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To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
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All Others Concerned

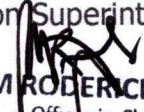
This Office informs all concerned that the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) – Technology Application and Promotion Institute (TAPI) in partnership with DOST Region III will be conducting its first virtual **2021 Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits (RICE)** in Central Luzon on **October 19-21, 2021** with a theme of, "Imbensyon at Inobasyon para sa Kalusugan, Kabuhayan, at Kinabukasan."

The regional contest serves as a qualifying round for the national contest, pursuant to Section 4 of the RA 7459 (Inventors and Invention Incentives Act of the Philippines) which one of its categories is for "Outstanding Student Creative Research (Sibol Award)" which is open for all high school and college students.

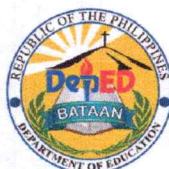
Further, contest rules, criteria, and forms may be downloaded at <https://cutt.ly/2021RICEDownloadableForm>. At least one (1) original copy of the duly accomplished and notarized forms must be submitted to DOST-TAPI not later than July 30, 2021 at 5:00 PM.

For more information, you may contact DOST-III staff, **Mr. Romeolito G. Tacbian, Engr. Francisco D. Collado, Jr., and Ms. Maria Gemma B. Arante** at **0917-823-3196** / [dost3ricenice@gmail.com](mailto:dost3ricenice@gmail.com) or DOST-TAPI staff, **Ms. Ella U. De Luna** at **(02) 8-837-2071 loc. 2157, 2167** / [tapiricenice3@gmail.com](mailto:tapiricenice3@gmail.com). Attached also is the event invitation for reference.

  
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TO : Schools Division Superintendents

FROM : **MAY B. ECLAR, PhD, CESO III**  
Regional Director

SUBJECT : **1<sup>st</sup> Virtual 2021 Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits (RICE) in Central Luzon with a theme of "Imbensyon at Inobasyon para sa Kalusugan, Kabuhayan, Kaayusan at Kinabukasan."**

Date : March 8, 2021

Attached is a letter from Julius Caesar V. Sicat, Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Regional Office III dated March 4, 2021 regarding the conduct with 1<sup>st</sup> Virtual 2021 Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits (RICE) in Central Luzon on October 19 – 21, 2021 with a theme of "Imbensyon at Inobasyon para sa Kalusugan, Kabuhayan, Kaayusan at Kinabukasan".

For information and guidance.

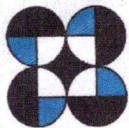
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04 March 2021

**DR. MAY B. ECLAR, CESO III**  
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Department of Education – III (DepEd-3)  
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Dear Director Eclar:

The Department of Science and Technology (DOST) –Technology Application and Promotion Institute (TAPI) in partnership with DOST Region III will be conducting its 1st virtual 2021 Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits (RICE) in Central Luzon on 19-21 October 2021 with a theme of “*Imbensyon at Inobasyon para sa Kalusugan, Kabuhayan, Kaayusan at Kinabukasan.*”

RICE is a biennial nationwide activity that recognizes the indispensability of Filipino inventors, students, and professionals in the landscape of national economic development through appropriate platforms especially under the new normal. The invention contest gives encouragement to inventors to showcase their inventive capability through a form of competition for cash incentives, awards, and bragging rights. The regional contest serves as a qualifying round for the national contest, pursuant to Section 4 of the RA 7459 (Inventors and Invention Incentives Act of the Philippines).

The contest is composed of five categories namely:

- (1) Outstanding Invention (Tuklas Award),
- (2) Outstanding Utility Model (Unlad Award),
- (3) Outstanding Industrial Design (Banghay Award),
- (4) Outstanding Creative Research (Likha Award), and,
- (5) Outstanding Student Creative Research (Sibol Award) for high school and college students.

In line with this, we would like to request for a Regional Memorandum or Advisory to encourage the participation of students and teachers (student researchers ) in this contest.

The contest rules, criteria, and forms may be downloaded at <https://cutt.ly/2021RICEDownloadableForm>. At least one (1) original copy of the duly accomplished and notarized forms must be submitted to DOST-TAPI not later than 30 July 2021 (Friday), 5:00 PM through any of the following options:

- Submit personally to DOST-TAPI Office and look for Mesdames Judith R. Fabros/Rodelia R. Padilla (RICE Coordinators)
- Send via courier to the following details:

**Engr. Edgar I. Garcia**

Director

DOST-Technology Application and Promotion Institute (TAPI)

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To ensure to meet the deadline, you may also send in advance the scanned copy of the forms online through this link: <https://cutt.ly/2021RICEentryformRIII>. However, please note that the original copy of the documents must still be received by DOST-TAPI.

All submitted entries will be screened by DOST-TAPI in preparation for the **Qualifying Round** (*exact date TBA*) where only the top five (5) finalists per category will move to the **Final Round** which will be conducted on **19-20 October 2021**.

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Thank you.

Respectfully yours,

**JULIUS CAESAR V. SICAT, PhD., CESO III**  
Regional Director

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