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**Malacañang**

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TO : All Provincial Governors, City/Municipal Mayors, ARMM Regional Governor, DILG Regional Directors and Others Concerned

SUBJECT : 5<sup>th</sup> National ICT Summit organized by the National ICT Confederation of the Philippines (November 22 to 23, 2012)

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The National ICT Confederation of the Philippines (NICP) will be holding the 5<sup>th</sup> National ICT Summit in Monochrome, Nuvali, Sta. Rosa, Laguna on November 22 to 23, 2012.

This yearly event aims to develop the ICT ecosystem of the local government units by learning more information and sharing best practices. It will also feature speakers who are experts in the field of information technology and business process outsourcing. The summit will likewise highlight the entries of winning LGUs in the first ever eGov Awards supported by the DILG.

In this connection and upon request of Atty. Jocelle Batapa-Sigue, Chairperson of NICP, Local Chief Executives are hereby encouraged to allow concerned local government personnel to attend the above-mentioned activity on official business. The payment of applicable travelling expenses and registration fee 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 fee shall not be charged against the 20% component of the Internal Revenue Allotment and from whatever source that may prejudice on-going poverty alleviation efforts.

For other inquiries, interested parties may contact Atty. Batapa-Sigue at (034) 709-6135 or 0922-872-1447 or email her at [nicp.secretariat@gmail.com](mailto:nicp.secretariat@gmail.com).

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

  
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