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ADVISORY

To: Schools Division Superintendents

School Heads Teachers

All others concerned



During the meeting on May 06, 2019, the COMELEC-CAR Regional Director and Assistant Regional Director conveyed the following reminders:

- Transport of Vote Counting Machine (VCM) and Vote Counting Machine Box (VCM Box):
 - a. VCMs are supposed to be delivered to, and retrieved from the schools, by the COMELEC official forwarder which is F2 Logistics;
 - Teachers who are members of the Electoral Board are not responsible for transporting the VCMs from, and back to the hub which is either the Municipal Hall or Provincial Capitol;
 - c. In the event that said teachers have to do the act of transporting the VCMs from the hub, they should never sign any delivery receipt or any document regarding the delivery of the VCM. They shall then make a report about it, and submit it to the COMELEC Election Officer, copy furnished this Office.

2. Marking Pens

- a. The black marking pens with label "2019 Elections" that come with the sealed VCM Box shall in no case be used, and should be removed/separated from the VCM Box during the Final Testing and Sealing (FTS). It shall be submitted to the DESO who will in turn submit it to the Election Officer;
- b. The COMELEC will be providing white marking pens with label "Dixon" or with 2010 & 2016 markings which will be used for the election.
- 3. The FTS of the VCM Box will be on May 9-10, 2019 thus all members of the Electoral Board are directed to be at their assigned polling place on their designated FTS date.
- 4. Regional Election Monitoring Action Center (REMAC) HOTLINES:

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Please be guided accordingly.

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