



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
SOCCSKSARGEN REGION

12 Oct 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 209 s. 2026

PRE-WORK AND ONLINE ORIENTATION OF ADJUDICATORS AND TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEMBERS FOR THE 2026 REGIONAL RESEARCH CONGRESS

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. In preparation for the **2026 Regional Research Congress**, pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 159, s. 2026, the Policy, Planning, and Research Division (PPRD) shall conduct the following preparatory activities to ensure the readiness of research entries, documentary requirements, activity materials, and personnel involved in the Congress:

Date	Activity	Venue/Platform	Responsible Office
October 27-28, 2026	Pre-Work Activity	Fe Hidalgo Hall, DepEd Regional Office XII, Koronadal City	PPRD
November 4, 2026	Online Orientation for Adjudicators and Technical Working Group (TWG) Members	MS Teams	PPRD
November 7-8, 2026	2026 Regional Research Congress	The Farm @Carpenter Hill, Koronadal City	PPRD

2. The preparatory activities aim to ensure the completeness and readiness of all research entries, documentary requirements, and supporting materials for the 2026 Regional Research Congress. Likewise, the orientation shall provide adjudicators and Technical Working Group (TWG) members with a common understanding of the Congress mechanics, evaluation criteria, procedures, and their respective roles and responsibilities.

3. Participants in the Pre-Work Activity are the PPRD personnel and the Senior Education Program Specialists of the Planning and Research Section of the eight Schools Division Offices (SDOs), as listed in **Enclosure 1**.

4. All identified participants in the Pre-Work Activity are expected to report to the venue at **8:00 a.m. on October 27, 2026**. Participants are advised to bring their laptops, extension cords, and backup internet connectivity to facilitate the completion of assigned tasks.

5. The meal schedule for the Pre-Work Activity shall be as follows:

Meal Provision	Schedule
First Meal	AM Snacks, October 27, 2026
Last Meal	PM Snacks, October 28, 2026



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6. Expenses for meals and snacks during the activities shall be charged against the **FY 2025 Policy Research Program (PRP) Funds**, subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Travel expenses and accommodation costs of participants shall be charged against local funds or Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE), subject to the availability of funds and existing accounting and auditing policies.
7. For further inquiries, contact Glenn A. Bisnar, DM, Chief-PPRD, through email address at glenn.bisnar@deped.gov.ph or through Mr. Raffy G. Herrera through his email address at raffy.herrera001@deped.gov.ph or Kate Hanselle G. Iguianon, EPS II through kate.gio@deped.gov.ph.
8. For dissemination, information, and compliance of all concerned.


ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO II
Regional Director

Enclosure 1: Participants to the Pre-work Activity and Online Orientation of Adjudicators and TWG Members
Reference: RM No. 159 s. 2026
Allotment: PRP/PPRD GASS Continuing Fund
To be included in the Perpetual Index
under the following Subjects:

PROGRAM
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RGH/PPRD/RM – PRE-WORK ACTIVITY AND ONLINE ORIENTATION OF ADJUDICATORS AND TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEMBERS FOR THE 2026 REGIONAL RESEARCH CONGRESS
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Enclosure 1 to Regional Memorandum No. 209 s. 2026:

PRE-WORK ACTIVITY FOR THE 2026 REGIONAL RESEARCH CONGRESS
Fe Hidalgo Hall, DepEd Regional Office XII, Koronadal City.
October 27-28, 2026

No.	List of Participants	Office
1	Dr. Glenn A. Bisnar	PPRD
2	Raffy G. Herrera	PPRD
3	Lovely Z. Ramos	PPRD
4	Cristine Jane E. Aguillon	PPRD
5	Kate Hanselle G. Iguianon	PPRD
6	Osop A. Pangilamun	PPRD
7	Ulysses S. Laruya	PPRD
8	Dr. Elmer T. Gornez	Cotabato
9	Nepomuceno B. Federizo	General Santos City
10	Naima A. Abrazado	Kidapawan City
11	Maria Elma P. Paches	Koronadal City
12	Felipe B. Tuyogon, Jr.	Sarangani
13	Blessy Joie P. Barnuevo	South Cotabato
14	Rodrigo R. Viduya	Sultan Kudarat
15	Ma. Dianne Joy R. dela Fuente	Tacurong City
16	Janice P. Suboc	Tacurong City

ONLINE ORIENTATION OF ADJUDICATORS AND TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEMBERS
via MS Teams
November 4, 2026

No.	List of Participants	Office
1	Glenn A. Bisnar, DM	PPRD
2	Raffy G. Herrera	PPRD
3	Lovely Z. Ramos	PPRD
4	Cristine Jane E. Aguillon	PPRD
5	Kate Hanselle G. Iguianon	PPRD
6	Osop A. Pangilamun	PPRD
7	Ulysses S. Laruya	PPRD
*	SDO SEPS in Planning and Research	SDOs
*	All identified adjudicators and Technical Working Group (TWG) Members	To be finalized



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