

## Republic of the Philippines Department of Education

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF MUNTINLUPA CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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**MEMORANDUM** No. 065, s. 2025

## CONDUCT OF THE CY 2025 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chief Education Supervisor, Curriculum Implementation Division OIC-Chief Education Supervisor, School Governance and Operations Division Public Elementary and Secondary School Principals / OICs All Others Concerned

- Attached is Memorandum No. 27, s. 2025, dated January 28, 2025 on the above-captioned title, the contents of which are self-explanatory, for the information and guidance of all concerned.
- All School Heads and school DRRM coordinators (non-teaching) are invited to block the said schedule of activities indicated in the attachment
- Schools are requested to submit their participation data, as well as after activity report and improvement plan through the link/QR code. Other relevant documents could also be accessed through a separate link/QR code.
- 4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

For:

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By:

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Encl.: As stated References: As stated

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index Under the following subjects:

SAFETY

**EDUCATION** 

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ELK/DM/CONDUCT OF THE CY 2025 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL  $\underline{065}$  /February 10, 2025





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## NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

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MEMORANDUM No. 4, s. 2025

TO

ALL MEMBERS OF DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCILS AT THE NATIONAL, REGIONAL, PROVINCIAL, CITY, MUNICIPAL LEVELS AND BARANGAY DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES, HEADS OF NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES, STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS

SUBJECT: CONDUCT OF THE CY 2025 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL

The Philippines, situated along the seismically active Pacific Ring of Fire, is susceptible to frequent earthquakes and volcanic eruptions. Recognizing this, the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRRMC), guided by Republic Act (RA) 10121, has implemented various measures to mitigate earthquake risks and other geological hazards. These measures encompass contingency planning, Incident Command System training for effective response, organization of Response Clusters, intensified public awareness campaigns, and strengthened inter-agency coordination.

A cornerstone of the NDRRMC's initiatives is the Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED), conducted quarterly under the leadership of the Office of Civil Defense (OCD). NSED aims to assess the nation's capacity to respond to earthquakes, particularly in ensuring public safety through well-organized evacuation and response procedures.

In view thereof, the schedule for the CY 2025 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) is hereby disseminated:

QUARTER	DATE/TIME	TIME
1st	13 March 2025	2:00 PM
2nd	19 June 2025	9:00 AM
3rd	11 September 2025	4:00 PM
4th	6* November 2025	9:00 AM

\* In connection with the observance of the World Tsunami Awareness Day.

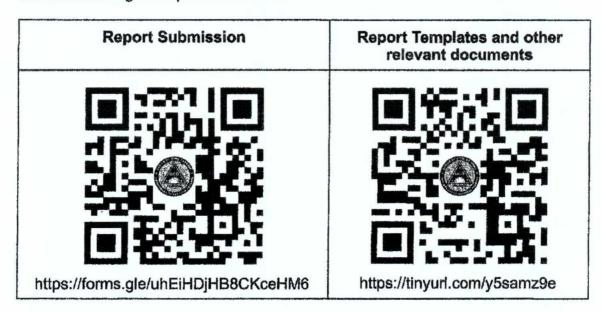
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The schedule of NSED may be adjusted in circumstances such as, but not limited to declared holidays, sudden cancellation of school classes or office work, or actual emergency and disaster incidents.

Active participation of DRRMCs at all levels, other government agencies/entities including its regional and local offices are strongly encouraged. All schools, offices and other local activities are requested to be temporarily interrupted to give way for the scheduled conduct of the NSED. Respective activities shall resume afterwards.

All participating agencies are requested to submit their Participation Data, as well as After Activity Report and Improvement Plan thru the link/QR Code below. Report templates and other relevant documents could also be accessed through a separate link/QR Code.



For information and guidance.

For the Chairperson, NDRRMC:

Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD