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CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 55-2021

To: The Assistant Commissioner
All Deputy Commissioners
All Directors and Division Chiefs
All District/Port Collectors
And Others Concerned

SUBJECT: NDRRMC No. 13 and No. 08 s. 2021

Attached are Memoranda from Mr. Alvin P. Diaz, Director IV, Central Administration Office, Department of Finance, endorsing copies of the following:

- a. NDRRMC Memorandum No. 08, s. 2021 entitled: **"CONDUCT OF THE CY 2021 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL."**
- b. NDRRMC Memorandum No. 13, s. 2021 entitled: **"PARTICIPATION TO THE FIRST QUARTER NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED)."**

For your information and guidance.

For record purposes, please confirm the dissemination of this circular throughout your offices within fifteen (15) days from receipt hereof.


REY LEONARDO B. GUERRERO
Commissioner
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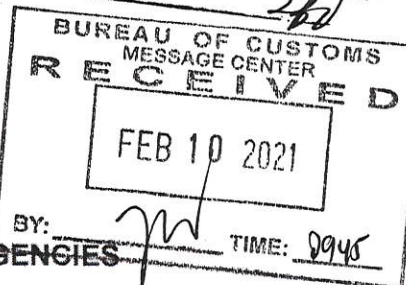
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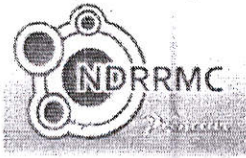


FROM : 
ALVIN P. DIAZ
Director IV
Central Administration Office

SUBJECT : **NDRRMC Memorandum No. 08, s. 2021** entitled
**"CONDUCT OF THE CY 2021 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE
SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL"**

DATE : **February 9, 2021**

Attached for information and guidance is a copy of NDRRMC Memorandum No. 08 s. 2021 dated 29 January 2021 from Undersecretary Ricardo B. Jalad, NDRRMC Executive Director and OCD Administrator, on the above-captioned subject.



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

MEMORANDUM
 No. 08, s. 2021

JAN 29 2021

TO : ALL NDRRMC MEMBER AGENCIES
 ALL RDRRMC CHAIRPERSONS
 METRO MANILA DRRMC MEMBER AGENCIES

SUBJECT: Conduct of the CY 2021 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill

Rule 6, Section 7 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the RA 10121 states that "Public awareness shall also be undertaken through the conduct of drills by the LDRRMO on a regular basis". Likewise, the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Plan (NDRRMP) states that one of the activities to achieve Outcome 10: "Developed and implemented comprehensive national and local preparedness and response policies, plans and systems" is to develop/ enhance and simulate scenario-based preparedness and response plans. Furthermore, one of the policy frameworks stated in the National Disaster Preparedness Plan as embedded in the fourth priority area of the Sendai Framework for Action 2015-2030 includes the target: "to promote regular disaster preparedness, response and recovery exercises".

In view hereof, the schedule for the CY 2021 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) and Observance of World Tsunami Awareness Day is hereby disseminated with the corresponding National Ceremonial Venue:

Quarter	Date/Time	Target Audience	Ceremonial Venue
1 st Quarter	11 March 2021 1400H	Women, Children, Youth and Students, Senior Citizens	Online
2 nd Quarter	10 June 2021 0900H	Urban Poor, Non-Government Organizations, Formal Labor and Migrant Workers, Informal Sector Workers	
3 rd Quarter	09 September 2021 1400H	Farmers and Landless Rural Workers, Indigenous Peoples, Cooperatives, MSME Sector	Baguio City, Benguet
4 th Quarter	11 November 2021 0900H	Persons with Disabilities, Victims of Disasters and Calamities, Fisherfolks	TBD

Moreover, the 14 Basic Sectors shall serve as the focus or target audience for this year's NSED. This aims to highlight the earthquake preparedness efforts for and by the basic sector in pursuit to building a more resilient community.

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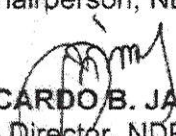
All NDRRMC member agencies, Metro Manila and RDRRMC member agencies and Regional Chairpersons of all RDRRMCs are enjoined to spearhead the conduct of earthquake drill in their areas of jurisdiction.

Furthermore, in compliance with the minimum public health standards, traditional forms of exercises requiring physical interaction and leading to mass gathering, particularly evacuation drills, shall no longer be conducted as part of NSED during the COVID-19 Pandemic. Please see attached NDRRMC Memorandum No. 71, s.2020 Interim Guidelines on the conduct of the Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) during the COVID-19 Pandemic dated 01 September 2020.

Proper documentation and conduct of the Post Activity Evaluation is encouraged. Result of the analysis and documentation should be submitted to the OCD Capacity Building and Training Service through electronic mail at cbts@ocd.gov.ph not later than 20 days after the activity for consolidation and submission to the Chairperson, NDRRMC.

For information and guidance.

For the Chairperson, NDRRMC:


USEC RICARDO B. JALAD
Executive Director, NDRRMC and
Administrator, OCD

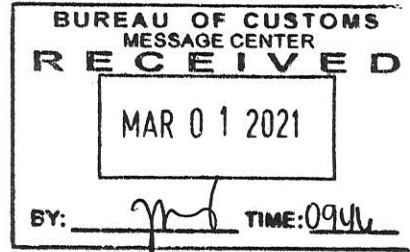
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FROM : 
ALVIN P. DIAZ
Director IV
Central Administration Office

SUBJECT : **NDRRMC Memorandum No. 13, s. 2021** entitled
**"PARTICIPATION TO THE FIRST QUARTER NATIONWIDE
SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED)"**

DATE : February 24, 2021

Attached for information and guidance is a copy of NDRRMC Memorandum No. 13 s. 2021 dated 10 February 2021 from Undersecretary Ricardo B. Jalad, NDRRMC Executive Director, and OCD Administrator on the above-captioned subject.



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

FEB 10 2021

MEMORANDUM
 No. 013, s. 2021

TO : ALL MEMBERS OF DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCILS AT THE NATIONAL, REGIONAL, PROVINCIAL, CITY, MUNICIPAL LEVELS AND BARANGAY DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES, HEADS OF NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES, STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, GOVERNMENT OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS

SUBJECT: Participation to the First Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill 2021

The Office of Civil Defense (OCD) through the Capacity Building and Training Service (CBTS) will conduct the First Quarter Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) 2021 promoting family earthquake preparedness towards community resilience with the following series of activities:

Activity	Date
Bida ang Handa Challenge	15 February to 11 March 2021
Webinar on Earthquake Preparedness	04 March 2021, 1000H - 1200H
Online Quiz Bee	09 March 2021, 1500H - 1700H
Online Ceremonial Pressing of the Button	11 March 2021, 1400H (Program starts at 1300H)

Registration to the First Quarter NSED 2021 activities can be made through this link: <http://bit.ly/Q1NSED2021>

In this regard, all member agencies are hereby invited to participate in the conduct of the abovementioned activities, and are enjoined to conduct activities to promote earthquake preparedness while observing public health precautionary measures in their respective agencies.

For information and guidance.



For the Chairperson, NDRRMC:

USEC RICARDO B. JALAD
 Executive Director, NDRRMC and
 Administrator, OCD

