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TO : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**
MINISTER OF BASIC, HIGHER, AND TECHNICAL
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FROM : **FRANCIS CESAR B. BRINGAS**
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 (Field Operations, Private Education Office,
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SUBJECT : **PARTICIPATION OF LEARNER-ATHLETES FROM THE**
NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SPORTS TO THE 2023
PALARONG PAMBANSA

DATE : 15 March 2023

This has reference to the proposed participation of the learner-athletes from the National Academy of Sports (NAS) to the **2023 Palarong Pambansa**.

In view of the foregoing, all concerned are informed that NAS learner-athletes are authorized to compete in the *Palarong Pambansa* – particularly the lower meets – and will represent NAS in the divisions/regions where their current residence is situated.

Further, the participation of NAS learner-athletes is subject to the usual screening and accreditation of athletes competing in the *Palarong Pambansa* and must satisfy the requirements set forth in DepEd Memorandum No. 5, s. 2023 entitled *Conduct of the 2023 Palarong Pambansa* and the therein enclosed *Guidelines on the Eligibility of Athletes*.

Additionally, those NAS learner-athletes who will compete in measurable sports, such as athletics, swimming and archery, must meet the qualification standards to be issued in a separate *Palarong Pambansa* Memorandum.

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Immediate dissemination of the Memorandum is desired.