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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO : HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES; DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES; GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS

SUBJECT : 2020 Search for Outstanding Government Workers

The Civil Service Commission (CSC) announces the start of the 2020 Search for Outstanding Government Workers as mandated in the 1987 Philippine Constitution, Executive Order No. 292 or the Administrative Code of 1987, Executive Order No. 508, series of 1992, as amended by Executive Order No. 77, series of 1993, and Republic Act No. 6713. As provided under Section 35, Chapter 5, Book V of the Administrative Code of 1987 on the Civil Service Commission, the CSC shall act as the Honor Awards Program (HAP) Management Team and shall conduct the annual search for public exemplars.

The Search covers three (3) award categories, namely: the Presidential *Lingkod Bayan* Award, the Outstanding Public Officials and Employees Award or the *Dangal ng Bayan* Award, and the Civil Service Commission *Pagasa* Award. The conferment of the awards forms part of the Commission's advocacy of promoting excellence and recognizing as well as rewarding civil servants for outstanding performance, contribution and achievements, and/or consistent manifestation of exemplary ethical behavior in the public service. Group nominations for the Presidential *Lingkod Bayan* Award and the Civil Service Commission *Pagasa* Award are strongly encouraged.

Further, pursuant to CSC Memorandum Circular No. 2 dated February 21, 2019 on PRAISE Winners as Nominees to the Search for Outstanding Government Workers for 2019 and Years Thereafter, heads of agencies are encouraged to automatically nominate their PRAISE awardees to the Search.

The Search for Outstanding Government Workers Guidelines for 2019 and Years Thereafter issued through CSC Memorandum Circular No. 1 dated February 13, 2019 shall apply for the 2020 Search. Heads of agencies and state workers are enjoined to participate actively in promoting the prestigious Search and submitting nominations.

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Nominations shall be submitted to the CSC Regional and/or Field Offices. Deadline for submission of nominations is on **March 31, 2020**.

The soft copy of the promotional materials, guidelines and nomination forms are available in the CSC Regional and Field Offices nationwide and at www.csc.gov.ph.

For inquiries, the Honor Awards Program Secretariat may be reached through telephone numbers (02) 8931-7993; (02) 8932-0381; (02) 8932-0111; TextCSC 09178398272 or email address: hapsecretariat@yahoo.com


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