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CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO : ALL HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS, OFFICES, AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS INCLUDING GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTER AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

SUBJECT: Attendance of Government Officials and Personnel in Various Symposia with the Theme, "An Evaluation of the Impact of Privatization of Public Services in the Philippines"

The Civil Service Commission, the University of the Philippines School of Labor and Industrial Relations (UP SOLAIR), the Philippine Government Employees Association (PGEA), the Public Services Labor Independent Confederation (PSLINK) and the Confederation of Independent Unions in the Public Sector (CIU) shall jointly host various symposia on "*Labor and Privatization: Challenges and Developments in Global Perspective*". A noted British expert on privatization, civil service reforms and modernization, Executive Director Brendan Martin of Public World, shall serve as a resource speaker of the said activity.

The Symposium aims to assess closely the impact of privatization of public services in the Philippines from the perspective of various stakeholders (i.e., public sector, government personnel and unions, absorbing agencies, customers, among others). It is also intended to formulate recommendations that will cushion the impact of privatization on affected government personnel and other major stakeholders.

Below are the schedule and venue of the various Symposia:

Date	Venue	Host/s	Contact Person/s & Telephone Nos.
August 2, 2000 8.30 a.m. – 12.45 p.m.	University of the Philippines School of Labor and Industrial Relations (UP-SOLAIR), Diliman, Quezon City	Civil Service Commission (CSC) & UP-SOLAIR	CSC **Ms. Marites Jacobo** Tel. Nos.: 931-8029 931-8092 local 206 UP-SOLAIR **Zeny Salas** Tel. No.: 9207693 Fax. No.: 9207717

August 4, 2000 8.30 a.m. – 12.15 p.m.	Cebu City	Public Services Labor Independent Confederations (PSLINK) & Confederation of Independent Unions (CIU) in the Public Sector	PSLINK **Ms. Marilou Tarona** Tel. Nos.: 924-4710 9293525 CIU **Ms. Eleanor P. Flores** Tel. Nos.: 371-9861 372-3733, 372-3733, 374-2035
August 7, 2000 8.30 a.m. – 12.15 p.m.	Palawan	Philippine Government Employees Association (PGEA)	**Ms. Grace Cruz** Tel. Nos.: 637-6240 637-9999 local 1510

In this regard, government officials and personnel are authorized to attend said Symposia on official time. Participants may be authorized to collect a registration fee of THREE HUNDRED PESOS (P300.00) per participant, traveling, accommodation and meal allowance subject to the availability of funds and the approval of their respective agency heads.

For more information on the matter, please contact Ms. Marites Jacobo of the Office of CSC Assistant Commissioner Mary Ann Z. Fernandez at telefax no. 931-8029 or tel. no. 931-8092 local 206.

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Chairperson

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