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TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS, BARMM CHIEF MINISTER, DILG-BARMM MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS, AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : 2020 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BIOSPHERE AND SUSTAINABILITY ON JULY 13-16, 2020 IN PUERTO PRINCESA CITY (PALAWAN)

The Palawan Council for Sustainable Development (PCSD) and its partners in the Palawan Knowledge Platform for Biodiversity and Sustainable Development (PKP) will be holding the **2020 International Conference on Biosphere and Sustainability**, to be held on July 13-16, 2020, in Puerto Princesa City (Palawan), with the theme, "*Protecting and Sustaining the Biosphere: Our Global Goal.*"

This international conference aims to provide venue to share the scientific researchers conducted in Palawan Biosphere Reserve (BR) to other BRs in the Philippines and the rest of the world and to assess the policy implications of projects and programs on BRs such as Palawan vis-a-vis the achievement of the New Sustainable Development Goals of the United Nations or UN Agenda 2030.

In this connection, all Provincial Governors, City Mayors and Municipal Mayors are invited to attend the said conference. The payment of registration fee (covering conference kit, meals (lunch and dinner), snacks and learning visits [field trip] during the conference), in addition to the participating local government officials and/or personnel's accommodation and travelling expenses may be authorized, chargeable against local funds, subject to the availability of funds, and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

For reference, conference brochure is accessible online at <https://pcsd.gov.ph/igov/biosphere-2020/>. For other details and clarifications, the PCSD can be reached through email addresses: oed@pcsd.gov.ph and pcsdresearch@gmail.com, or through landline number (048) 434-4235.

All DILG Regional Directors and the DILG-BARMM Minister of Local Government are also directed to widely disseminate this Memorandum Circular to all LGUs within their respective jurisdictions.


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