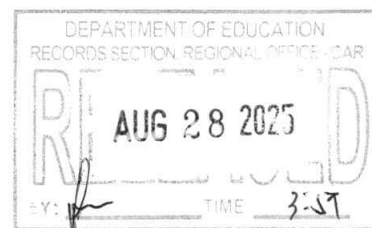




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION



August 28, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 628-2025

**CONDUCT OF THE IPED BENCHMARKING AND KNOWLEDGE SHARING AND
4TH REGULAR MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE (MANCOM) MEETING**

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents/ OICs
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents/ OICs
Regional Office Chiefs/OICs
All Others Concerned

1. In line with DepED Order No. 62, s. 2011, entitled "Adopting the National Indigenous Peoples Education (IPED) Policy Framework," The Department of Education Cordillera Administrative Region (DepED-CAR), through the Curriculum Learning Management Division (CLMD), Policy Planning and Research Division (PPRD), and the Office of the Regional Director (ORD), will conduct a Benchmarking, Knowledge Sharing, and Management Committee Meeting activity in Basco, Batanes on September 3-6, 2025.
2. This activity aims to:
 - a. To identify and document effective strategies and practices in Batanes that can be adopted across the divisions in DepED-CAR;
 - b. To foster collaboration to support the sustainability of IPED programs;
 - c. To provide IPED focal persons with firsthand experience of local culture and educational practices to inform culturally responsive initiatives; and
 - d. To provide an avenue for the ManCom members to arrive at agreements as well as review the existing policies or formulate new policies applicable to the context in the Region.
3. The following agenda items will be discussed in the ManCom Meeting:

AGENDA ITEMS	DISCUSSANT
1. Budget Utilization Rate	Finance
2. Updates from SDOs	SDOs
3. Updates from RO Chiefs/OICs	RO Chiefs/OICs
4. Other Matters ➤ Sharing of Insights and Reflection on the Benchmarking Activity	All Concerned
5. Regional Director's Hour	RD Estela P. Leon-Cariño

4. The Management Committee Meeting will be held on September 05, 2025 at Amboy's Hometel, Basco, Batanes.
5. In preparation for the meeting, discussants are requested to submit their reports in PowerPoint presentation format to the secretariat through the email address: car.pprd@deped.gov.ph on or before September 01, 2025.

6. The minutes of the previous meeting with the agreements for action was sent to all ManCom members while all other meeting resources can be obtained in the ManCom Members' Google Drive: <https://bit.ly/MancomFolders25>.
7. Board and Lodging and travelling expenses of participants shall be charged against the IPED Program Support Fund (PSF) and Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE), other travelling expenses shall be charged to local funds subject to accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
8. The first meal will be lunch on September 3, 2025, and the last meal will be breakfast on September 6, 2025.
9. Attached are the updated list of participants and schedule of activities.
10. This memorandum shall serve as authority to travel of the identified participants,
11. For information, guidance, and compliance of all concerned.



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Enclosure 1:

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

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2.	Estela P. Leon-Cariño	RD	ORD
3.	Ronald B. Castillo	ARD	OARD
4.	Maksim A. Botilas	CAO	ASD
5.	Jennifer P. Ande	CES	CLMD
6.	Raymond Damoslog	Medical Officer IV	ESSD
7.	Diane Joaquin	Nutritionist	ESSD
8.	Cristina L. Paquit	CAO	FINANCE
9.	Edgar H. Madlaing	CES	FTAD
10.	Sasha Joseph L. Daganos	EPS	HRDD
11.	Rose Melody Flores	EPS	PPRD
12.	Florence E. Balictan	OIC-Chief	QAD
13.	Rosemarie A. Yangkin	EPS – IPED Focal	CLMD
14.	Edgar C. Vicente	EPS – IPED Co-Focal	CLMD
15.	Judica B. Dasco	EPS – IPED Co-Focal	CLMD
16.	Winnie Joy Jose	ADAS I	CLMD
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19.	Janette O. Payang	AO II	ORD
20.	Amador D. Garcia Sr.	SDS	SDO Abra
21.	Christopher C. Benigno	ASDS	SDO Abra
22.	Rhoda Asencio	IPED Focal	SDO Abra
23.	Irene S. Angway	SDS	SDO Apayao
24.	Jerry B. Sario Jr.	ASDS	SDO Apayao
25.	Herwin Mangrubang	IPED Focal	SDO Apayao
26.	Soraya T. Faculo	SDS	SDO Baguio City
27.	Loida Mangangey	IPED Focal	SDO Baguio City
28.	Samuel T. Egsaen Jr.	ASDS	SDO Benguet
29.	Moresto Angyatao	IPED Focal	SDO Benguet
30.	Virginia A. Batan	OIC-SDS	SDO Ifugao
31.	Pio D. Ecuana	OIC-ASDS	SDO Ifugao
32.	Heminia Hoggang	IPED Focal	SDO Ifugao
33.	Gloria B. Buya-ao	SDS	SDO Kalinga
34.	Ginadine L. Balagso	ASDS	SDO Kalinga
35.	Maria Teresa E. Prieto	IPED Focal	SDO Kalinga
36.	Benilda M. Daytaca	SDS	SDO Mt. Province
37.	John M. Libongen	OIC-ASDS	SDO Mt. Province
38.	Howard Poking	IPED Focal	SDO Mt. Province
39.	Benedicta B. Gamatero	SDS	SDO Tabuk City
40.	Jan Nowel E. Peña	OIC-ASDS	SDO Tabuk City
41.	Emily Langkit	IPED Focal	SDO Tabuk City

Enclosure 2:

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITIES
September 03, 2025 (Wed)	AM	Arrival in Batanes
	PM	Courtesy Visit at SDO Batanes
September 04, 2025 (Thu)	Whole Day	Visit to Sabtang Schools
September 05, 2025 (Fri)	AM	4 th Regular Management Committee Meeting
	PM	Cultural Sharing and presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Baguio City and Benguet (joint presentation)• Kalinga and Tabuk City (joint presentation)• All other SDOs (individual presentation)
September 06, 2025 (Sat)	AM	Departure from Batanes