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REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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**2025 EASTERN VISAYAS BASIC EDUCATION RESEARCH AND
INNOVATION FORUM (EVBERIF)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Regional Office Division Chiefs
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. To provide a valuable opportunity for knowledge sharing, research dissemination, and collaboration among education professionals in the region, this Office, through the Policy, Planning, and Research Division (PPRD), will conduct the **Eastern Visayas Basic Education Research and Innovation Forum (EVBERIF)** on November 20–21, 2025. The venue will be announced in a separate issuance.
2. This year's conference is anchored on the theme "*Championing Research and Innovation with Ethics, Integrity, and Excellence in Eastern Visayas Education*" and aims to:
 - a. showcase the best educational research papers and innovations on basic education curriculum and governance conducted toward strategically improving access, quality and governance of basic education;
 - b. provide an avenue for researchers and innovators and DepEd Officials to interact and learn from experts and other researchers on how to strengthen evidence-based policy formulation; and
 - c. promote a culture of research and innovation in the region.
3. The list of official participants and qualified research/innovation entries, as well as the program of activities, guidelines for participation, and other administrative arrangements, shall be issued in a separate memorandum.
4. No registration fee shall be collected. The operational costs including board and lodging for participants, guests, and facilitators; advocacy materials; venue rental; conference materials; and tarpaulins shall be charged to the downloaded funds to SDO Ormoc City.

5. Honoraria for external judges and resource persons, as well as other related expenses, shall be charged to the Policy, Planning, and Research Division (PPRD) Local/Training Funds. Meanwhile, the travel and other incidental expenses of the participants shall be charged to their respective local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this memorandum are desired.



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Enclosures: As stated

References: As stated

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects
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