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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO

ALL HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS. BUREAUS AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS

SUBJECT

PRAISE Winners as Nominees to the 2018 Search for **Outstanding Government Workers**

The Civil Service Commission, through CSC Memorandum Circular No. 32 dated October 23, 2017, announced the start of the 2018 Search for Outstanding Government Workers. In the said issuance, agencies are enjoined to submit their nominations to the nearest Civil Service Regional or Provincial/Field Office.

Over the years, the CSC has been partnering with government agencies in the search for public service exemplars to nurture the culture of ethics and excellence among employees. Thus, they can best identify, recognize and reward them through their Program on Rewards and Incentives for Service Excellence (PRAISE) Committees.

The Commission sees the agencies' pool of PRAISE awardees as a potential source of nominees to the Search. In this regard, and to further institutionalize and strengthen the involvement of agencies in the conduct of the Search, heads of agencies are encouraged to automatically nominate their PRAISE awardees to the Search. As indicated in the abovementioned Memorandum Circular, submission of nominations is until March 30, 2018.

Agencies are advised to honor their PRAISE winners in simple rites/program in September during the Philippine Civil Service Anniversary month celebration.

Inquiries on the Honor Awards Program (HAP) may be submitted to the Honor Awards Program Secretariat thru telephone numbers (02)9317993 and (02)932-0381, CSC Hotline (02)932-0111, TextCSC 0917-8398272, Contact Center ng Bayan (CCB) 0908-8816565 and e-mail address hapsecretariat@yahoo.com or call or visit any Civil Service Commission Regional or Field Offices.

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