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ANNOUNCEMENT

TO : ALL HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES, NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES (NGAs), LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs), GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS (GOCCs), AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES (SUCs)

SUBJECT : National Conference of Public Librarians

The National Library of the Philippines (NLP) in partnership with Association of Librarians in Public Sector (ALPS), Inc. and National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) through the National Committee on Library and Information Services (NCLIS) will hold a **National Conference of Public Librarians** with the theme, “**Philippine Public Librarianship: Moving Forward and Beyond**”, on **March 7-10, 2016** at the **Manila Grand Opera Hotel, Rizal Ave., cor Doroteo Jose St., Sta Cruz, Manila**.

The Conference aims to show initiatives to improve the services in public libraries. The Conference shall also provide a perspective on how public librarians shall become a catalyst of change in their own community.

There will be group discussions on leadership and management, library services, and other related topics. Moreover, a General Assembly will be held to present updates and provide a venue for discussion of concerns relating to the Association.

All concerned government personnel, particularly **librarians**, are encouraged to participate in this event. It is discretionary on the part of the agency heads to allow their employees to attend on official/business time, as provided for under CSC Memorandum Circular No. 43, s. 1993.

Registration fees are as follows:

Registration Category	Registration Fee
Early Bird/ALPS Members	Php 4,500.00
Regular	Php 4,800.00

This shall cover conference kits, meals (3 lunches, 7 snacks and 1 fellowship dinner) and certificate. Payment may be made in CASH or by CHECK payable to **Association of Librarians in Public Sector (ALPS), Inc.** through the Association's **BDO Account Number 004510878446**. Scanned deposit slips may be sent to michaeljohn_tolentino@yahoo.com or presented (original and photocopy) during the Conference. Official receipts will be issued on site.

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For more information, you may coordinate with **Mr. Roilingel Calilung, Mr. Michael A. Pinto, Mr. Michael John Tolentino or Mr. Aster Baloso (ALP)** at telephone numbers (045) 322-0534, (078) 844-0539, (045) 491-8915 and (02) 310-5035 local 205 or through their mobile numbers at 0998-5400131, 0926-8330266, 09105783063/09159114131 and 0921-2411035, respectively.


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