technology and Math classes. This problem can be attributed to several reasons, predominantly on access to materials and the shortage of teachers trained to teach these disciplines.

For this purpose, our office in partnership with the Overbrooke Nippon Network on Educational Technology (ON-NET), will hold a 3-day STEM Training on October 27, 29, 2016 at Hotel Asia, Don Jose Avila St., Capitol Site, Cebu City. This training aims to equip Math and Science receiving and resource teachers on the strategies, technologies, instructional materials and other resources vital in teaching to make the curriculum accessible for students with visual impairment.

With this, may we request your office to allow the selected receiving teachers to attend the said training? For your reference, please find attached list of participants.

Below is important information regarding the training:

1. The Resources for the Blind will cover the cost of materials, meals and accommodation during the training period.
2. There will be registration fee of Php 1,500.00/head to defray training expenses.
3. Participants registration fee and travel expenses to and from the venue shall be charged to their local fund, MOOE and/or SPED. Downloaded Funds subject to availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
For confirmation and inquiries please contact Resources for the Blind, Inc. at (032) 475-0329/0915-2038003 and look for Mr. Ryan Q. Operario between 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. from Monday thru Friday.

Thank you very much. Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

GINA S. PANULDE
Branch Director

Cc: Schools Division Superintendent
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