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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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FROM : **WILFREDO E. CABRAL, CESO III**
 Regional Director

SUBJECT : **ATTENDANCE TO THE WORKSHOP ON
 THE DEVELOPMENT OF TRAINING
 SESSION GUIDES FOR SKILL BUILDING
 ON ADDRESSING ISSUES ON CHILDREN
 IN SITUATIONS OF ARMED CONFLICT
 (CSAC)**

DATE : May 10, 2023

1. In reference to the attached Memorandum OUOPS No. 2023-07-399, dated April 26, 2023, from **ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**, Undersecretary for Operations, contents of which is self-explanatory.
2. Particular attention is attached to this Memorandum *Enclosure 1* - List of writers for the workshop on the development of training session guides for skill-building on addressing issues on children in situations of armed conflict (CSAS) for information and guidance.
3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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FROM : 
ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO
Undersecretary
Operations 

SUBJECT : **Attendance to the Workshop on the Development of Training Session Guides for Skill-building on Addressing Issues on Children in Situations of Armed Conflict (CSAC)**

DATE : April 26, 2023

This has reference to the conduct of the **Workshop on the Development of Training Session Guides for Skill-building on Addressing Issues on Children in Situations of Armed Conflict (CSAC)** by the Learner Rights and Protection Office (LRPO) on **May 15-19, 2023** at the **National Educators Academy of the Philippines-Region II, Tuguegarao City, Cagayan**.

The activity aims to contribute to the development of a skill-building program to capacitate the Regional Office (RO) and Schools Division Office (SDO) learner rights and protection focal persons on handling and responding to various CSAC concerns affecting learners within their jurisdiction.

Specifically, at the end of the workshop, the participants are expected to:

- A. draft session guides for skill-building on addressing CSAC issues;
- B. incorporate the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child, Philippine laws, and DepEd policies related to child protection and CSAC in the session guides; and
- C. aid the RO and SDO focal persons in the construction of new knowledge about CSAC and addressing CSAC issues.



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In view of this, we would like to request the participation of the writers listed in **Enclosure 1** in the aforesaid activity. They have been selected from a pool of writers based on their prior engagement with LRPO as writers and trainers.

Further, we request the **regional learner rights and protection focal persons of the regions listed in Enclosure 2 to select one (1) registered guidance counselor within their region to participate in the activity.** The regions have been identified based on the occurrence of armed conflict in the region and its vicinity.

For confirmation of attendance and administrative preparation, identified participants are requested to accomplish the online registration form on or before **May 10, 2023** through this link: <https://tinyurl.com/CSAC-PreReg>.

Travel expenses of the participants shall be charged against local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Enclosed is the indicative program for your reference (**Enclosure 3**).

For any clarification and concern, feel free to contact us through the following LRPO staff:

1. Mr. Clint Richard Chua at mobile number (+63 908-812-1720) or email at clint.chua@deped.gov.ph; or
2. Ms. Xylene Angelique Azurin at landline number (+632 8632-1782) or email at xylene.azurin@deped.gov.ph.

Thank you very much.



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ENCLOSURE 1

List of Writers for the Workshop on the Development of Training Session Guides for Skill-building on Addressing Issues on Children in Situations of Armed Conflict (CSAC)

Region	Schools Division Office	Name	Designation	School
I	Dagupan City	Reymond N. Villare	Principal II	Gen. Gregorio Del Pilar Elementary School
III	Malolos City	Wilfred G. dela Cruz	Head Teacher III	San Agustin Elementary School
		Crispino L. Parule Jr.	Head Teacher III	Mabolo Elementary School
IV-A	Batangas City	Maria Vinnah C. Delgado	Education Program Supervisor II	SDO
		Aiza E. Dela Roca	Head Teacher I	Dela Paz Pulot Elementary School
	Tanauan City	Dennis B. Masangcay	Education Program Supervisor	SDO
	Antipolo City	Frendie V. Nerveza	Principal I	Cupang Elementary School - Annex
VI	Sagay City	Joe Arvy S. Natan	Head Teacher I	Uychiat Elementary School



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	Iloilo	Roger Z. Rochar	Assistant Schools Division Superintendent	SDO
IX	Zamboanga City	Boysie A. Santiago	Head Teacher II	Culianan National High School
XI	Davao City	Elsie E. Gagabe	Education Program Supervisor	SDO
		Doris Amabelle R. Emperador	Education Program Supervisor II	SDO
XII	Cotabato	Ricky L. Patina	Principal I	Tulunan National High School
NCR	Pasig City	Rolando C. Julian	Public Schools District Supervisor	SDO
	Manila	Angelita Z. Modesto	Public Schools District Supervisor	SDO



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ENCLOSURE 2

List of Regions with Registered Guidance Counselor (RGC) Participants for the Workshop on the Development of Training Session Guides for Skill-building on Addressing Issues on Children in Situations of Armed Conflict (CSAC)

Region	Number of RGC Participants
II	1
MIMAROPA	1
V	1
VI	1
VIII	1
IX	1
X	1
XI	1



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ENCLOSURE 3

Indicative Program
Workshop on the Development of Training Session Guides for Skill-building on
Addressing Issues on Children in Situations of Armed Conflict (CSAC)
May 15-19, 2023
NEAP-Region II, Tuguegarao City

Day 0: May 15, 2023		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Person in Charge</i>
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Arrival of Participants	
3:00 PM	PM SNACK	
6:00 PM	DINNER	
Day 1: May 16, 2023		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Person in Charge</i>
8:00 AM - 8:15 AM	Registration of Participants	LRPO
8:15 AM - 9:00 AM	OPENING CEREMONY Prayer Pambansang Awit	Host DepEd Region II
	Welcome Remarks	Florante E. Vergara <i>OIC-Regional Director</i> DepEd Region II
	Inspirational Message	Atty. Revsee A. Escobedo <i>Undersecretary for Operations</i>
	Introduction of the Participants and Leveling of Expectations	Ms. Xylene Angelique G. Azurin <i>Senior Technical Assistant I,</i> LRPO
9:00 AM - 10:35 AM	House Rules Ice Breaker	Host DepEd Region II
	Child Protection and Children Affected by Armed Conflict Open Forum	Ms. Rodeliza Barrientos- Casado <i>Child Protection Specialist,</i> UNICEF



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		Ms. Caroline Pajaron <i>Child Protection Officer, UNICEF</i>
10:35 AM - 10:45 AM	HEALTH BREAK	
10:45 AM - 12:20 PM	Overview of Monitoring and Reporting Mechanism at the Global and National Level Open Forum	Ms. Rodeliza Barrientos-Casado <i>Child Protection Specialist, UNICEF</i> Ms. Caroline Pajaron <i>Child Protection Officer, UNICEF</i>
12:20 PM - 1:20 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:20 PM - 2:55 PM	Republic Act No. 11188, also known as the "Special Protection of Children in Situations of Armed Conflict Act" Open Forum	Ms. Victoria Diaz <i>Officer-in-Charge</i> Child Rights Center Commission on Human Rights
2:55 PM - 3:05 PM	HEALTH BREAK	
3:05 PM - 4:40 PM	Overview of International Humanitarian Law Open Forum	Atty. Allelu de Jesus <i>Legal Adviser</i> International Committee of the Red Cross
4:40 PM - 5:00 PM	Wrap-up Session	Ms. Ma. Phoebe D. Agao <i>Technical Assistant II, LRPO</i>
Day 2: May 17, 2023		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Person in Charge</i>
7:45 AM - 8:00 AM	Registration of Participants	LRPO
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Management of Learning	Session Guide Writers
8:30 AM - 10:00 AM	DepEd Issuances on Children of situations in Armed Conflict (CSAC)	Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service DepEd Central Office
10:00 - 10:15 AM	HEALTH BREAK	



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10:15 AM - 12:00 PM	Workshop on the Session Guide Topics (continued)	BLD, BAE, and Resource Persons
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 - 3:00 PM	Workshop on the Session Guide Contents	BLD, BAE, and Resource Persons
3:00 - 3:15 PM	HEALTH BREAK	
3:15 - 4:45 PM	Workshop on the Session Guide Contents (continued)	BLD, BAE, and Resource Persons
4:45 - 5:00 PM	Wrap-up Session	Ms. Ma. Phoebe D. Agao <i>Technical Assistant II, LRPO</i>
6:00 PM	DINNER	
Day 3 May 18, 2023		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Person in Charge</i>
7:45 AM - 8:00 AM	Registration of Participants	LRPO
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Management of Learning	Session Guide Writers
8:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Writeshop Proper	All Participants
10:00 - 10:15 AM	HEALTH BREAK	
10:15 AM - 12:00 PM	Writeshop Proper	All Participants
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 - 3:00 PM	Writeshop Proper	All Participants
3:00 - 3:15 PM	HEALTH BREAK	
3:15 - 4:45 PM	Writeshop Proper	All Participants



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4:45 – 5:00 PM	Wrap-up Session	Ms. Ma. Phoebe D. Agao <i>Technical Assistant II, LRPO</i>
6:00 PM	DINNER	
Day 4 May 19, 2023		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Person in Charge</i>
7:45 AM - 8:00 AM	Registration of Participants	LRPO
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Management of Learning	CO Participants
8:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Presentation of Outputs	All Participants
10:00 – 10:15 AM	HEALTH BREAK	
10:15 AM - 11:30 AM	Agreements and Ways Forward	Host DepEd Region II
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	CLOSING CEREMONY Response from the Participants Awarding of Certificates Closing Remarks Closing Prayer	Atty. Suzette T. Gannaban-Medina <i>Officer-in-Charge Director III,</i> LRPO Dr. Ryan R. Pacquing <i>Regional Focal Person</i> DepEd Region II
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	LUNCH BREAK	
1:00 PM	Home Sweet Home	