



Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

REGION IX, ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE



February 27, 2026

Division Memorandum  
No. 134, s. 2026

**SCHEDULE OF THE CY 2026 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE  
SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED)**

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents  
Chief Education Supervisors, CID & SGOD  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

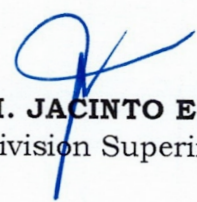

1. Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 86, s. 2026, this Office enjoins all schools and field offices on the conduct of the **CY 2026 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED)** on the following schedules:

Quarter	Date	Time	Report Submission Link	Deadline
1 <sup>st</sup>	March 12, 2026	03:30 PM	<a href="https://depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ1">depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ1</a>	March 19, 2026
2 <sup>nd</sup>	June 18, 2026	09:00 AM	<a href="https://depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ2">depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ2</a>	June 25, 2026
3 <sup>rd</sup>	September 10, 2026	02:00 PM	<a href="https://depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ3">depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ3</a>	Sept. 17, 2026
4 <sup>th</sup>	November 05, 2026	09:00 AM	<a href="https://depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ4">depedzn.net/link/2026NSEDQ4</a>	Nov. 12, 2026
Report Template:		<a href="https://depedzn.net/link/NSEDtemplate">depedzn.net/link/NSEDtemplate</a>		

2. All schools are required to accomplish the proper documentation and post-NSED evaluation (Annex A) through the links provided above.

3. For queries and clarifications, you may contact the Division DRRM Coordinator – Laisa Madel M. Cinches at 0919-091-5435.

4. Immediate and widest dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

  
**MAJARANI M. JACINTO EdD, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent 



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Attachment to DM \_\_\_\_, s. 2026 titled "SCHEDULE OF THE CY 2026 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED)"

**ANNEX A. REPORT ON THE CONDUCT OF CY 2026 QUARTERLY  
 NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED)**

\_\_\_\_ Quarter

**DATE CONDUCTED:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TIME STARTED:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TIME ENDED:** \_\_\_\_\_

<b>REGION</b>	
<b>DIVISION</b>	
<b>NAME OF SCHOOL</b>	

Pre-Drill	Yes	No	
With available Go Bags?			
With updated preparedness, evacuation, and response plans?			
With updated contingency plan?			
With available early warning system?			
With available emergency and rescue equipment?			
With available First Aid Kits?			
With available communication equipment (internet, cellphone, two-way radio, etc.)?			
With sufficient space in school/classrooms to conduct the "Duck, Cover, and Hold"			
Conducted coordination/preparatory meeting with LDRRMO/BDRRMCs?			
Conducted an orientation to learners and school personnel on earthquake preparedness measures and the conduct of earthquake and fire drills?			
Conducted an orientation to parents on earthquake preparedness measures and the conduct of earthquake and fire drills?			
Learners have accomplished the Family Earthquake Preparedness Homework?			
Conducted alternative activities and/or Information, Education and Communication (IEC) campaigns on earthquake preparedness and fire prevention?			
<b>Additional Remarks</b>			
Actual Drill	Yes	No	
Conducted "DUCK, COVER, and HOLD"?			
Conducted evacuation drill?			
<b>Other sub-activities conducted (symposium, advocacy campaigns, etc.)</b>			
No. of Personnel (Total Population)	Male	Female	Total
No. of Teaching Personnel			
No. of Non-Teaching Personnel			
<i>Grand Total</i>			





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Office of the Regional Director

February 25, 2026

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. 86, s. 2026

**REITERATION FOR THE CONDUCT OF CY 2026 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE  
 SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL (NSED) SCHEDULE**

**To: Assistant Regional Director  
 Schools Division Superintendents  
 Functional Division Chiefs  
 DRRM Coordinators  
 All Others Concerned  
 This Region**

- Pursuant to the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRMMC) Memorandum No. 15, s. 2026, this Office disseminates the schedule for the conduct of the CY 2026 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED).
- All schools and offices shall participate in the following CY 2026 Quarterly NSED schedules as prescribed by NDRMMC:

QUARTER	DATE	TIME
1 <sup>st</sup>	12 March 2026	3:30 pm
2 <sup>nd</sup>	18 June 2026	9:00 am
3 <sup>rd</sup>	10 September 2026	2:00 pm
4 <sup>th</sup>	5 November 2026	9:00 am

- For guidance and reference, a copy of NDRRMC Memorandum No. 15, s. 2026 and RDRRMC IX Memorandum No. 22, s. 2026 are herewith enclosed.
- For submission of NSED reports, the Division DRRM Coordinators are required to consolidate all schools NSED reports with photo documentation and submit it to the Regional Office through the Regional DRRM Coordinator, not later than ten (10) working days after the schedule of the quarterly NSED.
- The Information, Education and Communication (IEC) campaign materials for NSED can be accessed through the link stipulated in the attached memorandum.
- For widest dissemination, information and guidance of all concerned.

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**RUTH L. FUENTES, CESO III**  
 Regional Director

Encl: as stated

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**REGIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION & MANAGEMENT COUNCIL IX**



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**RDRRMC IX MEMO**  
**No. 22, s. 2026**

**TO :** ALL CONCERNED RDRRMC MEMBER – AGENCIES AND LOCAL DRRM COUNCILS

**FROM :** THE CHAIRPERSON

**SUBJECT :** CONDUCT OF THE CY 2026 QUARTERLY NATIONWIDE SIMULTANEOUS EARTHQUAKE DRILL

**DATE :** 23 FEBRUARY 2026

*Reference: NDRRMC Memorandum No. 15, s. 2026*

The Philippines, situated along the seismically active Pacific Ring of Fire, is susceptible to frequent earthquakes and volcanic eruptions. Recognizing this, the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRRMC), guided by Republic Act (RA) 10121, has implemented various measures to mitigate earthquake risks and other geological hazards. These measures encompass contingency planning, Incident Command System training for effective response, organization of Response Clusters, intensified public awareness campaigns and strengthened inter-agency coordination.

A cornerstone of the NDRRMC's initiatives is the Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED), conducted quarterly under the leadership of the Office of Civil Defense (OCD). NSED aims to assess the nation's capacity to respond to earthquakes, particularly in ensuring public safety through well-organized evacuation and response procedures.

In view thereof, the schedule for the CY 2026 Quarterly Nationwide Simultaneous Earthquake Drill (NSED) is hereby disseminated:

QUARTER	DATE/TIME	TIME
1 <sup>st</sup>	12 March 2026	03:30 PM
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\* In connection with the observance of the World Tsunami Awareness Day

The schedule of NSED may be adjusted in circumstances such as, but not limited to declared holidays, sudden cancellation of school classes or office work, or actual emergency and disaster incidents.

Active participation of DRRMCS at all levels and other government agencies/entities including its regional and local offices is strongly encouraged. All schools, offices, and other local activities are requested to be temporarily interrupted to give way for the scheduled conduct of the NSED. Respective activities shall resume afterwards.

All participating agencies are requested to submit their Participation Data, as well as the After Activity Report and Improvement Plan through the link/QR Code below. Report templates and other relevant documents could also be accessed through a separate link/QR Code. (Deadline: 15 working days after the event).

**Report Submission:**

- <https://forms.gle/hbq9V5VugDFSJapU6> (First Quarter NSED)
- <https://forms.gle/f8ooFScdB6218W3h8> (Second Quarter NSED)
- <https://forms.gle/mh5AJEv81L2o2PmD9> (Third Quarter NSED)
- <https://forms.gle/WRXhTBXZBdGjBm7x9> (Fourth Quarter NSED)

Report Templates and other relevant documents: <https://tinyurl.com/y5samz9e>



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Also attached is the NSED Banner for 2026 for your reference.

For confirmation and further coordination, you may contact the Capacity Building and Training Section through our official email address at [ocdrc9@gmail.com](mailto:ocdrc9@gmail.com).

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to disaster risk reduction and community resilience.

For strict compliance.

Digitally signed by  
Halanes Ruel Suco  
Date: 2026.02.23

**ATTY. RUEL S. HALANES, LPT, FOP**  
Chairperson  
Regional Director

