



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION



MEMORANDUM FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHAIRPERSON

TO : CHED REGIONAL OFFICE DIRECTORS
PRESIDENTS AND HEADS OF HIGHER EDUCATION
INSTITUTIONS (HEIs)

SUBJECT : THE 2023 TABLE OF REGIONAL INFLATION RATE (RIR) TO BE
USED AS ONE OF THE GUIDES IN DETERMINING THE
REASONABLENESS OF THE APPLICATIONS TO INCREASE
TUITION AND OTHER SCHOOL FEES (TOSF) FOR ACADEMIC
YEAR (AY) 2024-2025 OF PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION
INSTITUTIONS (PHEIs).”

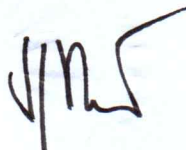
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In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 7722 otherwise known as the “Higher Education Act of 1994,” CHED Memorandum Order (CMO) No. 03, s. 2012, and by virtue of Commission *en banc* (CEB) Resolution No. 017-2024 dated January 16, 2024, **the Commission shall adopt the 2023 table of Regional Inflation Rate (RIR) to be used as one of the guides in determining the reasonableness of the applications to increase tuition and other school fees (TOSF) for Academic Year (AY) 2024-2025 of private higher education institutions (PHEIs).**

Region	RIR
I – Ilocos Region	5.1
II – Cagayan Valley	4.6
III – Central Luzon	6.9
IV – CALABARZON	5.8
V – Bicol Region	5.9
VI – Western Visayas	6.9
VII – Central Visayas	5.1
VIII – Eastern Visayas	4.4
IX – Zamboanga Peninsula	5.7
X – Northern Mindanao	6.0
XI – Davao Region	6.3
XII – SOCCSKSARGEN	5.6
National Capital Region	6.2
Cordillera Administrative Region	4.5
CARAGA Region	5.5
MIMAROPA Region	6.9

The Regional Inflation Rate is one of the factors to be considered in the determination of the reasonableness of all charges, increases, and impositions on tuition and other school fees by higher education institutions (HEIs). Evaluation should always be based on relevant documents, data requirements, justifications, and evidence submitted by higher education institutions (HEIs) in adherence to the requirements and timelines stipulated in CMO No. 03, s. 2012.

For immediate action and strict compliance.



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