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**MEMORANDUM**  
16 February 2022



For: **Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries**  
**Bureau and Service Directors**  
**Regional Directors Concerned**  
**Schools Division Superintendents Concerned**  
**Regional and Division DRRM Coordinators Concerned**  
**Regional and Division Engineers Concerned**  
**Regional and Division IT Focal Persons Concerned**  
**CLMD and CID Focal Persons Concerned**

Subject: **IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TWINNING SYSTEM FOR THE DIVISIONS AFFECTED BY TYPHOON ODETTE**

To strengthen the response, rehabilitation, and recovery efforts of the Department of Education (DepEd) for learners and schools affected by Typhoon Odette (Rai), the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA) through the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) **enjoins the regions and schools division offices concerned to implement the twinning system.**

In the twinning system, concerned unaffected regions and divisions are instructed to mobilize funds, resources, materials, or supplies needed to implement the intended assistance to their twinned affected divisions. However, due to the effects of COVID-19 in the education sector, unaffected regions and divisions may first consider the availability of their own resources and capacity to engage in the twinning system.

It should be noted that if the concerned regions and divisions decide to engage in this mechanism, the activities in the twinning system are not included in the list of expenditures of the Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE) of regions and divisions.

Therefore, the assistance provided by the unaffected divisions should be generated from the mobilization of individual or partner organizations.



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The funds and resources mobilized will be used in the implementation of the following list of activities in the twinning system, including, but not limited to:

1. Conduct of Brigada Eskwela for the immediate repair of minor damages to classrooms and other school facilities;
2. Provision of materials and supplies such as roofing, wall and ceiling accessories, flooring materials, beams, and columns;
3. Provision of materials for the construction of Temporary Learning Spaces (TLS); and
4. Conduct of Psychological First Aid (PFA).

The implementation of the twinning system shall be from **February to March 2022**. Twinned regions or divisions are also instructed to directly coordinate with each other for the finalization of their strategies for the provision of funds, resources, materials, or supplies needed.

Please refer to **Annex A** for the *Proposed List for the Twinning System for Divisions Affected by TY Odette*.

For confirmation of the proposed list and for further queries on the twinning system, please contact Ms. Alessa Estorninos of the DRRMS at 0905-767-8363 (Viber) and email at [alessa.estorninos@deped.gov.ph](mailto:alessa.estorninos@deped.gov.ph) and [drmo@deped.gov.ph](mailto:drmo@deped.gov.ph).

For immediate and appropriate action.

  
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**Annex A**

**Proposed List for the Twinning System  
for Divisions Affected by TY Odette**

| Region | Affected Division | No. of Schools with Damages on Infrastructure (RADaR 1)* | No. of Schools with Damages on Non-Infrastructure (RADaR 2)* | No. of Trained PFA Provider ** | Twin Region    | Twin Division  |
|--------|-------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|----------------|--|
| VI     | Antique           | 29   | 29   | 251                            | CAR/II/<br>III | All Divisions  |
|        | Himamaylan        | 23   | 28   | 31                             |                |  |
|        | Guimaras          | 46   | 12   | 110                            |                |  |
|        | Negros Occidental | 178  | 190  | 517                            |                |  |
|        | Kabankalan        | 39   | 44   | 93                             |                |  |
|        | Sipalay           | 28   | 31   | 25                             |                |  |
|        | La Carlota City   | 15   | 8  | 18                             |                |  |
|        | San Carlos City   | 17   | 9  | 3                              |                |  |
| VII    | Bohol             | 597  | 628  | 428                            | NCR            | Manila, Quezon City, Makati City, and Pasay City               |
|        | Cebu              | 369  | 365  | 732                            |                | Pasig City, Marikina City, Mandaluyong City, and San Juan City |
|        | Mandaue City      | 44   | 41   | 125                            |                | Caloocan City, Malabon City, Navotas City, and Valenzuela City |
|        | Talisay City      | 33   | 16   | 11                             |                | Muntinlupa City, Taguig City, Pateros, Parañaque City, and     |



| Region | Affected Division | No. of Schools with Damages on Infrastructure (RADaR 1)* | No. of Schools with Damages on Non-Infrastructure (RADaR 2)* | No. of Trained PFA Provider ** | Twin Region | Twin Division  |
|--------|-------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|-------------|----------------|
|        |                   |  |  |                                |             | Las Piñas City |
|        | Tagbilaran City   | 5  | 18   | 100                            | IV-A        | All Divisions  |
|        | Carcar City       | 35   | 41   | 17                             |             |                |
|        | Cebu City         | 56   | 48   | 214                            |             |                |
|        | Naga City         | 37   | 35   | 35                             |             |                |
|        | Danao City        | 12   | 8  | 22                             |             |                |
|        | Lapu-Lapu City    | 53   | 29   | 1,816                          |             |                |
|        | Toledo City       | 47   | 58   | 29                             |             |                |
|        | Bais City         | 20   | 30   | 35                             |             |                |
|        | Bayawan City      | 16   | 7  | 50                             |             |                |
|        | Guihulngan City   | 53   | 64   | 44                             |             |                |
|        | Negros Oriental   | 145  | 193  | 275                            |             |                |
|        | Tanjay City       | 8  | 14   | 28                             |             |                |
| VIII   | Maasin City       | 66   | 63   | 51                             | V           | All Divisions  |
|        | Southern Leyte    | 246  | 280  | 155                            |             |                |
|        | Leyte             | 50   | 51   | 1,235                          |             |                |
|        | Baybay City       | 14   | 9  | 4                              |             |                |



|        | Ormoc City          | 5  | 3  | 66                             |             |   |
|--------|---------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|-------------|---|
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| X      | Bukidnon            | -  | 1  | 3                              | IX          | All Divisions   |
|        | Cagayan de Oro City | -  | -  | 199                            |             |   |
|        | Camiguin            | 17   | 5  | 79                             |             |   |
|        | Misamis Oriental    | 13   | 19   | 297                            |             |   |
|        | Gingoog City        | 2  | -  | 1                              |             |   |
|        | Oroquieta City      | 1  | -  | 3                              |             |   |
|        | El Salvador City    | -  | -  | 2                              |             |   |
|        | Iligan City         | -  | -  | 2                              |             |   |
| CARAGA | Dinagat Islands     | 132  | 141  | 109                            | XII         | Sultan Kudarat, N. Cotabato Province, Sarangani and Tacurong Divisions                        |
|        | Siargao             | 133  | 143  | 39                             |             | Koronadal City, Gen. Santos City, South Cotabato, Kidapawan City                              |
|        | Surigao del Norte   | 123  | 133  | 135                            | XI          | Regional Office Proper, Davao del Norte, Davao del Sur, Tagum City, Mati City, Davao Oriental |
|        | Surigao City        | 55   | 57   | 99                             |             | Davao City, Digos City, Davao Occidental, Davao de Oro, Panabo City, IGAGOS                   |

\*Rapid Assessment of Damages Report (RADaR 1 and 2) as of February 14, 2022, 1200H subject to validation and detailed assessment

\*\*Based on EBEIS SY2019-2020. Accounts for Teaching Personnel only.

