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TO : ALL CONCERNED PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS AND DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS

SUBJECT : CONFERENCE ON DECENTRALIZATION AND LOCAL AUTONOMY

In celebration of its 60th Foundation Anniversary, the Liberal Party (LP), will hold a Conference on Decentralization and Local Autonomy on March 2, 2006 at the Century Park Sheraton Hotel, Vito Cruz, Manila.

As represented, the conference will allow LP local chief executives the opportunity to discuss the need to promote greater local autonomy, exchange best practices in local governance, and aims to discuss the proposal for the shift to a parliamentary-federal system of government as proposed by the Consultative Commission.

In this connection, all Provincial Governors, City Mayors and Municipal Mayors, who are members of the Liberal Party, are hereby encouraged to attend the said activity on official business. The payment of applicable travelling expenses and a registration fee, if any, to defray the costs of hotel accommodation, meals and conference materials, per participant, may be authorized chargeable against local funds, subject to the availability thereof, and to the usual accounting and auditing requirements and to all pertinent laws, rules and regulations. Provided, that the travelling expenses and registration fees of local government participants are explicitly provided in the CY 2006 appropriations of concerned local government units, and provided further, that such amounts shall not be charged against the 20% Development Fund or from whatever source that may prejudice on-going poverty alleviation efforts.

For other details, interested parties may communicate directly to the LP National Office at 4/F, J&T Bldg., 3894 Ramon Magsaysay Boulevard, Sta. Mesa, Manila or by e-mail address: liberal@tri-isys.com or www.liberalparty.ph or through Telephone No. (632)716-8187 and 713-8876 or Telefax No. (632)716-8210.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.


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