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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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DISTRIBUTION OF PRACTICE TESTS FOR NAT REVIEW

To: Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
All Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
This Division

Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 08, s. 2013, this division informs you that the Regional Office is ready for the distribution of Practice Test Materials for the Intensive Review of National Achievement Test (NAT) on March 6, 2013 for Fourth Year students of public and private schools (census); March 12, 2013 for Grade III pupils of public and Madrasah schools; March 13, 2013 for Grade VI pupils of public and private schools (census).

For more information and guidance, please read the enclosed Regional Advisory dated January 8, 2013.

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Schools Division Superintendent

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REGION 10 – NORTHERN MINDANAO**

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 08, s. 2013

To : All Schools Division Superintendents
This Region

From : ALLAN G. BARNAZO, Ph.D., CESO V
Regional Director

Date : January 8, 2013

RE : Distribution of Practice Tests For NAT Review

1. Please be informed that the Regional Office is ready for the distribution of Practice Test Materials for the Intensive Review of National Achievement Test (NAT) on March 6, 2013 for Fourth Year students of public and private schools(census); March 12, 2013 for Grade III pupils of public and Madrasah schools; March 13, 2013 for Grade VI pupils of public and private schools (census).
2. The Practice Test Materials are in booklet form of two (2) sets, (*Set A and B*). See Enclosure for the Guidelines/Mechanics in the conduct of the Practice Test.
3. The following Education Program Supervisors (EPS) of the Regional Office are directed to ensure the proper delivery of the said materials and oversee the conduct of the said activity in their respective assigned divisions:

Regional Supervisors	Assigned Divisions	Date of Delivery and Supervision
1. Raymund S. Antolo	Bukidnon North (Baungon , Talakag & Malitbog Areas)	January 10-18, 2013
2. Joy L. Sabanpan	Bukidnon North (Kisolon, Sumilao, Manolo Fortich, San Fernando I & II and Cabanglasan, Lantapan)	January 10-18, 2013
3. Restituta Y. Almonia	Bukidnon South (Kalilangan, I & II, Pangantucan I & II, Kadingilan, Danulog, Kibawe, Dancagan, Don Carlos)	January 10-18, 2013
4. Rogelio J. Bahian	Bukidnon South (Quezon 1 & 2, Kitao-ao I & 2, Maramag, Kiburiao, Salawagan)	January 10-18, 2013
5. Eusebio Aguanta	Cagayan de Oro City	January 10-18, 2013
6. Medarda B. Galarrita	Camiguin	January 10-18, 2013
7. Rosita Yburan	Oroquieta City	January 10-18, 2013

8. Norven G. Baylan	Gingoog City	January 10-18, 2013
9. Mala Epra B. Magnaong	Iligan City	January 10-18, 2013
10. Lucelle F. Tesoro	Lanao del Norte 2 (Marquanding to SND & Kapatagan)	January 10-18, 2013
11. Shambaeh A. Usman	Lanao del Norte 1 (Linamon to Kolambugan etc)	January 10-18, 2013
12. Laurencia O. Llagas	Malaybalay City	January 10-18, 2013
13. Rolando Butalid	Mis. Occ 2. (Plaridel to Sapang Dalaga, Concepcion, Baliangao, Lopez Jaena, Calamba, etc)	January 10-18, 2013
14. Jose Alonsabe	Mis Occ. 1 (Clarín, Jiminez, Tudela, Panaon, Aloran, Bonifacio, Don Victorino etc)	January 10-18, 2013
15. Ninian A. Alcasid	Mis. Or. West (Lugait, Maticao, Naawan, Initao, Libertad, Gitagum, Laguindingan, Alubijid, Opol, and El Salvador City)	January 10-18, 2013
16. Josephine Valledor	Mis. Or. East (Tagoloan, Villanueva, Jasaan, Balingasag, Lagonglong, Sugbongcogon, Kinoguitan, Talisayan, Balingoan, Medina, Magsaysay I & 2, Claverai)	January 10-18, 2013
17. Elesio M. Maribao	Ozamiz City	January 10-18, 2013
18. Rodrigo G. Jumamoy	Tangub City	January 10-18, 2013
19. Rogelio C. Evangelista	Valencia City	January 10-18, 2013

4. Attached are the Guidelines in conducting the Intensive Review, Key to Corrections, Answer Sheets patterned from the NAT.

5. Travel and other incidental expenses incurred by the Education Program Supervisors shall be charged against the Regional Office Funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing policies, rules and regulations.

6. For information and compliance.



**MECHANICS IN THE CONDUCT OF THE PRACTICE TESTS
 For SY 2012-2013**

1. The Practice Test will be conducted to all pupils/students in Grade III, VI and 4th Year of both public and private schools after the conduct of the 3rd Grading Examination. These are in Test Booklet Form which consist of two (2) Sets. These sets will be conducted following the scheme of *Pretest-(Monday)-Supervised Study (Tuesday)-Midweek Test(Wednesday)-Supervised Study (Thursday)-Mastery Test (Friday)*. Set A will be conducted first by the class adviser. Answer sheets will be turned-over to the subject teacher for checking and the least learned competencies/items in the *Pretest* will be the basis for intensive review during the *Supervised Study on Tuesday*. The same set of booklet will be conducted for the *Midweek Test on Wednesday*. Another *Supervised Study on Thursday* then use the same test booklet for the *Mastery Test on Friday*. Pupils/students' scores obtained during the *Mastery Test* shall be recorded and credited to quizzes for the fourth grading period.

2. Once *Mastery Learning* has been achieved. *Set B* will be given after a-week interval following the same strategy or scheme used in *Set A*.

- The Over-All Chairman is the Regional Director Dr. Allan G. Farnazo while the Co-Chairs are Chief Wilfreda T. Famador of Elementary and Secondary Education Division and Chief Amor Teresa G. Mariano of Alternative Learning System (ALS) division.

- All Education Program Supervisors of the Region are directed to oversee the distribution of the Practice Tests in their respective assigned division and districts. They are going to conduct the monitoring in the conduct of the Intensive NAT Review and conduct the **Post Test Two(2) weeks** before the conduct of the Actual NAT of NETRC.

- Since there are only three (3) copies of test booklets per school per levels, the PSDS/School Head and subject teachers are requested to reproduce the Practice Test and NAT Answer Sheets corresponding to the number of pupils in the class to lighten the voluminous work of the division supervisors.

- The Test Results of both Sets A & B during the Mastery Test shall be recorded and the MPS will be computed. The PSDS will analyze the test results of each school under her/his supervision and submit the same to the Division Office. The Division Testing Coordinator will submit the result and indorsed by the SDS to the Regional Director. Attn. Dr. Rogelio J. Bahian.

- A week before the conduct of the Actual NETRC NAT, the Regional EPS will conduct a random post testing to the following type of schools: in each district:

- 1 Central School
- 1 non-Central school
- 1 private elementary school(with DepED Permit)
- 1 private secondary school(with DepED Permit)
- 1 multi-grade/hinterland complete elementary school
- 1 Integrated elementary/secondary school(if available)

- In case there is no available multi-grade classes in the district, the complete hinterland school shall be tested (at least 5 kms away from the national highway).


- Time allotment for testing for every subject is 45 minutes.

- The Test Results must be analyzed and interpreted in terms of Mastery Level.

- The Interpretations will be based on the following:

Mastery Level	Evaluation/Interpretation	Recommendation
MPS of 75% & up	with Mastery	Give more challenging exercises
MPS of 51.00% - 74.00%	Nearing Mastery	Re-teaching
MPS of below 50%	No Mastery	Individualized Coaching/Tutorials

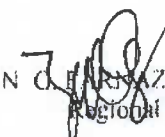
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