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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**  
NO. 2020-019

**TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND OTHERS CONCERNED**

**SUBJECT : 30<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE PROVINCIAL BOARD MEMBERS LEAGUE OF THE PHILIPPINES (PBMLP)**

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The Provincial Board Members League of the Philippines (PBMLP) will hold its 30<sup>th</sup> National Convention on March 12-14, 2020, at Sofitel Philippine Plaza, Roxas Blvd., Pasay City, with the theme: **“Instituting Greater Partnership with NGA’s Toward Legislative Performance Review.”**

The focus of the discussions during the Convention’s technical session are the following: a) Updates on the implementation of the Seal of Good Local Governance (SGLG) and identification of possible areas of partnership with the Sanggunian Panlalawigan on the said program; and b) Roles and responsibilities of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan on the initial implementation of the National Mental Health Act (RA11036). The convention will also be the venue for the ratification of the proposed amendments of the Constitution and By-Laws (CBL) of the said League, and the elections of its new set of national officers for the term, 2019-2022.

In view of the above, and upon the request of Board Member Ferdinand P. Labung, National President, PBMLP, all Provincial Governors are encouraged to allow their Provincial Board Members to attend the said national convention 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, 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 National President shall submit a Post Activity Report to the Secretary of Interior and Local Government (SILG), 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.

  
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