DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 367, series of 2017

CONDUCT OF 2ND QUARTER CY 2017 NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED)

TO: Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary, Junior and Senior High School Heads
School Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Coordinators

June 8, 2017

1. Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 48, s. 2012, entitled, “Quarterly Conduct of the National School Based Earthquake and Fire Drills”, the Department of Education with partner agencies, the Department of National Defense, members of the National Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council, all public and private schools, and DepEd offices and attached agencies are enjoined to undertake the Quarterly Conduct of the National School-Based Earthquake and Fire Drills.

2. This activity aims to generate the highest level of awareness among the public on Disaster Risk Reduction/Climate Change Adaptations concerns and to assess the capacity level of the school and the community in the eventuality of disasters and emergencies.

3. In reference to the Unnumbered Memorandum from the Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council Region XI dated June 8, 2017 re: 2nd Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) CY 2017, the field is hereby informed to participate in the conduct of the said activity on June 29, 2017 at 2:00 PM.

4. A narrative report for this activity shall be submitted to the Division Office and thru email at reyzen.monserate@deped.gov.ph: Attention: Reyzen O. Monserate, PDO II/ Division DRRM Coordinator on or before July 3, 2017.

5. The softcopy of this memorandum can be accessed online at www.depeddigoscity.org/memo.

6. Wide and prompt dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

For and in the absence of:

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1. Reference: NDRRMC Memorandum No. 76 S. 2017 dated June 1, 2017 re Conduct of 2nd Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) CY 2017 scheduled on June 29, 2017 at 2:00pm.

2. As stipulated in RA 10121 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.

3. In view of all OCD/RDRMCs are hereby directed to spearhead the conduct of 2nd Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) CY 2017 on June 29, 2017 at 2:00pm in their respective AOR. The ceremonial site will be at UM Bolton Campus and other business establishments along Bolton Street, Davao City.

4. With this, all RDRMC XI member-agencies are also enjoined to conduct the said activity in your offices. In addition, you are also requested to submit your confirmation with number of personnel on/or before June 13, 2017 thru telfax (082) 297-7915 and or thru email add: ocdXI@yahoo.com.

5. For more inquiries please contact the above-mentioned contact number or look for Mr. Franz Irag focal person thru mobile number 0939-373-0049.

6. For reference and guidance.