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**Department of Education**  
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION  
**Schools Division of Tabuk City**



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Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 470, s. 2026

**DISSEMINATION OF REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 637, S. 2026, RE: PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN DEPED-CAR GRANTED AUTOMATIC GOVERNMENT RECOGNITION FOR THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM**

**To:** Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors/Chiefs of Functional Divisions  
Public School District Supervisors  
All Public and Private Elementary and Secondary/Integrated School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. This Office hereby disseminates Regional Memorandum No. 637, s. 2026, titled "*Dissemination of Private Schools in DepEd-CAR Granted Automatic Government Recognition for the Senior High School Program*", for the information and guidance of all parties concerned.

2. Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 012, s. 2026 (*Government Recognition of Private Basic Education Institutions Offering the Senior High School Program*), the regional memorandum provides the official list of private Senior High Schools (SHSs) in the Cordillera Administrative Region granted Automatic Government Recognition for School Year 2026-2027.

3. All concerned private schools are reminded to maintain continuous compliance with DepEd Order No. 012, s. 2026, and applicable educational standards. Further, the policy states that starting in SY 2027-2028, only private SHS with full Government Recognition can admit Grade 11 students under the government's SHS Voucher Program.

4. Relative to this, **private SHS that are not included in the list and have not been granted automatic recognition are hereby instructed again to submit to the Division Office their applications for recognition by November 30, 2026**, following Section VI of DO 12, s. 2026, and all applicable Annexes. All applications shall be forwarded to the Regional Office by December 29, 2026.

5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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**Encls: As stated**

**References: DepEd Order 12, s. 2026**

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