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CHEDRO-III MEMORANDUM  
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For : **ALL PRESIDENTS/HEADS OF HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS  
IN REGION III OFFERING TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

Subject : **Membership into the Rosters of the Philippine Association of Teachers  
and Educators- Region 3 and the Council of Deans of Colleges of  
Education-Region III**

Date : **February 12, 2024**

With the issues and challenges facing the Teacher Education Programs in general and the teaching profession in particular, the Commission on Higher Education Regional Office III encourages the Deans, Program Coordinators/Chairs from among the Teacher Education Institutions (TEI's) in the Region to strengthen their ranks by actively joining the rosters of the Philippine Association of Teachers and Educators-Region III and the Council of Deans of Colleges of Education-Region III.

The issues and challenges on the declining performance/s in teacher licensure examinations, the newest resolution/s issued by the Teacher Education Board of the Professional Regulations Commission, the need of increasing the number of Centers of Excellence and Centers of Development for Teacher Education Programs of Region III, and the need to encourage TEI's to offer Bachelor of Early Childhood Education, as pre-school education is made as a mandatory requirement for all entering Grade 1 pupils in the Basic Education Curriculum, all over the country, among many others.

Should there be further queries regarding the membership for both the PAFTE-Region III and the CDCE-Region III, please coordinate with Dr. Alma M. Natividad, Dean, College of Education, Holy Angel University, Angeles City, and Incumbent Chair, PAFTE-Region III through her mobile number at 09328582341.

For the voluntary participation of all concerned.

Wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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