



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VII – CENTRAL VISAYAS  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF NEGROS ORIENTAL

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**Office of the Schools Division  
Superintendent**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 84], s. 2020

**CONDUCT OF THE VIRTUAL SYMPOSIUM ON THE 149<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE  
MARTYRDOM OF GOMBURZA**

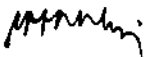
To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents  
Chiefs, CID and SGOD  
Public School District Supervisors & School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is Memorandum OU-LAPP No. 0-010, s. 2021, re: **Conduct of the Virtual Symposium on the 149<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Martyrdom of GOMBURZA** dated January 12, 2021 which referred Section 4 of the Administrative Order (AO) No. 23, s. 2011, entitled "Creating a Steering Committee on National Observances," states that committee member agencies, which include the Department of Education (DepEd), have the following power and functions:

- a) Formulate, organize and prescribe the manner of yearly celebrations of historical events;
- b) Draw up mechanism among various national developments, local government units, and the private sector for the effective mobilization and coordination of commemorative programs;
- c) Monitor, evaluate and submit quarterly reports to the president on all programs of the committee; and
- d) Perform such other powers and functions as may be necessary to carry out the provision of this Administrative Order.

2. In support of the upcoming commemoration of the 140<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Martyrdom of GOMBURZA, Araling Panlipunan and Edukasyon sa Pagpapakatao (EsP) supervisors, teachers and students are requested to watch a virtual symposium on **February 17, 2021 from 4:00 P.M to 6:30 P.M.** It shall be shown live via DepEd's official Facebook Page: DepEd Philippines through the following link: [facebook.com/DepartmentOfEducation.PH](https://facebook.com/DepartmentOfEducation.PH)

3.. For more information, please see attached DepEd Memo.

  
**SENEN PRISCILLO P. PAULIN, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent

2/9/2021

SDS/ASDS/CID/NRR/CAA

Date: February 8, 2021




Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY  
TANGGAPAN NG PANGALAWANG KALIHIM

**MEMORANDUM**

OU-LAPP No. Q-010, s.2021

TO : **ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

FROM :   
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Legislative Affairs, External Partnerships  
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SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF THE VIRTUAL SYMPOSIUM ON THE  
149TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE MARTYRDOM OF  
GOMBURZA**

DATE : January 12, 2021

In reference to Section 4 of the Administrative Order (AO) No. 23 s. 2011, titled "Creating a Steering Committee on National Observances," states that committee member agencies, which include the Department of Education (DepEd), have the following power and functions:

- a) Formulate, organize and prescribe the manner of yearly celebrations of historical events;
- b) Draw up mechanism among various national departments, local government units, and the private sector for the effective mobilization and coordination of commemorative programs;
- c) Monitor, evaluate and submit quarterly reports to the president on all programs of the committee; and
- d) Perform such other powers and functions as may be necessary to carry out the provision of this Administrative Order.

In addition, Section 5 of the same AO states that "all other government agencies are hereby directed to cooperate with and fully support the committee." Thus, all departments, agencies, bureaus, offices, national

government agencies (NGAs), local government units (LGUs) and government-owned and controlled corporations (GOCCs) are required to give full support, assistance and cooperation to the National Steering Committee (NSC), chaired by the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP) in the exercise of its responsibilities and functions to achieve the objectives of abovementioned celebrations.

In support of the upcoming commemoration of the 149<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Martyrdom of GOMBURZA, DepEd through the External Partnerships Service (EPS) and in cooperation with NHCP, shall conduct a **virtual symposium** on **February 17, 2021** from **4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.** The EPS has chosen DepEd National Capital Region, Schools Division Office of Manila to host this commemorative event.

*Araling Panlipunan* (AP) and *Edukasyon sa Pagpapakatao* (EsP) supervisors and teachers, and students are requested to watch the program. It shall be shown live via DepEd's official Facebook Page: DepEd Philippines through the following link: [facebook.com/DepartmentOfEducation.PH](https://facebook.com/DepartmentOfEducation.PH)

Corollary to this, the following activities are also suggested to be undertaken by the AP and EsP teachers:

- a) preparation of reaction papers;
- b) conduct of storytelling, essay writing, poster-making, online debate or oratorical contests;
- c) sharing of insights or other creative activities during virtual classes; and
- d) other related activities.

The aforementioned activities are expected to further deepen the knowledge of our students on the events and raise their awareness on the values, nationalism, patriotism and love of the country.

For any concern, your staff may contact **Mr. Romeo B. Parayno** of the EPS-SEU at mobile no. 0922-463-6626 or thru email [romeo.parayno@deped.gov.ph](mailto:romeo.parayno@deped.gov.ph).

Thank you very much.