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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO

HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES; DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT; LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS; GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND/OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS; AND STATE

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

SUBJECT

114th Anniversary of the Philippine Civil Service

The Anniversary of the Philippine Civil Service will be celebrated this September 2014, marking its 114th year as the stronghold of good governance and national development since the enactment of Public Law No. 5, "An Act for the Establishment and Maintenance of Our Efficient and Honest Civil Service in the Philippine Island," on September 19, 1900.

The upcoming month-long anniversary celebration aims to promote, showcase, and celebrate heroism in public service. It also serves to encourage and inspire state workers in their journey as servant heroes or *lingkod bayani*, as reflected in the theme:

Tapat na Serbisyo Alay Ko, Dahil Lingkod Bayani Ako

All government agencies are enjoined to actively take part in this anniversary celebration, which the Civil Service Commission (CSC) will spearhead.

The following activities are to be undertaken at the national, regional and agency levels. All CSC Regional Offices are enjoined to conduct parallel activities in their respective areas:

1. Display of Anniversary Banner in all government offices

The design and specifications will be uploaded in the CSC website, www.csc.gov.ph.

2. R.A.C.E. to Serve IV Fun Run

September 6, 2014, 5:00 a.m. Venue: SM Mall of Asia grounds

Coordinator: CSC National Capital Region (CSC-NCR) Contact Person: Mr. Henry Pelino (7408412 loc. 201)

Now on its fourth year, the R.A.C.E. to Serve Fun Run is envisioned to be a bigger and better event for the enjoyment of civil servants. The activity is open to all government employees, members of their families, and other private individuals who are Filipino citizens.

The categories are Men's and Women's (3K, 5K, and 10K Distances) with the following cash prizes:

	3K	5K	10K
	Men's/Ladies	Men's/Ladies	Men's/Ladies
	Categories	Categories	Categories
1 st Place	P10,000	P20,000	P30,000
2 nd Place	P8,000	P16,000	P24,000
3 rd Place	P6,000	P14,000	P22,000

Heads of offices are authorized to issue a directive granting half-day compensatory time-off to government employees who will be participating in the fun run.

Registration period is from April to July 2014 and registration forms will be uploaded on the CSC website. Other information on the fun run (i.e. deadline of registration) will be announced via www.csc.gov.ph. Forms will also be made available at any CSC-National Capital Region Field Office or at the CSC-NCR located at 25 Kaliraya Street, Quezon City.

3. Honor Awards Program (HAP) Rites for the 2014 Presidential Lingkod Bayan, Dangal ng Bayan, and CSC Pagasa Awardees

Malacañan Palace, September 2014

Coordinator: Honor Awards Secretariat (CSC Central Office)

Contact information: 02-9317997

The awards rites is the culmination of the annual search for the outstanding public officials and employees. The awards, as provided by law, are conferred by the President of the Republic of the Philippines. It is slated in September at the Malacañang Palace. Heads of government agencies, especially those with 2014 national winners, are expected to attend the rites.

4. Government Choral Competition

Finals: Cultural Center of the Philippines, Manila

September 30, 2014

Coordinator: CSC Regional Office No. 4

Contact person: Director Ronnie Mendoza (9271830)

The CSC will once again be holding this choral competition for government employees from Luzon, Visayas, Mindanao, and National Capital Region. The contest aims to showcase the musical creativity of talented government employees and to promote Filipino culture and arts.

Each choral should have 20 to 30 members inclusive of one conductor, and one accompanist belonging to one agency only. They must all be government employees, not under job orders and contracts of service.

Announcements on the general guidelines and regional finals will be made on the CSC website. Registration forms will also be posted online. Please wait for announcements on the deadline for registration.

5. Special Treats for Government Employees

Coordinator: Office for Finance and Assets Management (CSC Central Office) Contact Person: Mr. Sam Manglicmot (02-9317990 and 02-9318179)

The CSC will be partnering once again with government agencies and private companies to provide special treats for government employees such as free rides on public transportation and discounts on department stores. More information will be posted on the CSC Website.

REGION-LED/AGENCY-LED ACTIVITIES

All CSC Regional and Field Offices as well as government agencies have the option to do their own version of the activities and contests.

For more information, contact the Public Assistance and Information Office (telephone no. 931-4180, csc.pmrd@gmail.com, and TEXTCSC at 0917-8398272) or the nearest CSC regional or field office. Please also visit the CSC website at www.csc.gov.ph.

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