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MEMORANDUM

To: **Schools Division Superintendents**

From: 
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Subject: **2018 Search for Outstanding Volunteers (SOV)**

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The Philippine National Volunteer Service Coordinating Agency, an attached agency of National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA), announces the annual 2018 Search for Outstanding Volunteers (SOV). The search aims to recognize the exemplary performance and dedication of Filipino volunteers who are instrumental in building strong communities across the country.

The 2018 SOV is open to all Filipino Citizens, Filipino volunteer organizations and local chapters of foreign volunteer organizations that currently provide assistance in Western Visayas or for the whole country. Two (2) awards shall be conferred, namely: 1) Volunteer Lifetime Achievement Award (VLAA); and the 2) National Outstanding Volunteer Award (NOVA) with individual (Youth and Adult) and Organization (Non-Profit and Corporate) categories.

In line with, submissions of nominations to the 2018 SOV Regional Search Committee will be on or before July 15, 2018. Mailed nominations must be postmarked not later than the said date. Detailed eligibility of participation, guidelines, and nomination forms are available at the NEDA Regional Office VI or the following websites : www.pnvsca.gov.ph or <http://nro6.neda.gov.ph>.

All nominations, accompanied by duly accomplished forms and attached support documents including portfolio of nominees, shall be submitted to:

The Outstanding Volunteer Regional Search Committee
c/o NEDA Region VI Office, Fort San Pedro, Iloilo City, 5000

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