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Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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**RENAMING OF BATUAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TO
ZACARIAS G. BUSCAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

To: Schools Division Superintendent
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to the recommendation from the National Historical Commission of the Philippines relative to the request for the renaming of school, the Department of Education Regional Office No. 8 through the Quality Assurance Division (QAD) announces the change of name of school from **Batuan Elementary School to Zacarias G. Buscay Elementary School**, effective **March 27, 2025** in honor of the late Zacarias Gaturian Buscay, donor of the school lot.
2. To preserve the historicity, it is advised that the old name of the school, which has been sanctified by usage by the residents of the community, be placed beneath the new name as follows:

ZACARIAS G. BUSCAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

(Formerly Batuan Elementary School)

3. Copies of this issuance shall be posted at the Regional Office, Division Office, Municipality/ City Halls, Schools and other conspicuous places for reference and information of the general public.
4. The Schools Division Superintendent of Leyte Division is advised to facilitate the updating of data and profile of the aforementioned school in the Enhanced Basic Education Information System (EBEIS) and Learners Information System (LIS) and to monitor the implementation of this issuance.
5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this memorandum are desired.



[Signature]
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Enclosure: None

References: DepEd Order No. 40 s. 2014

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