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# FIFTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LANGUAGE AND EDUCATION: SUSTAINABLE **DEVELOPMENT THROUGH MULTILINGUAL EDUCATION**

## TO: PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT SUPERVISORS/ DISTRICT IN CHARGE

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To: Schools Division Superintendents

For the information and guidance of all concerned, attached is DepEd Advisory No. 50, s. 2016, dated February 16, 2016, announcing the conduct of the Fifth International Conference on Language and Education: Sustainable Development Through Multilingual Education from October 19 to 21, 2016 in Bangkok, Thailand.

The target participants are policy makers, researchers, practitioners, and development actors.

Please refer to the attached Communication for details.

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### DepEd Advisory No. <u>50</u>, s. 2016 February 16, 2016

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FIFTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LANGUAGE AND EDUCATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO) ASIA PACIFIC MULTILINGUAL EDUCATION WORKING GROUP (MLE WG)

The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Asia Pacific Multillingual Education Working Group (MLE WG) will conduct its Ffth International Conference on Language and Education Sustainable Development Through Multilingual Education from October 19 to 21, 2016 in Bangkok, Thailand.

#### The Conference aims to:

- showcase promising practices in MLE and local language use in education in order to increase understanding of the importance of expanding access to effective MLE and accelerating momentum for MLE in the Asia-Pacific region;
- 2. document challenges and lessons learned from existing MLE policies and practices;
- identify innovative pedagogies in teacher training and MLE practice at early childhood and primary education levels;
- enhance understanding of the linkages among language, sound cohesion, and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs);
- 5. support the mainstreaming of MLE policies by highlighting recent MLE policy developments in the Asia-Paritic Region; and
- discuss the role of and balance among different languages (local, national, and international) in MLE policies and practices.

### The Conference features four thematic tracks:

- Track I : Towards Sound Policies on MLE: Language and Language-in-Education Policy and Planning in Asia and the Pacific;
- Track 2 : MLE Teachers and Teacher Training for MLE;
- · Track 3 : MLE Practice/Praxis in Early Childhood and Primary Education; and
- Track 4 Language and Cross-Cutting Issues of SDGs.

The deadline for submission of call for papers for each track category is on March 30, 2016.

The target participants are policy makers, researchers, practitioners, and development actors.

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