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**2021 REGIONAL INVENTION CONTEST AND EXHIBITS**

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The contest is composed of five categories namely: Outstanding Invention (**Tuklas Award**), Outstanding Utility Model (**Unlad Award**), Outstanding Industrial Design (**Banghay Award**), Outstanding Creative Research (**Likha Award**) and Outstanding Student Creative Research (**Sibol Award**) for high school and college students.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to *no-disruption-of-classes policy* as stipulated in DO 9 s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time – on Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

Attached is the letter from the Department of Science and Technology X for reference.

For more information, please contact DOST – TAPI Staff, Mr. Razoland B. Navarro at (02) 8 837 2071 local 2157, 2167, 2162/ [tapiricenice@gmail.com](mailto:tapiricenice@gmail.com) or DOST – X staff, Mar. Mark Anthony T. Galon at 09978894285/ [matgalon@region10.dost.gov.ph](mailto:matgalon@region10.dost.gov.ph).

For information and guidance.

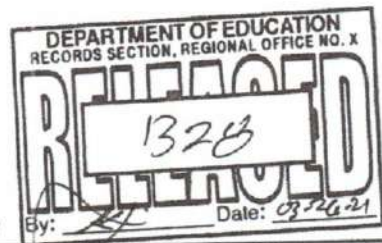
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Immediate and wide dissemination of this Advisory is desired.

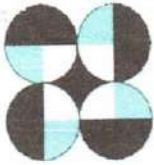
  
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Dear Dr. Bayocot:

The Department of Science and Technology (DOST) –Technology Application and Promotion Institute (TAPI) in partnership with DOST-X will be conducting its first virtual 2021 Regional Invention Contest and Exhibits (RICE) on 26-28, October 2021 with the theme, *“Imbensyon at inobasyon para sa kalusugan, kabuhayan, kaayusan at kinabukasan”*.

RICE is a biennial nationwide activity that recognizes the indispensability of Filipino inventors, students, and professionals in the landscape of national economic development through appropriate platforms especially under the new normal. The invention contest gives encouragement to inventors to showcase their inventive capability through a form of competition for cash incentives, awards, and bragging rights. The regional contest serves as a qualifying round for the national contest, pursuant to Section 4 of the RA 7459 (Inventors and Invention Incentives Act of the Philippines).

The contest is composed of five categories namely, (1) *Outstanding Invention (Tuklas Award)*, (2) *Outstanding Utility Model (Unlad Award)*, (3) *Outstanding Industrial Design (Banghay Award)*, (4) *Outstanding Creative Research (Likha Award)*, and (5) *Outstanding Student Creative Research (Sibol Award) for high school and college students*.

In line with this, we would like to request for a **Regional Memorandum or Advisory** to encourage the participation of high school students and teachers (researchers and inventors) in this contest.

The contest rules, criteria, and forms may be downloaded at <https://cutt.ly/2021RICEDownloadableForm>. At least one (1) original copy of the duly accomplished and notarized forms must be submitted to DOST-TAPI not later than **30 July (Friday), 5:00 PM** through any of the following options:

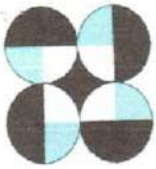
- Submit personally to DOST-TAPI Office and look for **Mr. Razoland B. Navarro** (Science Research Specialist II / RICE Program Manager)
- Send via courier to the following details:

**Engr. Edgar I. Garcia**

Director

**DOST-Technology Application and Promotion Institute**

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To ensure to meet the deadline, you may also send in advance the scanned copy of the forms online through this link: <https://cutt.ly/2021RICEentryformRX>. However, please note that the original copy of the documents must still be received by DOST-TAPI.

All submitted entries will be screened by DOST-TAPI in preparation for the Qualifying Round (exact date TBA) where only the top five (5) finalists per category will move to the Final Round.

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Thank you.

Respectfully yours,

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Regional Director

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Director, DOST-TAPI