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DIVISION ADVISORY

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SURIGAO INTERVARSITY PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP (SIPDC)

TO: The Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Curriculum Implementation Division Chief
Schools Governance and Operations Division Chief
Secondary School Principals and School Heads
This Division

1. Attached herewith is the unnumbered Regional Advisory dated December 4, 2019 and the invitation letter from Raxiey G. Adolfo, Executive Director, Surigao Youth Convergence (SYC) re: **Surigao Interschool Parliamentary Debate Championship (SIPDC)** on February 21-23, 2020 at Surigao Norte National High School (SNNHS), Surigao City.
2. As partner of Surigao Youth Convergence (SYC) in the holistic development and empowerment of the youth, junior and senior high school students of this Division are hereby encouraged to join the said tournament.
3. This invitation is relevant and educational which aims to empower students and develop their critical thinking and communication skills through debates.
4. Teachers who will be coaching/mentoring our interested students to this tournament shall be entitled to 1.5 day x 2 Service Credit (SC) in accordance with DO 53, s. 2003 entitled *Updated Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers*.
5. Note that schools can only send one (1) teacher-coach per Debate's Participation and Eligibility, to serve as guardian of the students, regardless of the number of teams each school have.
6. For more information on the Debate's Mechanics and Calendar, please refer to the attached letter from the Surigao Youth Convergence.

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