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TO: Chief Education Supervisor – CID
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Elementary School Heads
Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned
This Division

FROM: *Edilberto L. Oplenaria*
EDILBERTO L. OPLENARIA, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

DATE: June 30, 2015

SUBJECT: DISSEMINATION OF REGIONAL ADVISORY DATED JUNE 24, 2015 RE: 4TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EMPATHY AND DIVERSITY: A TRAINING-WORKSHOP ON A RESEARCH-BASED SOMATIC CURRICULUM TO ADDRESS BULLYING IN SCHOOLS

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned attached is the Regional advisory dated June 24, 2015 re: 4th International Conference on Empathy and Diversity: a Training-Workshop on a Research-based Somatic Curriculum to Address Bullying in Schools, the content of which is self-explanatory.
2. Immediate and wide dissemination of this advisory is highly desired.

Attached:
Regional Advisory
To be posted in the website



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X- NORTHERN MINDANAO



Fr. Masterson Avenue, Zone 1, Upper Balulang, Carmen
Cagayan de Oro City

Regional Advisory
No. 02, s. 2015

TO : **SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS**
This Region

FROM : **ATTY. SHIRLEY D. CHATTO**
Chief, Administrative Officer
Officer In-Charge
Office of the Regional Director

Date: June 24, 2015

Subject: 4th International Conference on Empathy and Diversity: a Training –
Workshop on a Research- based Somatic Curriculum to Address Bullying In
Schools.

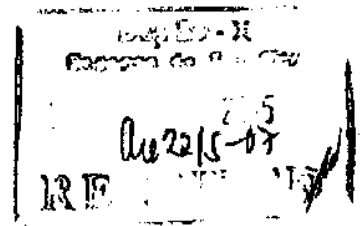
Enclosed is the letter of **PRIMITIVO C. RAGANDANG III**, Philippine Director, and Move This World. Inc., re: 4th International Conference on Empathy and Diversity: a Training Workshop on a Research-based Somatic Curriculum to Address Bullying in Schools on August 21-23, 2015 at Reyna's the Haven and Gardens, New Calceta St., Cogon, Tagbillran City, Bohol.

For information and appropriate action.



June 22, 2015

Atty. Shirley Chato
DepEd Regional Director
Department of Education-X
Cagayan de Oro City



Dear Atty. Chato:

Move This World, Inc. will hold its 4th International Conference on Empathy and Diversity: a Training-Workshop on a Research-based Somatic Curriculum to Address Bullying in Schools on August 21-23, 2015 in Reyna's the Haven and Gardens, New Calceta St., Cogon, Tagbilaran City, Bohol, The Philippines. School Administrators, Guidance Counselors and Child Protection Officers are the target participants. The conference aims at helping schools augment its anti-bullying programs as directed through Department of Education Order No. 55 s. 2013 (also known as the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act 10627).

The main objective of the conference is to introduce innovative and creative ways of preventing bullying in schools as anchored on the research-based empathy education curriculum owned and developed by Move This World, Inc., a non-profit organization based in New York City, United States of America.

Apropos, I am writing your good office to help us disseminate this information to your constituents. The conference is purposely scheduled on August 21, 22, 23, 2015 to comply with the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* of the department (DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005).

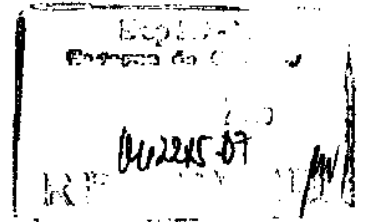
I am looking forward for your positive response to this request. Please feel free to contact us shall you have queries through (088) 850-0365 or at 0905-7090-775, or through email at pragandang@movethisworld.org.

Thank you very much and God bless you always!

Very respectfully yours,


Primitivo C. Ragandang III
Philippine Director, Move This World, Inc.

Enclosure: Conference Details



Move This World-Philippines of Move This World, Inc., USA

In support to the provisions of DepEd Order No. 55 s. 2013 (the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act 10627) and Executive Order 570 (also known as the Institutionalization of Peace Education Program at all Levels of Education)

4th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EMPATHY AND DIVERSITY: A TRAINING-WORKSHOP ON A RESEARCH-BASED SOMATIC CURRICULUM TO ADDRESS BULLYING IN SCHOOLS

August 21-23, 2015; 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. PHT

Venue: Reyna's the Haven and Gardens, New Calceta St., Cogon, Tagbilaran City, Bohol, The Philippines

Description. With Move This World Founder & CEO Sara Potler-LaHayne, this three-day intensive training-workshops will introduce innovative and creative ways of preventing bullying in schools as anchored on the research-based empathy education curriculum owned and developed by Move This World, Inc., a non-profit organization based in New York City, United States of America. Empathetic behavior and diversity appreciation towards inter-cultural understanding are the two main focus of the conference.

Who should attend? Preferred participants are School Administrators, Child Protection Officers, and Guidance Counselors. Classroom Advisers, College Professors, Advocates working in NGOs/INGOs, Youth Welfare Officers, Students in the graduate level, and all others who are interested in preventing bullying in schools are also welcome to apply and attend.

Methodology. Creative Movement, Foreign and Local Speakers, Small Group Discussion, Experiential exercises, and Role-playing.

Benefits and Highlights of the Training-Workshop

1. The innovative research-based empathy education program is outlined in progressive Pre-K to 12 curriculum which conveys the values of empathy, respect, active listening, cooperation, mediation skills, ethno-linguistic understanding, and emotional engagement among students through creative expression;
2. Creates an avenue to build a network of anti-bullying advocates in the region and close confab with other participants;
3. Experience the Move This World's research-based empathy education curriculum anchored in our theoretical framework, theory of change and logic model;
4. Join virtual meeting with our Move This World partners in the United States;
5. It is designed to give educators and youth development officers the tools to innovate from traditional pedagogy insofar as addressing school bullying is concerned

Conference Topics and Speakers. The following are the major groupings of topics in the conference:

1. Empathetic Behavior and Diversity Appreciation: Exploring 21st Century Inter-cultural Strategies of Character Education for Bullying Prevention – Keynote Speaker **Sara E. Potter-LaHayne** (Move This World Founder & CEO, New York City, United States of America)
2. *Dula ug Katawa*: Managing Classrooms through Filipino Games and Creative Expression towards Building Empathetic Behavior and Inter-cultural Understanding– **Primitivo C. Ragandang III** (Move This World, Inc. Philippine Director)
3. Theory and Practice: Integrating Empathetic Real-Life Practices of Teaching Science in Basic Education– **Melodina Casiño-Palima, Ph.D.** (Misamis Oriental General Comprehensive High School Faculty and Move This World-Philippines Board Member)
4. Theory and Practice: Psycho-social Elements of Building Cultures of Peace in Schools- **Marilou F. Siton-Nanaman, Ph.D.** (MSU-Iligan Institute of Technology Political Science Professor and and Move This World-Philippines Board Member)

Registration. If you wish to take part in this International Conference, we have three options for you to register:

1. Online registration – available in our Facebook account (www.facebook.com/movethisworld)
2. Email the filled out the registration form and send to pragandang@movethisworld.org.
3. Send us the form at Door 2, Vegafria Compound, Aluba Subd., Macasandig, Cagayan de Oro

A registration fee of Php 7,500 per participant includes the following:

1. Training Kit and Certificate of Completion
2. Accommodation for August 21, 22, and 23, 2015 in Reyna's the Haven and Gardens
3. Lunch and Dinner for August 21, 22, and 23, 2015
4. Breakfast for August 22, 23, and 24, 2015
5. Two snacks during the conference proper

Reserved slots can only be confirmed upon payment of at least 50% of the registration fee on or before August 1, 2015. Walk-in delegates' registration fee is Php 8,500. and shall be accommodated in nearby partner hotels of Reyna's the Haven and Gardens in Tagbilaran City with the same aforementioned inclusions.

For International Delegates: Please check with your local Philippine embassies or consulates in your country about the visa requirements to enter the Philippines. For letter of invitation and other related requirements, please feel free to email us at pragandang@movethisworld.org

Payment Processing. Settling of payments can be made through bank deposit or through payment centers. Confirm payments by texting to 0905-7090-775: <Your Name>, <Amount>, <Control Number>.

For Bank Deposits:

Bank Name: BDO-Xavier
Account Name: Move This World-Pilipinas, Inc.
Account Number: 1760238420
Address: Talisay Drive, Poblacion, Tagoloan
Misamis Oriental 9001, The Philippines

Through Payment Centers (LBC, Palawan Pawnshop, Western Union, Cebuana Lhuillier, MLhuillier, RD Pawnshop):

Payable To: Flore May A. Teramoto
Address: Macasandig, Cagayan de Oro City



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Name of School/Organization:

Office Address:

Name of Participant	Job Title/ Designation	Gender	Food Restrictions (if any)	Email Address	Contact Number
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