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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO : HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES; DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT; LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS; GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS; AND STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

SUBJECT : Extension of the Deadline for Submission of Nominations to the 2011 Search for Outstanding Public Officials and Employees

The Civil Service Commission (CSC) announces the extension of the deadline for the submission of nominations to the 2011 Search for Outstanding Public Officials and Employees to April 15, 2011. The two-week extension will afford nominees, nominators and other interested persons/groups to join this year's search.

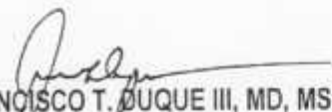
Relative thereto, we would also like to announce the 100 percent increase in the cash reward of recipients of this year's Presidential or *Lingkod Bayan* and Outstanding Public Officials and Employees or *Dangal ng Bayan* from P100,000.00 to P200,000.00 and the CSC *Pagasa Awards* from P50,000.00 to P100,000.00 contained in CSC Resolution No. 1100357 dated March 15, 2011. The increase is likewise in fulfillment of the commitment made by His Excellency President Benigno S. Aquino III during the 2010 Malacañan Awards Rites on October 15, 2010 where he promised to increase the cash reward to outstanding public service exemplars.

With these development, we would like to invite the Commission's various stakeholders to actively promote the program and submit more nominations, especially quality nominations with strong chances of winning. We advise the public to seek the assistance of the Civil Service Commission Regional Office (CSCRO) which has jurisdiction over your agency/place of work so the nominations which will be submitted will be thoroughly screened according to the Enhanced Guidelines on the 2011 Search embodied in CSC Memorandum Circular No. 3, s. 2011.

The Commission's offices, including the Honor Awards Program (HAP) Secretariat, shall be at hand to entertain inquiries and provide guidance to ensure quality submission of nominations.

Attached are copies of CSC Memorandum Circular No. 3, s. 2011 which includes the 2011 Enhanced Guidelines, HAP Nomination Forms and HAP Flyer, and CSC Resolution No. 1100357 dated March 15, 2011 on the increase in cash rewards.

For further information, you may visit the nearest Civil Service Commission Regional, Provincial and Field Office or the Honor Awards Program Secretariat, Constitution Hill, Diliman, Quezon City. You may likewise contact us at (632) 931-7993 and 932-0381; telefax (632) 932-0179; TextCSC (0917) 839-8272; email hap@webmail.csc.gov.ph and hapsecretariat@yahoo.com and websites www.csc.gov.ph, www.facebook.com/honorawardsprogram, or www.honorawardsprogram.wordpress.com.


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Chairman

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Increase in Cash Reward for Presidential or
Lingkod Bayan, Dangal ng Bayan and CSC
Pagasa Awards Annual Search for
Outstanding Public Officials and Employees
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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 12 (2); Chapter 3 of the Administrative Code of 1987 empowers the Commission to "prescribe, amend and enforce rules and regulations for carrying into effect the provisions of the Civil Service Law and other pertinent laws";

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Administrative Code of 1987, Republic Act No. 6713, and Executive Order No. 508, s. 1992 as amended by Executive Order No. 77, s. 1993, the Civil Service Commission administers an annual system of incentives and rewards to outstanding public officials and employees under the auspices of the Honor Awards Program (HAP);

WHEREAS, pursuant to the above-stated laws and its rules and policies, the Presidential or *Lingkod Bayan*, the Outstanding Public Officials and Employees or *Dangal ng Bayan* and the Civil Service Commission *Pagasa Awards* are given to deserving public officials and employees in recognition of their outstanding work performance as in the case of the *Lingkod Bayan* and *Pagasa Awardees*, and/or adherence to the Norms of Conduct and Ethical Standards espoused in Republic Act No. 6713;

WHEREAS, the cash reward of One Hundred Thousand Pesos (P100,000.00) given to recipients of Presidential or *Lingkod Bayan Award* and Outstanding Public Official and Employee or *Dangal ng Bayan Award* and Fifty Thousand Pesos (P50,000.00) to recipients of the Civil Service Commission *Pagasa Award* were not increased since Year 2000;

WHEREAS, His Excellency President Benigno S. Aquino III has delivered an inspirational speech during the October 15, 2010 awarding rites of the 2010 Outstanding Public Officials and Employees instructing the Presidential Management Staff (PMS) and the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) to look for additional funds to increase the cash reward of Honor Awardees;

WHEREAS, President Aquino, in fulfilling his promise, has approved a Five Million Pesos (P5 Million) financial assistance taken from the budget of the Office of the President to effect the increase in cash reward of recipients of the Presidential or *Lingkod Bayan*, the Outstanding Public Officials and Employees or *Dangal ng Bayan* and the *CSC Pagasa Awards* by One Hundred Percent;

WHEREFORE, the Commission RESOLVES as it hereby RESOLVED to increase the cash reward for Honor Awardees for the 2011 Search for Outstanding Public Officials and Employees, as follows:

1. Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (P200,000.00) for Presidential or *Lingkod Bayan* individual and group awardees;

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TINA KATHARINE L. SIBON
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2. Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (P200,000.00) for Outstanding Public Official and Employee or *Dangal ng Bayan* awardees; and
3. One Hundred Thousand Pesos (P100,000.00) for Civil Service Commission Pagasa individual and group awardees.

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