

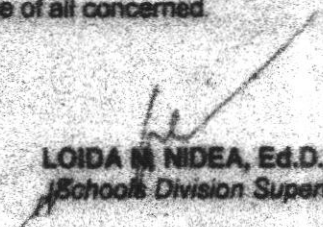
February 20, 2019

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**  
No. 44 s. 2019

To: Asst. Schools Division Superintendent  
Curriculum Implementation Division Chief  
Schools Governance and Operations Division Chief  
Education Program Supervisors/ Specialists Concerned  
Secondary School Principals of STEM Schools  
Others Concerned

**ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION ON THE SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY,  
ENGINEERING, AGRICULTURE, AND MATHEMATICS (STEAM)  
RESEARCH AND INNOVATION AGENDA FOR SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STEM**

1. As an offshoot of the exploratory meeting conducted by USEC Lorna Dig-Dino and the UNILAB Foundation with the SDOs of Sorsogon and Sorsogon City last January 23, 2019 at the Sorsogon City Division, this Office will host the Roundtable Discussion on the Science, Technology, Engineering, Agriculture, and Mathematics (STEAM) Research and Innovation Agenda for Senior High School STEM Schools from both province and city divisions on March 8, 2019 at Villa Isabel Hotel, Sorsogon City.
2. With the effort to create and sustain a culture of research and innovation through partnership with local community, this activity aims to:
  - a. engage government-industry-education (GIE) local leaders as partners in advancing STEAM education in Sorsogon,
  - b. discuss community/industry/university needs that are potential areas for STEAM research and innovation in senior high school, and
  - c. identify forms of support that can be extended to senior high school STEAM research
3. This activity shall be attended in by eighty (80) participants from the province and city divisions of Sorsogon as shown in the attached list.
4. Expenses for meals of participants, and accommodation of guests from Central Office, UP-Diliman and UNILAB shall be charged against Division MOOE, while transportation and other incidental expenses of the participants are chargeable against local funds/ school MOOE subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. For information, dissemination and compliance of all concerned.

  
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