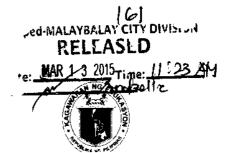


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DIVISION MEMORANDUM NO. <u>667</u> S. 2015

# DISSEMINATION OF DEPED MEMORANDUM NO. 18, S. 2015 (2015 Principal's Test)

TO: Education Program Supervisor
Public Schools District Supervisor
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
This Division

- 1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, attached is a DepEd Memorandum No. 18, s. 2015 dated March 10, 2015 re "2015 Principal's Test" the content of which is self-explanatory.
- 2. Those who are interested to take the test shall submit an application form with complete attachments on or before **March 20, 2015** to Mrs. Rosie A. Salupado, Division Testing Coordinator.
- 3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is highly enjoined.

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Attached: DepEd Memorandum No. 18, s. 2015

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DepEd MEMORANDUM No. 18 , s. 2015

#### 2015 PRINCIPAL'S TEST

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Regional Secretary, ARMM
Schools Division Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

- 1. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), shall administer the **2015 Principal's Test** on June 21, 2015. The examination shall serve as a mechanism for selecting competent school heads in the public education sector.
- 2. The Principal's Test is open to all aspirants for Principal I position as required under DepEd Order No. 97, s. 2011 entitled Revised Guidelines on the Allocation and Reclassification of School Heads Positions.
- 3. The following are the criteria in evaluating the qualifications and eligibility of the applicants who will take the test:
  - a. Experience of at least any of the following: one year as head teacher, two years as teacher-in-charge, two years as master teacher, or five years as teacher III:
  - b. Forty hours of relevant trainings (with attachments) certified by the school School Division Office (SDO);
  - c. A performance rating of Very Satisfactory (VS) for the last two years (with attachments), certified by the Regional Office (RO) and SDO; and
  - d. Certification of no pending administrative case.
- 4. The Principal's Test will cover the following topics anchored on DepEd Order No. 32, s. 2010 entitled National Adoption and Implementation of the National Competency-Based Standards for School Heads and Enhanced Basic Education Program:
  - a. School Leadership:
  - b. Instructional Leadership;
  - c. Creating Student-Centered Learning Climate;
  - d. Human Resource Management and Professional Development;
  - e. Parent Involvement and Community Partnership:
  - f. School Management and Operations;
  - g. Personal and Professional Attributes and Interpersonal Effectiveness; and
  - h. 21st Century Managerial and Leadership Skills.

- 5. The test shall be held simultaneously in all identified regional testing centers (RTCs) in all regions on **June 21, 2015** with a time allocation of four hours, starting from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.
- 6. The following are the guidelines in the filing and processing of application forms:
  - a. The ROs are advised to disseminate the template of the standardized application form (copy enclosed) to the SDOs for reproduction. Application forms are not for sale;
  - b. All aspirants shall secure a copy of the application form from their respective SDOs and shall file the duly accomplished form at the SDO where the applicant belongs;
  - c. Aspirants shall submit the application form and registration fee at their respective SDOs on or before March 20, 2015;
  - d. The SDOs shall be responsible in evaluating and processing the application forms to determine the qualifications and eligibility of the applicants;
  - e. All ROs shall submit the complete list of examinees to NEAP CO through email address at <a href="mailto:deped.neap@gmail.com">deped.neap@gmail.com</a> on or before March 27, 2015;
  - f. There shall be no extension in the deadline of filing of application forms at the SDOs, as well as in the transmittal of the complete list of examinees per SDO to NEAP Central Office (CO);
  - g. All examinees from Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM) can file their application forms and take the examination in any of the following ROs: IX, X, XI, XII, and Caraga;
  - h. The identified examination venues will be announced through DepEd Advisory; and
  - i. DepEd CO, RO and SDOs are not authorized to conduct review sessions for this examination.
- 7. The registration fee and guidelines in the transfer of funds to NEAP CO are as follows:
  - a. The registration fee is Five Hundred Pesos (P 500.00). The amount will be utilized for the various expenses relative to the following:
    - management and administration of the test (example: production of test booklets, production of scannable answer sheets, automated generation and processing of the results, airfreight and handling fees of scannable answer sheets and test booklets), development and production of Examiners Manual, certificates of rating;
    - communications, supplies and materials, lodging, meals, and transportation expenses of the teams from NEAP CO;
    - professional fees and honoraria of personnel from CO, ROs, and SDOs involved in the conduct of the tests, including pre-work and postwork; and
    - quality assurance, item analysis, among others.
  - b. The registration fee shall be collected by the SDO cashier or any official collecting officer in the SDO. Each examinee shall be issued a corresponding official receipt by the collecting officer;
  - c. The total collection shall be transferred by the SDO to the RO. After which, the RO will transfer the total collection to NEAP CO three days after receipt of the billing statement from the latter. An official receipt

- d. The ROs shall submit a financial report seven days after the conduct of the examination.
- The RD shall designate two regional coordinators who will be responsible in overseeing and supervising the preparation and the actual administration of the test at the regional level. The name of the regional coordinator-designate and the field personnel (roving officer, proctor, school principal, among others) who will be involved in the test administration, as well as the identified RTCs shall be submitted to NEAP CO not later than March 13, 2015.
- To ensure the orderly conduct and integrity of the examination, the NEAP CO personnel and staff have crafted the following guidelines for strict compliance of the RTCs:
  - a. assign only 24 examinees in every testing room;
  - b. assign one supervising examiner for every five testing rooms;
  - c. allocate one examiner per testing room;
  - d. assign only three roving proctors per testing center;
  - e. provide one medical officer/personnel per testing center;
  - f. provide three janitors to ensure clean testing rooms and restrooms before, during, and after the test;
  - g. assign two security guards for security purposes;
  - h. provide a secured spacious area for test booklet distribution and retrieval;
  - i. ensure that all testing rooms are well-lighted and well-ventilated;
  - j. avoid the use of children's desks as examination chairs;
  - k. avoid selecting the testing rooms across or right beside a restroom;
  - laboratory rooms shall not be used as testing rooms;
  - m. coordinate with local power supplier to spare the testing center for any eventual brownout;
  - n. publish in conspicuous locations the list of examinees (printed in font size 20, typed double-spaced, arranged alphabetically, and spread across four bulletin boards at two meters apart to avoid crowding); and
  - o. mount vicinity maps and directional signages for the convenience of examinees.
- For more information, all concerned may contact Ms. Maria Elena B. Deacosta or Mr. Adison Lozano, National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), Department of Education Central Office (DepEd CO), DepEd Complex, Meraico Avenue, Pasig City at telephone no.: (02) 633-7237 or at telefax no.: (02) 633-9455.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired. 11.

BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC

Secretary

Encl.: As stated

References: DepEd Order: (No. 97, s. 2011)

DepEd Memorandum: Nos. 132, s. 2013 and (97, s. 2009)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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