



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT  
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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR  
No. 2018- 29

TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS, DILG ARMM REGIONAL SECRETARY, AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : 2018 GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES OF THE PHILIPPINES (LMP)

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Pursuant to Section 3, Article VI of the Constitution and By-Laws of the League of Municipalities of the Philippines (LMP), the League will be conducting its 2018 General Assembly on March 19-21, 2018 at the *Grand Ballroom, Manila Hotel, City of Manila* with the theme: "*Pederalismo: Ngayon Na.*"

The theme focuses on discussions that will provide the municipal mayors with clear understanding on the latest initiatives leading to possible amendments in the 1987 Constitution and change in the form of government. It will also be an avenue to articulate other issues and concerns affecting the municipalities, especially in the campaign against illegal drugs, criminality, and corruption.

In view of the above, and upon the request of Mayor Abraham T. Burahan, Secretary General of the LMP, all Provincial Governors are encouraged to allow their Municipal Mayors to attend the 2018 General Assembly on official business.

The payment of applicable travelling expenses and registration fee, if any, to cover the cost of hotel accommodation, meals and conference materials, per participant, may be authorized chargeable against available local funds in accordance with the provisions of COA Circular No. 2012-003 dated October 29, 2012, providing guidelines for the prevention and disallowance of irregular, unnecessary, excessive, extravagant and unconscionable expenses, and to the usual accounting and auditing requirements, and to all pertinent laws, and rules and regulations. Likewise, all local government officials shall also comply with the provisions of DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2017-20, on the prohibition against entering, staying and/or playing at gambling casinos.


For other details, inquiries may be directed to the League of Municipalities of the Philippines Secretariat through Telephone Nos. (02) 913-5737, (02) 440-7306, or (02) 440-7280.

The LMP National President shall submit a Post-Activity Report, through the Director of the Bureau of Local Government Supervision, to the Secretary of Interior and Local Government, within fifteen (15) days after the said activity has been conducted, with the following prescribed format:

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

All DILG Regional Directors are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this issuance to the concerned authorities within their respective regions.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

  
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