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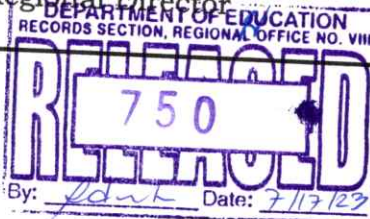
**POSTPONEMENT OF THE RAPID ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES REPORT
 (RADaR) APPLICATION NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS EXERCISE**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
 Division DRRM Coordinators
 School DRRM Coordinators
 School Heads
 All Others Concerned

1. Attached is an Advisory issued by Atty. Christian E. Rivero EdD, Director IV for the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS), dated July 13, 2023, announces the postponement of the conduct of the simulation exercise for the Rapid Assessment of Damages Report (RADaR) Application on July 31, 2023.
2. The aforementioned activity will be rescheduled to a date that aligns with the school calendar, as stated in a separate advisory.
3. To ensure effective communication and proper dissemination of instructions regarding the exercise, the Education Support Services Division (ESSD), in collaboration with the Division DRRM coordinators, kindly requests all school DRRM coordinators to address the following concerns:
 - a. All school DRRM coordinators are required to join the designated social media platform to access inquiry and clarification channels.
 - b. Please register the SIM card associated with the DRRM Information System account before July 25, 2023, to avoid deactivation.
 - c. School DRRM coordinators are strongly encouraged to access the link containing instructional manuals and supplementary reading materials. This will help equip them with comprehensive knowledge and proficiency in utilizing the RADaR application.
 - d. Additionally, we urge you to review and access the infographics prepared by DRRMS, as they will greatly assist in preparing for the forthcoming exercise.
4. Please refer to the attached Advisory for additional details and information consistent with this issuance.
5. Immediate dissemination and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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References: As stated

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

ADVISORY RADaR APPLICATION

SIMULATION EXERCISE

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FOR : **REGIONAL DRRM COORDINATORS**
DIVISION DRRM COORDINATORS
SCHOOL DRRM COORDINATORS

FROM : **ATTY. CHRISTIAN E. RIVERO, EdD**
Director IV, Disaster Risk Reduction & Management Service (DRRMS)

SUBJECT : **POSTPONEMENT OF THE RAPID ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES**
REPORT (RADaR) APP NATIONAL SIMULATION EXERCISE

DATE : 13 July 2023

The Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) issues this advisory regarding the National Simulation Exercise for the RADaR App, which was originally scheduled to take place on July 31, 2023. After due consideration of the urgent concerns expressed by our DRRM coordinators, we have made the decision to postpone the activity until further notice.

The DRRMS will identify an alternative date for the simulation exercise that aligns with the school calendar. Once the new date has been definitively established, we will issue another advisory to inform you of the updated schedule.

Meanwhile, we would like to request all division DRRM coordinators to reiterate the following instructions and announcements in order to ensure effective communication and comprehensive preparedness for the forthcoming exercise:

1. To ensure effective communication and timely dissemination of instructions and announcements related to the exercise, all school DRRM coordinators are required to join the DRRMIS Facebook Group at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/drrmis>. All inquiries and clarifications will also be answered through this channel.
2. To guarantee seamless connectivity and optimize the functionality of the RADaR App, DRRMS would like to emphasize the importance of registering the SIM card associated with your DRRM Information System account **prior to July 25, 2023** to avoid permanent deactivation. Detailed information on the SIM card registration process can be found at: http://bit.ly/RADaR_SIMREG.
3. To equip the coordinators with comprehensive knowledge and proficiency in utilizing the RADaR App, you may access the provided instructional manuals and supplementary reading materials available at: http://bit.ly/RADaR_Resources.
4. To assist in these preparations, the DRRMS instructs all coordinators to review the infographics we have prepared. These infographics are accessible at the following links: <http://bit.ly/RADaRPreps> and http://bit.ly/RADaRPreps_2.

Should you require any further assistance, please do not hesitate to reach out to us through the designated Facebook Group or the DRRMS email at drrmo@deped.gov.ph.

For your appropriate action.