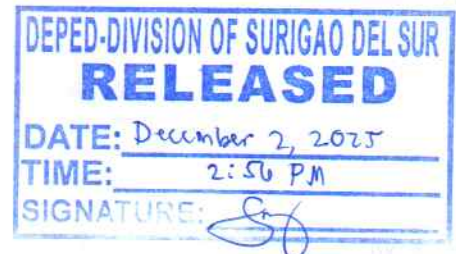




Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Caraga Region  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SURIGAO DEL SUR**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
No. 340, s. 2025

To: CID Chief  
Division IPed Focal Person  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
District In Charge  
District IPed Coordinators  
All Others Concerned



**CONSULTATIVE MEETING AND CULTURAL SHARING SESSION:  
TEN-YEAR IPED PROGRAM ASSESSMENT**

1. Since the institutionalization of the Indigenous Peoples Education (IPed) Program, the Division of Surigao del Sur has implemented various culturally responsive initiatives aimed at ensuring inclusive and relevant education for Indigenous Cultural Communities/Indigenous Peoples (ICCs/IPs). After a decade of implementation, a comprehensive assessment is essential to evaluate the effectiveness, responsiveness, and sustainability of IPed program interventions.
2. To document gains, challenges, and areas for improvement, Surigao del Sur Division shall conduct a CONSULTATIVE MEETING AND CULTURAL SHARING SESSION: TEN-YEAR IPED PROGRAM ASSESSMENT on December 4-5, 2025 at Goldbar Hotel & Restaurant, Tandag City.
3. The following are the objectives of the activity:
  - a. To present and validate accomplishments, issues, and challenges encountered over the 10-year IPed implementation.
  - b. To identify best practices and culturally grounded innovations in schools implementing IPed.
  - c. To formulate recommendations for enhancing policies, curriculum development, learning resources, and community engagement.
  - d. To strengthen stakeholder partnerships and reaffirm commitments toward sustaining IPed in the next decade.
4. Participants of the activity are the Public Schools District Supervisors/District In Charge, District IPed Coordinators of the 14 IPed Implementing Districts. The Municipal IPMRs are also encouraged to attend for their input and sharing will meaningfully contribute to the success of the aforementioned undertaking.

5. Below is the breakdown of participants. The PSDSs/DICs and the District IPED Coordinators shall attend only on December 4, 2025 while the IPMRs are encouraged to attend until December 5, 2025.

District/Office	Municipal IPMR	PSDS/DIC	Dist. IPED Coordinator	Resource Person & PMT
Carrascal	1	1	1	
Cantilan	1	1	1	
Carmen	1	1	1	
Lanuza	1	1	1	
Cortes	1	1	1	
Tago	1	1	1	
San Miguel I	1	1	1	
San Miguel 2		1	1	
Bayabas	1	1	1	
Marihatag	1	1	1	
San Agustin	1	1	1	
Liangá	1	1	1	
Tagbina 1	1	1	1	
Lingig 2	1	1	1	
Provincial IPMR Office				1
SDO				8
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>

6. Expenses incurred on meals and snacks, accommodation, honorarium and transportation of IP leaders shall be charged to the IPED Program Support Fund (PSF). Travelling expenses of the school-based personnel, PSDSs & DICs shall be charged to their School MOOE/SEF/Local Funds subject to the usual budgeting, accounting, and auditing rules and regulations.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: None  
Reference: DO 32,s.2015 and DO 62,s.2011  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

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