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TO :

ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY AND MUNICIPAL MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL AND PROVINCIAL DIRECTORS,

CITY AND MUNICIPAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS OFFICERS, ARMM DILG REGIONAL DIRECTOR AND ALL

OTHER CONCERNED

SUBJECT :

PARTICIPATION TO THE 8<sup>TH</sup> NICP NATIONAL SUMMIT AND

DILG-NICP 2015 EXCELLENCE IN GOVERNANCE THROUGH

ICT (eGOV) AWARDS IN LEGAZPI CITY, ALBAY

The National ICT Confederation of the Philippines (NICP) will be conducting the 8<sup>th</sup> NICP National Summit and DILG-NICP 2015 Excellence in Governance Through ICT (eGov) Awards on the last week of October 2015 at the Oriental Hotel, Legazpi City, Albay.

The eGov Awards aim to recognize two (2) major categories namely, the Best in eGov Customer Empowerment (G2C) Award and the Best in eGov Business Empowerment (G2B) Award. The objective of the awards is to encourage the effective and efficient utilization of information and communications technology (ICT) in the delivery of services and performance of duties and responsibilities by local government units (LGUs). It also aims to commend and collate best practices of LGUs in integrating ICT in their processes to serve as example and benchmarks to other LGUs, to improve local business ecosystem and motivate the private/business sector to actively participate and/or invest in the growth of the LGUs, and to promote transparency in governance.

In addition, the 2015 eGov Awards share the vision of establishing indices for local government units across the country in harnessing the potentials of ICT towards raising the bar in delivering public service.

In this connection, all local government units are encouraged to participate on the above-mentioned activity on official business subject to availability of funds thereof, and to the usual accounting and auditing requirements and to all pertinent laws, rules and regulations. Provided that, travelling expenses shall not be charged against the twenty (20%) percent component of the Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) or from whatever source that prejudice on-going poverty alleviation efforts.

For more details, queries may be directed to the NICP Secretariat at <a href="maicp.secretariat@nicp.org.ph">nicp.secretariat@nicp.org.ph</a> or <a href="maicp.secretariat@nicp.org.ph">egov.nicp@gmail.com</a>.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.



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