DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 100, S. 2020
February 06, 2020

KOREA-PHILIPPINES TEACHER EXCHANGE PROGRAMME 2020

TO: OIC-ASSISTANT SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT
CHIEFS, CID & SGOD
PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT SUPERVISORS
PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL HEADS
SEPS-HRD

1. Pursuant to the enclosed unnumbered Regional Memorandum dated February 4, 2020 relative to a DepEd Memorandum from the Office of the Secretary, Leonor Magtolis-Briones, regarding the Korea-Philippines Exchange Programme 2020, the field is hereby informed of the nomination of candidates for the said program on or before February 6, 2020 through the Office of the Assistant Regional Director, DepEd Regional Office XI, F. Torres St., Davao City.

2. Relative to this, please submit the names of teacher-nominees with their complete documents and means of verifications (MOVs) to Mr. Ronald B. Dedace, SEPS-HRD, on or before February 6, 2020, relative to the six (6) qualifications stated on item 6 of the enclosed DepEd Memorandum.

3. A Division Selection Team shall conduct the screening selection of nominees, and recommend the selected nominees to the Region.

4. The Regional Selection Committee shall select and endorse five (5) candidate-nominees to the National Level on February 7, 2020.

5. For immediate and wide dissemination.

CRISTY C. EPE, CESE
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl: As stated
References: none
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MEMORANDUM

To: OIC – Assistant Regional Director
   Schools Division Superintendents
   Chief, Human Resource Development Division
   Chief, Curriculum and Learning Management Division

Subject: KOREA-PHILIPPINES TEACHER EXCHANGE PROGRAMME 2020

Date: February 4, 2020

In pursuance to the herein DepEd Memorandum from the Office of the Secretary, Leonor Magtolis-Briones regarding the Korea – Philippines Teacher Exchange Programme 2020, this Office enjoins and encourages all Schools Division Offices (SDOs) to send their top three (3) best nominees for the said initiative on or before February 6, 2020 through the Office of the Assistant Regional Director, DepEd Regional Office XI, F. Torres Street, Davao City.

As time is of the essence in this endeavor, this Office advises that all submission must have complete documents and means of verifications (MOVs) relative to the six (6) qualifications stated on item 6 of the said Memorandum.

The following members of the Regional Selection Committee shall facilitate the selection process so that the region will be able to endorse at least Top 5 nominees to the National Level on February 7, 2020:

Chair: Maria Ines C. Asuncion - OIC-Assistant Regional Director
Co-Chair: Lorna F. Mapinogos - Chief, HRDD
Members: Isidra B. Despi - EPS, HRDD
          Analiza C. Almazan - EPS, CLMD
Secretariat: Agnes B. Sagsagat - EPS II, HRDD

Travel and other incidental expenses during the entire conduct of the selection shall be charged to local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired

EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO V
Assistant Regional Director
Officer – In – Charge
Office of the Regional Director
KOREA-PHILIPPINES TEACHER EXCHANGE PROGRAMME 2020

This refers to the Korea-Philippines Teacher Exchange Programme (KPTEP), which was launched in 2012 in line with the Asia-Pacific Teacher Exchange (APTE) for Global Education and on the basis of the Cultural Agreement between the Republic of the Philippines and the Republic of Korea entered into force on April 27, 1973.

With globalization, there is a growing need for educational initiatives to capacitate the next generation to be fully functional global citizens. As the number of students with diverse cultural backgrounds enrolled in primary and secondary schools in Korea and many other multicultural societies in Asia-Pacific is constantly increasing, measures that could effectively respond to these changes in educational environments are also in urgent need. Recalling the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Targets 4.7 and 4.c, the role of qualified teachers is critical to respond to such initiatives, and teacher training through international cooperation is considered an effective way to raise the teachers' global competence.

Against this backdrop, the Korean Ministry of Education (hereinafter MOE Korea) and the Asia-Pacific Centre for International Understanding (hereinafter APCEIU) under the auspices of UNESCO (hereinafter APCEIU) launched the Teacher Exchange Programme between Korea-Mongolia and Korea-Philippines in 2012 with the aim of implementing APTE. Partner countries widened to Indonesia in 2013, Malaysia in 2014, Viet Nam in 2015, Thailand in 2016, and Cambodia in 2017. This programme also contributes to the SDGs targets 4.7 and 4.c, which urge global community of teachers' capacity through international cooperation, so as to
c. Share knowledge and pedagogical skills through their teaching and learning process, and

d. Accomplish and submit the requirements prescribed by Department of Education Philippines and Ministry of Education Korea on time.

6. The KPIEP is open to all regular, special education (SPED), and Alternative Learning System (ALS)-Mobile educators who have the following qualifications:

a. Should have at least five years teaching experience and with at least very satisfactory performance rating.

b. Preferably a Master Teacher.

b. Have not previously received any funding for longer than a month program from Korean government.

d. English language proficient and preferably have basic knowledge in Korean language.

e. Should not be more than 60 years old and physically and mentally fit, and

f. Must possess a valid passport.
7. The screening and selection process shall undergo the following procedures:

- KPTEP Secretariat advises DepEd Regional Offices (ROs) on the Release of the DepEd Memorandum (DM).

- DepEd ROs send the call for nomination via DM to their School Division Offices (SDOs) for the submission of their respective nominees.

- SDOs commence screening and selection of applicants then send an endorsement to the RO for their division nominees.

- ROs receive and commence screening and selection of endorsed nominees from the SDOs then send endorsements to the KPTEP Secretariat for their region's nominees.

- KPTEP Secretariat together with KPTEP Technical Working Group (TWG) receive and commence screening and selection of endorsed nominees from the ROs for selection of final KPTEP delegation.

- KPTEP Secretariat disseminates Memorandum to regions on the final selected KPTEP teachers.

8. It is deemed necessary that the members of the Selection Committee must have an orientation and background in GCED/Teacher Exchange Program and should be available during the entire selection processes. The selection committee shall be composed of:

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9. Teacher applicants are directed to submit pertinent documents enclosed in their portfolio/documentation, which shall likewise include the following with corresponding means of verification:

a. Educational attainment;
b. Innovations and implemented programs in the school/division/region/national;
c. Meritorious achievement;
d. Community and extension services; and
e. Endorsement of the School Head duly approved by the Superintendent.

10. The list of nominees per region and their corresponding profiles must be submitted on or before February 07, 2020 through an official letter sent to the International Cooperation Office and/or e-mailed to ico@deped.gov.ph.

11. For more information, please contact the International Cooperation Office, Ground Floor, Teodora Alonzo Building, Department of Education (DepEd) Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City through email address ico@deped.gov.ph or at telephone no. (02) 8637-6463.

12. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.