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#### TEACHERS' DIGNITY COALITION

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## Teachers' Dignity Coalition

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Sir:

Greetings of Peace!

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This gathering will be attended by some 80 teacher-leaders from 17 regions of the country including the newly-constituted TDC National Council (NC), the central leadership of the Organization. The training mode is blended, participants from NCR and Luzon are expected to attend physically while those from Visayas or Mindanao may opt to join online.

The objectives of the activity are as follows:

- 1. To Discuss important and pressing concerns of our teachers and the entire education sector;
- 2. To formulate the general program of action of the TDC for future advocacies in line with the recommendations of the recent National Convention;
- 3. To gain insights into developing gender-responsive programs and align those in the group's general programs; and
- 4. To gain deeper appreciation of Gender and Development (GAD) in the context of education reform advocacy and public service.

Participants are *requested to contribute a minimal amount of P1,500 or any amount on voluntary basis* to defray expenses for board and lodging, materials, honoraria and other training logistical requirements. The program shall start on the afternoon of Day 1, June 2 and shall end on June 4 at around noon.

In this light, may we request that the participation of teachers on the attached list be endorsed to the respective schools division superintendents and school heads. Internal arrangements have been made for the training expenses, however, if the school will be willing to assist the participants, such will be very much appreciated.

Thank you so much and we anticipate your most prompt and favorable response.

For teachers' dignity,

BENJO G. BASAS

National Chairperson