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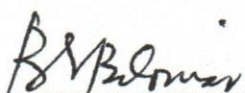
**R E: Requirement for a Certificate of Program Compliance
(COPC)**

Please be informed that in an urgent meeting called by CHEDRO8 in Tacloban City, all SUCs are required to secure a Certificate of Program Compliance (COPC) for all undergrad programs offered especially those requiring internship/OJT/practice teaching from CHED. According to CHED, programs without COPCs can no longer dispatch interns/practice teachers after May 2018.

In view of this development, all academic units especially those offering programs requiring OJT/internship/practice teaching must submit an application for the issuance of a COPC for each program offered. CHED is setting May 31, 2018 as the deadline for submission of the COPC application at CHEDRO8. After CHEDRO8 receives the application, a Regional Quality Assurance Team (RQAT) will be dispatched by CHED to the SUC concerned to conduct an evaluation of the program/s. The schedule of the RQAT visits is from May to July 2018.

The RQAT evaluation of programs shall be based on the old CMOs since the newly-released CMOs will apply to the incoming students of SY 2018-2019.

For your URGENT compliance.


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