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For: Regional Directors and BARMM Education Minister Schools Division Superintendents All Others Concerned

Subject: VIRTUAL CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL STUDENTS' DAY 2021

Pursuant to Republic Act (R.A.) 11369, otherwise known as the National Students' Day Act, the Department of Education (DepEd), Commission on Higher Education (CHED), and National Youth Commission (NYC) are mandated to conduct an annual program of activities that will promote love of country and social responsibility among the youth and to support the observance of International Students' Day.

The celebration commemorates the execution of the nine (9) Czechoslovakian students who fought against the Nazi occupation during the time of Adolf Hitler last 17 November 1939 to end the unjust treatment of Hitler. Filipinos shared the same gallantry story in 1896 with the Czechoslovakia students, like Jose Rizal who advocated peacefully for liberty rather than using violent means, through his books "Noli Me Tangere" and "El Filibusterismo." Andres Bonifacio on the other hand used his talent in visual arts and craftsmanship even at a young age to help his family. Later he established the "Kataastaasan, Kagalang-galang na Katipunan ng mga Anak ng Bayan" (KKK) against the Spanish regime.

In this light, the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA), through the Bureau of Learner Support Services – Youth Formation Division (BLSS-YFD), in partnership with DepEd Region V, will spearhead the virtual celebration of the **National Students' Day (NSD) 2021** this **17 November 2021** at **1:00 p.m.** to **5:00 p.m.** via the DepEd Tayo Youth Formation Official Facebook page.

In compliance with the aforementioned event, all division offices are hereby directed to set up tarpaulins related to the celebration of the National Students' Day.

For questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Adolf P. Aguilar, Chief **BESS**-YFD, through 0915 566 9717 or email at blss.yfd@deped.gov.ph.

For immediate dissemination and compliance.

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