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This is to inform that the Teachers' Dignity Coalition will be holding a National Seminar on Culture and Arts for Teachers on February 17-19, 2017 at the Quirino Hall, Teachers' Camp, Baguio City.

Attached is a letter from Mr. Benjo Basas, National Chairperson, Teachers' Dignity Coalition and list of participants who are invited to attend the abovementioned activity, for reference and information.

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Teachers' Dignity Coalition

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DR. MALCOLM S. GARMA
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Sir:

Greetings of Peace!

The **Teachers' Dignity Coalition (TDC)** and its cultural group, **SINAG- Sining ng Ating Guro** will be holding the National Workshop on Culture and Arts for Teachers on February 17-19, 2017 at the Quirino Hall of Teachers' Camp, Baguio City. The theme for the seminar will be "**Sining at Kalinangan para sa Mabisang Pagtuturo.**"

The workshop is the second part of our December event which was affected by Typhoon Nina, and out of some 200 expected participants, only around 60 made it to the training. Thus, we decided to hold another training for wider audience, including those who failed to join the original schedule. This time, the event would be more significant because February is celebrated as National Arts Month.

The specific objectives of the workshop are:

1. To improve the skills and talents of our teachers in the specific field of arts through discussions and actual training;
2. To be able to compile literary works that can be used as reference material in teaching;
3. To develop modules using arts in teaching different subjects; and
4. To establish a teachers' cultural group that would lead the teachers' movement in its creative and artistic expression

The simultaneous workshops that include *dance, theatre arts, music and creative writing* will be attended by some 250 teacher-artists from the NCR and other regions. To ensure a wide range of artistic influence, we invited artists and cultural workers from the academe, literary circle and entertainment industry as trainers in this workshop. A registration fee of P2, 500.00 shall be collected from each participant to cover the expenses for the seminar.

In this light, we would like to request your support by endorsing the official attendance of teachers in the attached list in their respective school heads and schools division superintendents. We would also like to request that the P2, 500 registration fee and the transportation cost be sourced against any available funds, canteen funds or SEF/LGU sponsorship to enable our teachers to participate.

Interested teachers who are not in the list may join provided that they make arrangement with the secretariat. Registration time is on February 17, 1:00PM and check-out time will be on the 12:00NN of February 19, accommodation beyond those schedules shall be at participant's expense. For details, interested parties may communicate Ms. Darlene Loro of TDC Secretariat at (02) 4446564/ 0939-8800759 or with the undersigned at 0927-3356375.

The deadline for confirmation of attendance is on February 15, Wednesday.

Thank you very much and we anticipate your continued support.

Respectfully yours,

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