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MEMORANDUM FROM THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR
No.100, s. 2022

For: **THE PRESIDENTS/ HEADS**
HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEIS) IN REGION XI

Attention: **DEANS AND PROGRAM HEADS OF ALL PROGRAMS**


Subject : **CALL FOR ENTRIES TO THE 2022 NATIONAL DISASTER RESILIENCE**
MONTH: MOBILE PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Date : **July 14, 2022**

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act No. 7722, otherwise known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994", this Office is encouraging all HEIs in the Davao Region to join the Mobile Photography Contest organized by the Office of Civil Defense XI (OCD XI) and the Regional Disaster and Risk Reduction and Management Council XI. The details of the eligibility and application requirements indicated in the Annex 1.

Should you have any questions and concerns regarding the program, you may contact **Mr. Marvin D. Samson**, Chief of the Capacity Building and Training Section of OCD XI, through mobile phone number 09292465622 or through email at ocdregion11@gmail.com

For information and guidance, please.


MARICAR R. CASQUEJO, Ph.D., CESO III
Director IV

Enclosed:
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Republic of the Philippines
REGIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL XI
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July 5, 2022

DIR. MARICAR R. CASQUEJO, PhD, CESO III
Director IV
Commission on Higher Education (CHED) RO XI
Loyola Street, Barrio Obrero
Davao City

Dear **DIR. CASQUEJO**:

Good day!

The Office of Civil Defense XI is conducting a Mobile Photography Contest as one of the activities in the month-long celebration of the CY 2022 National Disaster Resilience Month (NDRM). This year's theme, "*Sambayanang Pilipino, nagkakaisa tungo sa katatagan at maunlad na kinabukasan*" emphasizes the importance of collaboration of all Filipinos to overcome the challenges of this pandemic and prepare ourselves for emerging disasters toward building a safer, adaptive and resilient future.

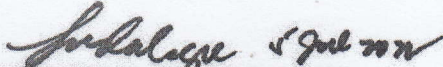
With this, we would like to request your assistance in the dissemination of the invitation for the Mobile Photography Contest. The said contest runs from July 1 to July 24, 2022 and is open to **all Filipino students** as of 01 January 2022 and enrolled in **College (Baccalaureate) or Vocational course** during the duration of the contest period. Participants must register and submit their entries online through this link:

<https://tinyurl.com/NDRM22PHOTO>

Attached with this letter is the detailed mechanics of the contest, for reference. **Mr. Marvin D. Samson**, the Chief of the Capacity Building and Training Section (CBTS) thru his mobile number: 09292465622 and/or thru email: ocdregion11@gmail.com will be reaching out to your Office for further coordination of this request.

Thank you and stay safe!

Very truly yours,
For the Regional Director:


LENIE DURAN-ALEGRE, MNSA
Assistant Regional Director, OCD XI



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CY 2022 NATIONAL DISASTER RESILIENCE MONTH (NDRM): MOBILE PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST MECHANICS

1. **INTRODUCTION:** Executive Order No. 29 dated 28 June 2017, renamed the National Disaster Consciousness Month to National Disaster Resilience Month (NDRM), shifting its focus from disaster awareness building to disaster resilience. NDRM is observed throughout the country for the whole month of July of every year, through the conduct of activities relative to building resilience.
2. **THEME:** *“Sambayanang Pilipino, nagkakaisa tungo sa katatagan at maunlad na kinabukasan”*. This year’s theme emphasizes the importance of collaboration of all Filipinos to overcome the challenges of this pandemic and prepare ourselves for new emerging disasters toward building a safer, adaptive and resilient future.
3. **DURATION:** Office of Civil Defense XI will accept entries from July 01 to 24, 2022.
4. **PARTICIPANTS:** The contest is OPEN to all Filipino students as of 01 January 2022, and enrolled in Senior High School, College (Baccalaureate) or Vocational course during the duration of the contest period
5. **EXCEPT** siblings, children or grandchildren of Office of Civil Defense XI officials and employees. Contest period refers to July 01 to 24, 2022.
6. **SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES:**
 - a. Each participant is allowed to submit a maximum of ONE entry only.
 - b. Participants must register and submit their entries online through this link:
<https://tinyurl.com/NDRM22PHOTO>
OCD XI will only accept entries submitted online and with complete details.
 - c. OCD XI’s online registration automatically limits the submission of entry per participant to ONE. Therefore, participants must make sure that they will only submit their final entry when registering and submitting. Moreover, a participant is not allowed to use multiple email address in sending their entries. Violators will be disqualified from the competition.
 - d. OCD XI assumes no responsibility for any transmission delay or internet connection problem during the submission of entries.
 - e. The entry to be submitted should be an image/photo with a corresponding “photo title” and “photo caption”. The caption must indicate the place where the image was taken, and must have an accurate description of what the photo is about.
 - f. Deadline for online submission of entries is on 24 July 2022 at 5:00 P.M. The submission portal will automatically close and reject any entries that will be submitted after the deadline.

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- g. Proof of enrolment - school ID and enrolment forms — may be required from participants whose entries made it to the shortlist.
- h. The contest participant is responsible for securing — prior to submission of the entry - a formal consent from concerned parties if the image contains any material or element that is not the participant's property, or if any person appears in the photo (i.e. subjects of the photo). OCD XI should not - in any way - be held responsible for the contest participant's inability to secure the necessary permission or consent for their submitted entries.

7. ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

a. Photographs should be:

- Created and taken by the contest participant.
- Created and taken using a mobile devices like smartphones and tablets.
- In full color.
- In LANDSCAPE orientation.
- In mobile digital format.
- Taken using the best settings of the mobile device
- Taken from 01 January 2021 to 24 July 2022.

b. Photographs should NOT:

- Contain watermarks or any identifying mark.
- Violate person's rights, including, but not limited to copyrights and privacy.
- Previously submitted or won in any photography contest.
- Contain images of elected government officials.
- Edited or enhanced.

c. Photographs should be submitted in the raw image format of the mobile device used and should reflect the file metadata or properties. OCD XI reserves the right to reject entries taken using non-mobile devices.

8. SCREENING OF ENTRIES:

a. Criteria for Judging are as follows:

• <i>Adherence to the Theme</i>	-----25%
• <i>Composition</i>	-----25%
• <i>Photographic Quality</i>	-----25%
• <i>Visual Impact</i>	-----25%
TOTAL	-----100%

b. Preliminary Screening:

- All entries will be checked for compliance to contest mechanics. The OCD XI has the right to verify the validity and originality of any submitted entry and/or details about the contest participant. OCD XI has the right to disqualify any contest participant who submits an entry that is not in accordance with the contest rules.

- Entries will be reviewed by the members of OCD XI Screening Committee-composed of staff from the Capacity Building and Training Section (CBTS).
- The Screening Committee reserves the right to invite professional photographers or visual artists as advisers during the screening.
- The Screening Committee will determine the twenty (20) entries that will be included in the Preliminary Adjudication.

c. Preliminary Adjudication:

- All entries that passed the initial screening will be reviewed by the OCD XI Section Chiefs and Division Chief, which will serve as the contest's Adjudication Committee.
- The Adjudication Committee will determine the five (5) entries that will be included in the Final Adjudication.

d. Final Adjudication:

- The final five (5) entries shall be featured in an exhibit wherein select guests shall judge and determine the final set of winners.

9. PRIZES:

- Cash prizes are subject to government taxes and follows accounting and auditing rules. Cash prizes are as follows:

First Prize----- Php 5,000.00 plus plaque
Second Prize----- Php 3,000.00 plus plaque
Third Prize----- Php 2,000.00 plus plaque
Consolation Prizes----- Certificate of Participation

10. OTHER PROVISIONS:

- The OCD Shall have exclusive rights to the use of the final five (5) photos but not limited to in its communication materials including OCD 2023 Calendars and planners. This exclusivity clause covers a period of two years from 01 August 2022 to 31 July 2024.
- The owners of the final five (5) photos cannot resell or make use of his/her photo for commercial and other purposes except for his/her portfolio.
- Participants agrees that their personal information may be released to the public for purposes of announcing the contest finalists and winners.
- By submitting their entries, all contest participants agree to release and discharge OCD and its officials and employees from any claims, losses or damages arising from their participation.
- By joining this competition, the participants agree with the mechanics of this contest and all the provisions provided.

--- NOTHING FOLLOWS ---