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**Department of Education**  
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

**Advisory No. 01**, s. 2024  
**January 3, 2024**

In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013  
This advisory is issued not for endorsement per DO 28, s. 2001,  
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**3<sup>RD</sup> REGIONAL PHILIPPINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS  
ASSOCIATION (PESPA)**

Attached is a communication letter from Dr. Jay G. Abia, President of PESPA Region VIII, announcing the conduct of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Regional PESPA Convention on February 15 – 17, 2024 at Tacloban Astrodome, Tacloban City.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

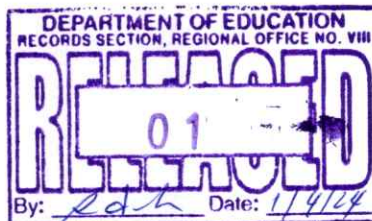
More information may be inquired from:

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Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

  
**EVELYN R. FETALVERO CESO IV**  
Regional Director *br*

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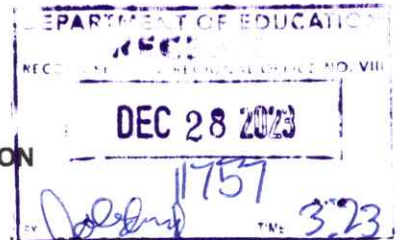




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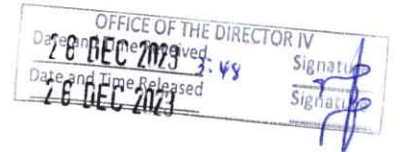


**PHILIPPINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION**  
DepEd Region VIII, Government Center, Palo, Leyte



December 27, 2023

**DR. EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV**  
Regional Director  
Department of Education- Region VIII  
Gov't. Center Candahug, Palo, Leyte



Dear RD Dr. Fetalvero;

Greetings!

The Philippine Elementary School Principals Association (PESPA) of the Department of Education Region VIII requests permission from your good office to conduct the 3rd Regional PESPA Convention with the theme *"School Heads Leadership in Addressing Basic Education Academic Challenges in Support to DepEd MATATAG Agenda through Innovation and Artificial Intelligence"* on February 15-17, 2024 to be held at the Tacloban Astrodome, Tacloban City.

The objectives of the convention are the following;

1. Capacitate school heads on DepEd MATATAG program.
2. Equip school heads in addressing academic challenges.
3. Strengthen school heads' innovative instructional leadership.
4. Cultivate artificial intelligence through effective school management.

There will be a registration fee of **three thousand eight hundred pesos (P3,800.00)** required from the participants to cover expenses for the convention kits, t-shirts, meals/snacks and other incidental expenses relative to the conduct of the activity which will be charged to School MOOE/Local funds subject to usual auditing and accounting rules and regulations.

The participants are the principals, head teachers and teacher-in-charge of DepEd Region VIII. Respectfully requesting the Schools Division Superintendent to encourage attendance of all school heads in their respective schools division offices, we shall likewise humbly extend an invitation to all Schools Division Superintendent, it would be a pleasure and an honor for PESPA to have with them during the convention.

Confirmation of attendance of participants must be through online registration following this link, <http://tinyurl.com/3rdPESPAR8>, the deposit slip of the registration fee must be uploaded in the online registration. Deadline of online registration will be on February 10, 2024.

Payment of the Registration Fee shall be made through this bank:

**Account Name: Philippine Elementary School Principals Association (PESPA)**  
**LANDBANK Branch - DECS Extension Office – Account Number: 3341- 0192-30**  
**EASTWEST BANK: EDSA - Howmart – Account Number: 200018188073**

For more information, please contact no: 09171144062/ email add; [pespa.r8@gmail.com](mailto:pespa.r8@gmail.com) or to Division PESPA President.

Anticipating your favorable approval on this request. God bless and more power

Very truly yours;

  
**JAY G. ABIA, EdD.**  
President, PESPA Region VIII



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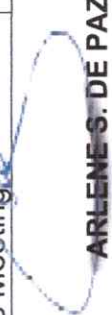



**PHILIPPINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION (PESPA) CONVENTION**  
 DepEd Region VIII, Government Center, Palo, Leyte

**3<sup>rd</sup> REGIONAL PHILIPPINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION (PESPA) CONVENTION**

February 15-17, 2023 | Tacloban Astrodome, Tacloban City

**Theme: School Heads Leadership in Addressing Academic Challenges in Support to DepEd MATATAG**  
**Agenda through Innovation and Artificial Intelligence.**

**TRAINING MATRIX**

February 15, 2024 (Wednesday)	February 16, 2024 (Thursday)	February 17, 2024 (Friday)
8:30 – 9:00 - Arrival	8:30-9:00 - Preliminaries	8:30-9:00 - Preliminaries
9:00 – 11:00 - Registration of participants through the respective Division PESPA President	9:00 - 10:30 - <b>DepEd MATATAG Program</b> 10:30 - 12:00 - <b>MATATAG: An avenue to effective School Leadership</b>	9:00 – 10:30 - <b>Cultivating Artificial Intelligence</b> 10:30 – 12:00 - <b>Instructional Leadership Practices aligned with MATATAG Agenda</b>
LUNCH BREAK		
1:00 -3:00 – <b>Opening Program</b> In-Charge: PESPA Tacloban  Keynote Speaker: <b>VP Sarah Z. Duterte</b> DepEd Secretary Inspirational Message: <b>Dr. Evelyn R. Fetalvero, CESO IV</b> Regional Director, DepEd R8	1:00 – 2:30 - <b>Empowerment in addressing basic education academic challenges</b>  2:30 - 5:00 - <b>Upskilling Innovations in School</b>	1:00 – 2:30 - <b>SBM: School Head's Authority, Responsibility and Accountability</b>  2:30 – 5:00 – Closing Program <b>Hon. Mayor Alfred S. Romualdez</b> City Mayor <b>Dr. Evelyn R. Fetalvero, CESO IV</b> Regional Director
<b>PESPA Officers Meeting</b>  <b>JAY G. ABIA, EdD.</b> President   <b>JEFFREY M. CAWALING</b> Secretary	<b>PESPA Officers Meeting</b>  <b>ELDEN B. FUENTES, EdD.</b> Vice President – Samar   <b>IMELDA GAYAS</b> Treasurer	<b>Home Sweet Home</b>  <b>ARLENE S. DE PAZ</b> Vice President -Leyte   <b>HERMAN D. DONATO</b> Auditor   <b>MELCHOR D. LACDAO, PhD.</b> Business Manager   <b>DEOLITO Y. CACAIT</b> Information Officer