

## Department of Education

Region VI – Western Visayas SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CAPIZ

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In compliance with DepEd Order No. 8, s. 2013 this advisory is issued not for endorsement per DO 28, s. 2001, but for the information of DepEd SDO Capiz officials, personnel/staff, as well as the concerned public.

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Attached is a letter from Rev. Fr. REDAN E. APINES, Chairman, Commission on Evangelization and Catechesis, Archdiocese of Capiz, regarding his request to recognize and authorize all duly deputized Catechists of the Archdiocese of Capiz to conduct Religious Instruction in all public elementary and high schools in the Division of Capiz for the S.Y. 2025-2026.

Participation to this activity is voluntary and subject to compliance with DepEd Order No. 012, s. 2025 titled Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities, DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On- Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith, DepEd Memorandum No. 041, s. 2024 titled Reiteration of the "No Collection Policy" in Schools, and DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2009 titled Reiterating the Revised Rules and Regulations on the Teaching of Religion in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools.

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ROEL F. BERMEJO, Ph.D., CESO V Capiz Schools Division Superintendent

Roxas City

Dear Dr. Bermejo,

Greetings!

Faithful to its mission to help the people of Capiz to become aware of their call to proclaim what they believe and live what they proclaim, and to its Goal to be ready to help in the spiritual and pastoral formation of leaders, the Commission on Eangelization and Catechesis of the Archdiocese of Capiz wishes to officially conduct School Catechism classes in your respective DEPED Schools. This is also in reference to DepEd ORDER No. 26, s. 2002 ENJOINING COMPLIANCE TO DECS ORDER NO. 120, s. 1999 (Amending Certain **Provisions of DECS Order No. 13, s. 1998**).

Thus, may I humbly request your good office to recognize and authorize all duly deputized Catechists of the Archdiocese of Capiz to conduct Religious Instruction in all public elementary and high schools in the Division of Roxas City for the S.Y. 2025 - 2026

With sentiments of profound gratitude and with all good wishes, I remain

Sincerely,

Rev. Fr. REDAN E. APINES

Chairman

Commission on Evangelization and Catechesis

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