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MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS
ALL BUREAU DIRECTORS
HEADS OF ATTACHED AGENCIES

FROM : THE UNDERSECRETARY
Solid Waste Management and Local Government Units Concerns
and Supervising Undersecretary for Strategic Communication and
Initiatives Service and Task Force *Tayo ang Kalikasan*

SUBJECT : DISSEMINATION OF 5TH NATIONAL YOUTH ASSESSMENT
STUDY (NYAS)

This has reference to the letter from the OIC Chairperson and Chief Executive Officer Ronald Gian Carlo L. Cardema of the National Youth Commission regarding the conduct of the 5th National Youth Assessment Study (NYAS) which is a national study on the “Situation of Youth in the Philippines.”

This year’s conduct of the 5th NYAS intends to develop policies on youth; plan for an integrated youth promotion and development program; and enhance the skills and leadership potentials of the youth.

In support of the initiatives for and empowerment of the Youth Sector, kindly disseminate the official NYAS Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/5th-National-Youth-Assessment-Survey-110462551433208/>) and online survey link (<https://bit.ly/3CEsDKq>) to your employees age 15 – 30 years old and cascade to your partner institutions/organizations to take part in the said study.

Also attached is briefers regarding the study that you may refer to.

For your immediate action and dissemination.


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SEC. ROY A. CIMATU

Department of Environment and Natural Resources
Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City

Dear Secretary Cimatú:

Greetings from the National Youth Commission!

The National Youth Commission is mandated to conduct a national study on the "Situation of Youth in the Philippines" every three (3) years. The study aims to identify priority needs, prevailing attitudes, and values of the youth, as well as evaluate current services and programs in order to analyze gaps in delivering the basic needs of the youth.

This year's conduct of the 5th National Youth Assessment Study (NYAS) intends to: 1) develop policies on youth; 2) plan for an integrated youth promotion and development program; and 3) enhance the skills and leadership potentials of the youth. The target population for the 5th NYAS are Filipinos aged 15 – 30 years old. However, due to the restrictions posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, sealed and self-administered questionnaires will be disseminated via online platforms, while Focus Group Discussions (FGDs) and Key Informant Interviews (KIIs) will be administered via Zoom or Google Meet.

In this regard, the National Youth Commission hopes for your utmost support in this endeavor by widely disseminating the official NYAS Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/5th-National-Youth-Assessment-Survey-110462551433208/>) and online survey link to your regional offices and/or partner institutions as we promote sustainable development policies and programs for and with the Filipino youth.

For inquiries and other concerns, your office may coordinate with Ms. Ariane Coronel of the Policy Research Division, NYC Central Office, through policydivision@nyc.gov.ph.

We look forward to your positive response on this matter.

Thank you very much.

For the Filipino youth,

RONALD GIAN CARLO L. CARDEMA
OIC Chairperson and Chief Executive Officer



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5th NATIONAL YOUTH ASSESSMENT STUDY

Background

The National Youth Commission duly created through Republic Act 8044 is mandated under Section 3(b) to conduct a national study on the "Situation of Youth in the Philippines" (National Youth Assessment Study) every three years to identify priority needs, prevailing attitudes and values of youth, the existing services, and the gaps in service delivery of the basic needs of the youth.

Study Objectives

The study aims to 1) Develop policies on youth, 2) Plan for an integrated youth promotion and development program, and 3) Enhance the skills and leadership potentials of the youth.

Research Design

To observe the health protocols during this pandemic, both the main questionnaire and the sealed questions will be self-administered via an online survey platform. Similarly, Focus Group Discussions (FGDs) and Key Informant Interviews (KIIs) will be conducted online via Zoom or Google Meet.

Data Collection Method

The NYAS has always been thought of as a single study but a closer examination of the proposed specific objectives of the 5th NYAS reveals three components of the study. Consequently, the method of data collection may vary among the study components. The study components and their corresponding data collection methods are the following:

- Study of the youths in the general population by age group (15 – 17, 18 – 24, 25 – 30), sex (male, female), location of residence (urban, rural), schooling status (in-school, out-of-school); work status (working/not working); and membership in youth organization (member/ non-member of youth organization);
- Study of special youth groups: disabled, abandoned, indigenous, street youth, drug dependents, sexually / physically abused, youth offenders/delinquents / in prison, farm worker, informal sector, disaster victims, youth caught in situations of armed conflict, and mentally advanced or gifted; and



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- Study of existing services delivered by government and non-government institutions on youth development that address major concerns of the youth, and of the institutions providing services to the youth.

Survey Population Target

The target population in the sample survey for the 5th NYAS consists of all Filipinos who are 15 – 30 years old. Data analysis will be done on the following groups:

1. Age groups: 15 – 17, 18 – 24, and 25 – 30
2. Sex: male, female
3. Location of residence: urban, rural
4. Schooling status: in-school, out-of-school
5. Work status: working / not working
6. Membership in youth organization: member / non-member of youth organization
7. Special groups: disabled, abandoned, indigenous, street youth, drug dependents, sexually / physically abused, youth offenders/delinquents/ in prison, farm worker, informal sector, disaster victims, youth caught in situations of armed conflict, mentally advanced or gifted

The following are the target number of participants per region:

Region	Target # of Participants
1	161
CAR	65
2	113
3	367
4A	474
4B	107
5	221
6	260
7	254
8	165
9	135
10	166
11	169
12	163
13	99
NCR	391
BARMM	146
TOTAL	3,457