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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 53 s. 2018

**8<sup>th</sup> DIVISION LEVEL ASEAN QUIZ**

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TO: Chief, CID and SGOD  
Education Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Public Secondary School Heads

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 030, s. 2018, The Division of Benguet will conduct the **8<sup>th</sup> ASEAN QUIZ at the SDO-Adivay Hall, 8:30 AM to 12:00 NN, on March 14, 2018. Registration starts 8:00 AM.**
2. The Competition aims to increase level of awareness on ASEAN cultural, political, economic and social issues and information. It also aims to promote academic excellence through friendly competition among students.
3. Participants to this event are the first place winners in their respective district level competitions.
4. The student-participant in the division level competition must possess the following qualifications:
  - a. must be in Grades 9-10, between fifteen (15) to seventeen (17) years old and must not be 18 years old by the time of the international competition in Indonesia.
  - b. must come from either public or private school;
  - c. must be proficient in the English language, both oral and written;
  - d. must have a grade of 85 and above in Social Studies during the first quarter of School Year 2017-2018;
  - e. must be morally fit;
  - f. must have good interpersonal skills/be a good team player;
  - g. must be willing (with parental consent) to travel to the Regional Level, to Quezon City for the National Competition as well as to Indonesia for the International Level in 2018 if she/he is declared as one of the top three (3) winners in the National Level and
  - h. must meet other criteria which may be deemed necessary by the ASEAN Quiz Organizing Committee-Philippines.
5. The Division Level ASEAN Quiz Champion will represent Benguet during the conduct of the Regional Level at a venue and date still to be determined.



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6. Every school must confirm their participation by submitting the name of student-participant and coach to this office on or before March 12, 2018. Failure to confirm means disqualification from joining the contest.
7. The Division Office shall take care of the meals and snacks of quiz facilitators and judges and materials needed for the competition while travel expenses and other incidental expenses of participants shall be charged against local/school funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
8. Wide and immediate dissemination of this memorandum to all concerned is desired.

**MARIE CAROLYN B. VERANO, CESO VI**  
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