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Schools Division of Tabuk City
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

April 12, 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. ______ s. 2021

TO

Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

DESIGNATION OF SCHOOL INFORMATION COORDINATORS

- Relative to DepEd Memorandum no. 17 s. 2021, a School Information Coordinators (SIC) shall be designated in every public elementary, secondary and senior high school as counterpart of the Division and Regional Information Officers.
- 2. Thus, the Department fully recognizes the importance of SICs in ensuring that communications convergence is coordinated and strengthened from the schools to the national level.
- 3. The designated SICs shall be tasked to:
 - Assist and act as focal persons in verifying and addressing issues and concerns raised by the public and the media involving their school or area;
 - b. Facilitate the conduct of verification of information based on protocols, data privacy, integrity and confidentiality;
 - Facilitate the communication of any untoward incidents in their respective areas, and submit a detailed report within 24 hours to DepEd Central Office (CO) Public Affairs Service (PAS) copy furnished their respective regional and schools division offices;
 - d. Provide updates to the school's division, region or CO that may be referred to in media releases to national media;
 - e. Support their respective schools, school's division, and regional offices in responding to media queries on local issues;
 - f. Coordinate with the school's division, regional or CO to request for official statements on existing issues;
 - g. Perform duties and responsibilities related to DepEd Public Affairs programs, projects and activities; and

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- h. Perform other tasks related to the efficient communication, documentation and dissemination of information to DepEd CO and vice versa.
- 4. The designated SICs should be:
 - Holding a teaching or non-teaching position in the school;
 - b. At least two or three years employed in DepEd;
 - c. Able to communicate and write well, and have good public relations skills; and
 - d. Able to respond to issues and concerns requested by the school's division, regional or the Central Office.
- 5. The designation of a teacher to perform as SIC shall be recommended by the school head to the Schools Division Superintendent (SDS) for approval.
- 6. Deadline of submission will be on or before May 14, 2021.
- 7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure to Division Memo Nos. 2	2021	
Designation Name:	of School Information Coo	ordinator (SIC)
Position:		
School and District:		
Contact Details (mobile, email, F	B account):	
		Signature Over Printed Name
Recommended by:	Approved by:	
Principal/School Head	Schools Division Superintendent	

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