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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

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

SUBJECT : INVITING NOMINATIONS FOR 2017 UNITED NATIONS PUBLIC SERVICE AWARDS

The Secretariat of the United Nations has announced that they are now accepting nominations for the 2017 United Nations Public Service Awards (UNPSA). The UNPSA promotes and rewards innovation and excellence in public service in support of the realization of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the principle of leaving no one behind, which form the core of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

The Nominations are invited in three categories:

- 1) Reaching the poorest and most vulnerable through inclusive services and participation;
- 2) Promoting transparency, accountability and integrity in public service; and
- 3) Innovation and excellence in delivering health services, as one of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The Awards will be handed out during the United Nations Public Service Forum in the Netherlands on June 23, 2017, as part of their United Nations Public Service Day, which aims to celebrate the value and virtue of public service to the community.

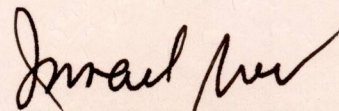
Nominations must be completed online through the UNPSA portal at <https://publicadministration.un.org/en/UNPSA> on or before February 28, 2017.

For additional information, you may contact Mr. John-Mary Kauzya, Chief, Public Administration Capacity Branch, Division for Public Administration and Development Management, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DPADM/DESA) at kauzya@un.org, Ms. Adriana Alberti, Senior Governance and

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In view thereof, all DILG Regional Directors are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Memorandum Circular within their respective jurisdictions.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.


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