



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT  
DILG – NAPOLCOM Center, EDSA cor. Quezon Avenue, Quezon City



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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**

NO. 2018-210

**TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS OF REGIONS VI, VII, VIII, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS OF SAME REGIONS AND OTHERS CONCERNED**

**SUBJECT : 10<sup>TH</sup> PROVINCIAL BOARD MEMBERS LEAGUE OF THE PHILIPPINES (PBMLP) VISAYAS ISLAND CONFERENCE**

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The Provincial Board Members League of the Philippines (PBMLP) will hold its **10<sup>th</sup> Visayas Island Conference on December 13-15, 2018, at Boracay, Malay, Aklan**, with the theme: **“A Review of the Past Gains, along Mainstreaming, and Engagement: Upgrading Towards a More Progressive Provincial Policy-Making.”**

The theme supports the continuing Capacity Development (CapDev) Program for the members of the PBMLP as a major segment in their series of island conferences. The University of the Philippines (UP) National College of Public Administration and Governance (NCPAG) will be conducting lectures on the following: a) Transforming the Comprehensive Land Use Plan (CLUP) as an Actionable Development Tool; and b) Enhancing the Ability of Bouncing Back from Disaster/Crisis. This is the 3<sup>rd</sup> and final phase of the Provincial Public Policy and Legislation (ProPPol) curriculum developed by PBMLP for its members.

In view of the above, and upon the request of Provincial Board Member Jose Miguel M. Miraflores, Vice President for Visayas, all Provincial Governors within said geographic area are encouraged to allow their Provincial Board Members to attend in the said activity on official business.

The payment of travelling expenses and applicable registration fee to cover the cost of meals and hotel accommodation, conference materials, including membership fee and term dues, if any, may be authorized chargeable against local funds, subject to the availability thereof, and in accordance with the provisions of COA Circular No. 2012-03 dated October 29, 2012, providing guidelines on the prevention and disallowance of irregular, unnecessary, excessive, extravagant and unconscionable expenses, and to the usual accounting and auditing requirements, and other pertinent laws, rules and regulations. Likewise, the participating local government officials are reminded of the provisions of DILG Memorandum Circular 2018-25 dated February 28, 2018, prohibiting local government officials and employees from entering, staying and/or playing at gambling casinos.

The PBMLP Vice President for Visayas shall submit a Post Activity Report to the Secretary of Interior and Local Government, through the Director of the Bureau of Local Government Supervision (BLGS), within fifteen (15) days after the conduct of the said convention with the following format:

- I. Executive Brief;
- II. List of Participants;
- III. Outputs of the Technical Sessions;
- IV. Issues and Agreements or Recommendations, if any;
- V. Total Fees and Disbursements; and
- VI. Appendices, if any.

For information and guidance of all concerned.

  
**EDUARDO M. AÑO**  
Secretary

