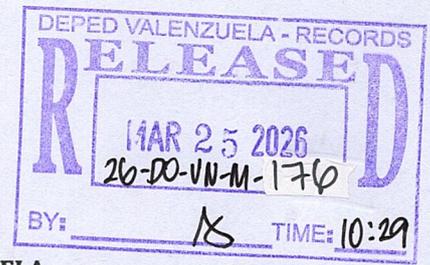




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**Office of the Schools
Division Superintendent**

March 24, 2026

To: All Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads

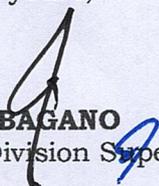
Sirs/Mesdames:

This is in reference to attached Regional letter No. 046 s. 2026 from **Ms. Jocelyn DR. Andaya**, Regional Director-NCR, Concurrent Officer-in-charge, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Operations, dated March 19, 2026 regarding the invitation the ITCZ Corner 2.0 (Inter-DRRM Taskforce Convergence Zone) Exhibit to be held on **March 25-26, 2026 at PAGASA Central Office Grounds**. Please refer to paragraphs nos. 2 and 3, for reference.

Participating schools shall ensure adherence to no disruption of classes and no collection policy. Expenses relevant to this activity shall be charged to school local funds or MOOE, subject to the usual accounting and auditing standards.

For appropriate action

Very truly yours,


NOEL D. BAGANO
Schools Division Superintendent

Division Letter No. 091 s. 2026
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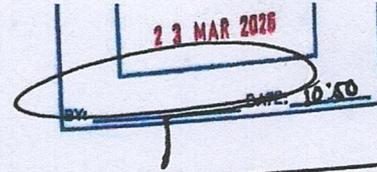


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March 19, 2026

To: Schools Division Superintendents

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

Warmest greetings from DepEd NCR!

Attached is a letter from the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) inviting the Department of Education – National Capital Region (DepEd NCR) to participate in the ITCZ Corner 2.0 (Inter-DRRM Taskforce Convergence Zone) Exhibit, in line with the celebration of the 76th World Meteorological Day and PAGASA's 161st Meteorological Service Anniversary.

In this regard, all Schools Division Offices are hereby requested to disseminate this information to schools and encourage participation, particularly in showcasing Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM) programs, initiatives, and best practices. The activity will be held on 25–26 March 2026 at the PAGASA Central Office Grounds, Quezon City, with the opening ceremony on 25 March 2026 at 1:30 PM.

For more information, you may contact Engr. Lorenzo Moron, NCR-PRSD Chief/Chair, ITCZ Corner Committee or Ms. Guile Saligo, Weather Specialist at 09618636709 and 09074236285.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

JOCELYN DR ANDAYA 
 Regional Director, NCR
 Concurrent Officer-In-Charge
 Office of the Assistant Secretary for Operations

Regional Letter No. 046, s. 2026

Encl.: As stated



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Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and
Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA)



11 March 2026

Dr. JOCELYN D.R. ANDAYA, CESO III
Regional Director
Department of Education – National Capital Region (NCR)
Misamis St., Bago Bantay, Quezon City

Dear **Director Andaya**,

At the onset, we wish to convey our sincere appreciation to DepEd-NCR for being our partner in promoting local early warning services in support to disaster risk reduction and management for the safety and well-being of our communities.

This year, the Department of Science and Technology – Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) will commemorate its **161st Year in Meteorological Service** alongside the **76th World Meteorological Day** on 23 March 2026 anchored with this year's World Meteorological Organization's theme "**Observing Today, Protecting Tomorrow**", highlighting critical link between real-time data collection and building climate resilience to protect lives and ecosystems.

One of the major highlights of the celebration is the "**ITCZ CORNER**" or "**Inter-DRRM Taskforce Convergence Zone (ITCZ) Corner 2.0**", an exhibit showcasing local early warning and DRRM services of various LGUs in Metro Manila as well as other key partners and stakeholders in DRRM sector which will take place on **25-26 March 2026** at the PAGASA Central Office grounds in Quezon City.

In view of this, it would be an honor for us to **invite you to the opening ceremony to be held on 25 March 2026, 1:30PM** (see attached program) and to **participate in the said exhibit**. You may display posters showing your programs and/or initiatives as well as basic equipment/facilities on DRRM services. Likewise, we would like to seek your support to disseminate this information to the schools in NCR. This activity serves as a platform to share your best practices on DRRM to ensure safety of various communities during extreme events. Your support will surely contribute to the success of this event.

For related concerns, please contact **Engr. Lorenzo Moron**, NCR-PRSD Chief/Chair, ITCZ Corner Committee or **Ms. Guile Saligo**, Weather Specialist I at **09618636709** and **09074236285**, respectively.

Thank you in anticipation of your favorable response on this matter.

Very truly yours,


NATHANIEL T. SERVANDO, Ph.D.
Administrator



Inter-DRRM Task Force Convergence Zone: ITCZ Corner v2.0
 25-26 March 2026
 PAGASA Science Garden Compound, Quezon City

Time	Activity	Speaker/Persons in-charge
DAY 1 - March 25		
12:30PM - 1:30PM	Arrival of Guests	Program & Ushering Committee
1:30PM - 2:50PM	Opening Ceremony	Sining Amihan - PAGASA Choir
	Invocation & Philippine National Anthem	
	Opening Remarks	Dr. Nathaniel T. Servando Administrator, DOST-PAGASA
	Messages	Engr. Romelen T. Tresvalles Regional Director, DOST-NCR
		Ms. Ma. Lourdes L. Agustin, CESO III Regional Director, DILG-NCR
		Mr. George F. Keyser Regional Director, OCD-NCR
Atty. Romando S. Artes MMDA Chairman		
Usec. Harold N. Cabreros Administrator, OCD & Executive Director, NDRRMC		
Hon. Ma. Josefina Joy Belmonte Mayor, Quezon City		
Hon. Francisco Isko Moreno Domagoso Mayor, City of Manila		
Keynote Message	Dr. Renato U. Solidum, Jr. Secretary, DOST	
Intermission Number	-	
Closing Remarks	Dr. Marcelino Q. Villafuerte II Deputy Administrator for Research & Development	
2:50PM - 3:00PM	Ribbon Cutting of the ITCZ Corner v2.0 & Photo Opportunity	
Masters of Ceremonies Mr. Miguel Franco Mamanság & Ms. Aira DG. Bernardino		

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Science Garden Compound, Senator Miriam P. Defensor-Santiago Avenue.

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Time	Activity	Speaker/Persons in-charge
DAY 2: March 26		
9:00AM - 10:00AM	Arrival of Guests	Program & Ushering Committee
10:00AM - 12:30PM	Pitching Session 1. Weather Observations through Automatic Weather Station (AWS) (30-40mins) 2. Upper Air Observation - Release of Weather Balloon (30-40mins) 3. Early Warning Technology for the Deaf - Muntinlupa City (20mins)	
1:30PM - 3:00PM	MAGHANDA Live Lecture / Video Multi-Hazard Impact Based Forecasting and Early Warning System	
Masters of Ceremonies Mr. Miguel Franco Mamansag & Ms. Aira DG. Bernardino		