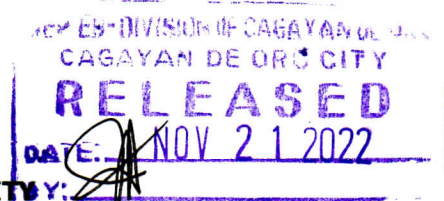




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

REGION X

SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CAGAYAN DE ORO CITY



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

18 November 2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

No. 3/6 s.2022

To: Shirley Merida – PSDS, Division Special Education Coordinator
Eleanor Consejo Rollan – SEPS M&E, Division L&D Focal Person
Michael Dave Tan – PDO-I, Division L&D TPD Coach
School Heads – SERG Pilot Schools
All Others Concerned

PARTICIPATION TO THE ENDLINE STUDY OF THE SERG PROJECT

1. In line with the completion of the Sustainable Education Reform Gains (SERG) Project, an end-of-program evaluation study in the Division of Cagayan de Oro will be conducted by a third-party and independent service provider, Strategia Development Research Institute, Inc.
2. The evaluation exercise is aimed at determining if the Project SERG outcomes have been achieved and the target outputs have been completed. Hence, the team will be **conducting face-to-face interviews with SERG project implementers in the division from November 21 to 23, 2022.**
3. The following target respondents are expected to prepare for the focus group discussion (FGD) conducted by the team on the following dates and schedule:

Date	Time	Respondents	Venue
November 21, 2022	2:30 PM – 4:30 PM	Shirley Merida Eleanor Consejo Rollan Michael Dave Tan	Division Office
November 22, 2022	1:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Giljun Penuliar Psyche Cambo Tablon NHS PDC and PMT Members	Tablon NHS
November 23, 2022	8:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Josie Salalima Daphne Basal Bugo NHS PDC and PMT Members	Bugo NHS

4. Enclosed in this memo is the Office Memo from PMS and letter of request from Strategia Development Research institute.



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5. In adherence to Equal Opportunity Policy (EOP), inclusive and fair treatment are accorded to all participants regardless of age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion, and ethnicity.

6. This Office directs the immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum.

CHERRY MAE L. LIMBACO - REYES
Schools Division Superintendent

For the Schools Division Superintendent:


LOREBINA C. CARRASCO
OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Office-in-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated

Reference: Unnumbered OM – End-of-Project Evaluation Study of the Sustaining Education Reform Gains (SERG) Project

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
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MDT / OM - participation to the endline study of the serg project
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ENCLOSURE 1

List of Participants from the SERG Pilot Schools in SDO Cagayan de Oro

Name	Designation	School
Virginia D. Mendoza	School Head / PDC Chair	Balubal Elementary School
Jenifer A. Azaron	School L&D Focal Person	School L&D Focal Person



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MEMORANDUM

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Regional Director EVELYN R. FETALVERO, Region VIII
Regional Director ARTURO B. BAYOCOT, Region X

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Supt. CARMELINO P. BERNADAS, Baybay City
Supt. RANDOLP B. TORTOLA, Bukidnon
Supt. CHERRY MAE L. LIMBACO, Cagayan De Oro City

THROUGH: 
ATTY. GERARD L. CHAN, CESO I
Undersecretary
Legislative Affairs and Partnerships

FROM: **MILAGROS T. TALINIO**
Director IV
Project Management Service

SUBJECT: **END-OF-PROJECT EVALUATION STUDY OF THE SUSTAINING EDUCATION REFORM GAINS (SERG) PROJECT**

DATE: October 12, 2022

In line with the expected completion of the Sustaining Education Reform Gains (SERG) Project this year, an end-of-program evaluation study covering DepEd Regions V, VI, VIII and X, and selected offices/bureaus in the Central Office will be conducted by a third-party and independent service provider, Strategia Development Research

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Institute, Inc. (SDRI), a firm with significant experience in terms of results-based program/project monitoring and evaluation.

The evaluation exercise is aimed at determining if the Project SERG outcomes have been achieved and the target outputs have been completed. Project strategies and processes will likewise be assessed in terms of their responsiveness, effectiveness, and efficiency in the context of changes within which the project operated. Results of the study will be submitted to the DepEd management to help inform future policies, programs, and projects related to continuous improvement of the quality of teaching while promoting inclusive education.

To build robust bases of study findings, the research team will be interacting with various stakeholders at the different governance levels of project interventions. It will employ different data gathering modalities such as online and face-to-face surveys, key informant interviews (KIIs), and focus group discussions (FGDs).

In this light, **please be informed that SDRI teams will be deployed simultaneously at the Central Office, regions, divisions, and schools covered by SERG from the 2nd to the 3rd week of October 2022 to gather data and do other related activities.** Likewise, a critical and urgent data gathering modality of the study is the conduct of the online survey for teachers involved in the Teacher Professional Development (TPD) intervention. Link for this activity link will be provided later.

As the SDRI teams will closely coordinate with SERG project implementers in the concerned central and field offices and schools, **we request the heads of concerned offices and schools to help the teams gather study participants and resource persons as may be identified by the same.**

For clarifications or further information, your office may contact:

Strategia Development Research Institute, Inc. (SDRI)

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Your valuable participation in this undertaking is highly appreciated.

Thank you.

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November 16, 2022

ARTURO B BAYOCOT, CESO III
 Regional Director
 DepEd Regional Office X
 Zone 1 Upper Balulang Cagayan de Oro City

Dear Director Bayocot,

Warm greetings!

This courtesy pertains to the ongoing implementation of the **Endline Study** of the **Sustaining Education Reform Gains (SERG) Project**. The study aims to determine the SERG outcomes based on the strategies and processes implemented by the project in DepEd Region X.

The SERG Project has tapped Strategia Development Research Institute (SDRI) to conduct the endline study (refer to the Memo dated October 12, 2022 attached to this e-mail). Thus, we would like to request your permission and assistance in conducting online or face-to-face interviews with SERG project implementers at the region and division levels from **November 21 to 25, 2022**, depending on the convenience, preference, and availability of respondents.

The SERG and SDRI team have identified the following target respondents and modalities for interview:

Table 1. Regional and SDO Respondents

Target Respondents	Name	Modality
REGIONAL OFFICE (X – Northern Mindanao)		
Regional Director	Director Arturo Bayocot	Online or Call (Key informant interview)
RO L&D Focal Person	Rebecca P. Postrano	Online or Call (Key informant interview for each respondent or a Focus Group Discussion including all)
RO SPED Focal Person	Elen Cabahug	
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICES		
Schools Division Office (Bukidnon)	Supt. Randolph B. Tortola	Online or F2F (Key informant interview)
SDO L&D Focal Person (Bukidnon)	Ebert R. Francisco	Online or F2F (Combined interview s)
SDO TPD Coach (Bukidnon)	Jocelyn L. Flores	
SDO SPED Focal Person (Bukidnon)	Nancy Gimena	
Schools Division Office (CDO)	Supt. Cherry Mae L. Limbaco	Online or F2F (Key informant interview)
SDO L&D Focal Person (CDO)	Eleanor Consejo H. Rollan	Online or F2F (Combined interview s)
SDO TPD Coach (CDO)	Dave Michael B. Tan	
SDO SPED Focal Person (CDO)	Jean Macasero	

Zoom or Google Meet links will be provided by SDRI once we have confirmed the availability of the respondents.

For Region X, the assigned researchers from SDRI are the following:

1. Alvin Diaz, Senior Researcher
2. Norinyl Jumalon, Junior Researcher
3. Documenter - TBD

Furthermore, interviews with respondents from **select schools** – namely, their school heads, members of the Personnel Development Committee (PDC) and the Project Management Committee (PMT) of the L&DS – in Region X will also be held anytime from **November 21 to 25, 2022** in close coordination with SDO focal person and school heads.

The following are the select schools per Division for interviews with school heads and FGDs with members of the PDC and PMT:

- a. Cagayan de Oro city - Tablon NHS & Bugo NHS
- b. Bukidnon - Manolo Fortich Central School & Dicklum Elem School

Following is the proposed schedule for the visit to Region X:

Day 1 November 21		Day 2: November 22		Day 3: November 23		Day 4: November 24		Day 5: November 25	
AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Fly-in of SDRI team	Courtesy call to Regional Office Kil with Regional Director or Asst. Regional Director FGD with SERG Focals (RO)	Courtesy call to SDO CDO Kil with SDS/ASDS FGD with SERG Focals (SDO)	Travel to School 1 Kil with school head FGD with PDC FGD with PMT	Travel to School 2 Kil with school head FGD with PDC FGD with PMT	Travel to Bukidnon	Courtesy call to SDO Bukidnon Kil with SDS/ASDS FGD with SERG Focals (SDO)	Travel to School 3 Kil with school head FGD with PDC FGD with PMT	Travel to School 4 Kil with school head FGD with PDC FGD with PMT	Debrief and travel back to CDO

If you have questions or concerns, you may email Ms. Norinyl Jumalon at norinyljumalon@gmail.com or text/call her at (+63)9989737214 or contact our team lead, Donn David Ramos, at dramos@strategiadevelopmentph.org.

Thank you and we look forward to your positive response. We will reach out to your office to follow up on this request.

Very truly yours,

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Signer ID: IVSTGLT999...

Alvin Diaz

Senior Researcher (Consultant)

Strategia Development Research Institute

Annex 1. List of SERG Project Participating Schools

Cagayan de Oro City	Balubal National High School
Cagayan de Oro City	Balubal Elementary School
Cagayan de Oro City	Bugo National High School
Cagayan de Oro City	Suntingon Elementary School (Annex)
Cagayan de Oro City	Suntingon Elementary School (Main)
Cagayan de Oro City	Palalan Elementary School
Cagayan de Oro City	Tablon National High School
Bukidnon	Manolo Fortich Central Elementary School
Bukidnon	Manolo Fortich National High School
Bukidnon	Dicklum Elementary School
Bukidnon	San Miguel Elementary School
Bukidnon	Lingion Elementary School
Bukidnon	Kalugmanan Elementary School