



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 Region VIII  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF TACLOBAN CITY**

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 185, s. 2022  
 5 September 2022

For: **Assistant Schools Division Superintendent**  
**Chief Education Supervisors**  
**All Education Program Supervisors**  
**All Public Schools District Supervisors**  
**All Unit/Section Heads**  
**Division DRRM Officer**  
**All Public Elementary & Secondary School Heads**  
**All Public Elem. & Sec. School DRRM Coordinators**  
**All Others Concerned**

Subject: **REITERATION OF PARTICIPATION TO THE 2022 3rd QUARTER NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED) ACTIVITIES**

In relation to the approved National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRRMC) Memorandum No. 21, s. 2022 titled 'Conduct of the CY 2022 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill' and OUA Memorandum No. OUA-IN-090122-005 titled 'Reiteration of Participation to the 2022 3rd Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill Activities', the Schools Division Office of Tacloban City, through the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS), enjoins schools and offices to participate in the **2022 3rd Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) on Thursday, September 08, 2022, 9:00 AM.**

Further, in light of the recent Magnitude 7.0 Earthquake in Abra as well as the series of ground shaking in other parts of the country, all **DepEd personnel and learners** are enjoined to practice the "**duck, cover, and hold**" procedure simultaneously at the set time as a minimum requirement.

The conduct of in-person or online drill, including the evacuation activities, shall be within the discretion of the heads of the offices and schools as they see it safe and suitable to their area in due consideration to their respective vulnerability to COVID-19 pandemic and minimum public health standards.

In order to further raise awareness regarding the earthquake drill, School DRRM Coordinators are encouraged to:

1. Intensity the Information, Education, and Communication (IEC) campaign by displaying earthquake preparedness measures in offices and school bulletins or through online forums such as social media platforms and video conferences.



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2. Discuss results of Family Earthquake Preparedness Homework with the PTA and barangay officials for consideration in the school and community preparedness planning, as mandated in DO No. 27, s. 2015.
3. Distribute maps containing evacuation routes and sites (at school or community) in coordination with LDRRMOs /BDRRMCs.

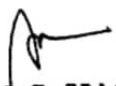
For more details, kindly refer to Enclosure No.1 of DepEd Order No.48 s. 2012. Additional preparedness and response measures are listed in Enclosure 2 of DepEd Order No. 33, s. 2021.

Proper documentation and post-activity evaluation are required. Therefore, all schools and offices are advised to make necessary preparations so that the required reports are submitted on time. Attached are the guidelines for the submission of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter NSED Reports (**Annex A**).

Moreover, a copy of the DepEd NSED banner and other materials can be accessed through <https://bit.ly/DepEdNSED2022>. All are enjoined to promote the NSED social media activities and IEC materials released by the DepEd Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service Facebook Page.

For queries and concerns on the aforementioned matters, please contact the **SDO Tacloban City - Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service** through the Division DRRM Officer CRISVILL M. VILLAMOR at 09173153290 or email at [crisvill.villamor@deped.gov.ph](mailto:crisvill.villamor@deped.gov.ph).

For immediate dissemination and appropriate action.

  
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