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To:

Heads of Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

From:

Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Subject: Request for Endorsement of the Climate Change: Understanding, Reducing

and Adapting

Date:

June 16, 2016

- 1. Attached is a letter from Pivot Edutainment requesting for an endorsement of their voluntary and non-compulsory program to all public and private schools
- 2. The program aims to engage all people in their battle against climate change, regardless of their roles in the community.
- 3. Proper coordination with concerned authorities and adherence to the "No disruption of classes policy" of the Department must be observed during the presentation of the company's proposals.

4. For information and wide dissemination.

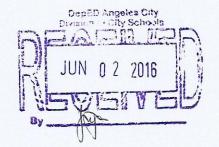
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Officer-in-Charge

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

June 2, 2016

MS. LEILANI CUNANAN, CESO VI Schools Division Superintendent City Division of Angeles Department of Education



SUBJECT:

Request for Endorsement of the Climate Change: Understanding, Reducing & Adapting in all public and private school in the City Division of Angeles for the Academic Year 2016-2017.

Dear Ms. Cunanan:

Greetings of peace and prosperity!

Over the past twenty (20) years, the Philippines has been determined the 4th most disaster prone country in the world. Also, the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR) 2015 Global Assessment Report on Disaster Risk Reduction has determined that our country is the 5th most vulnerable country in terms of disaster risk implications for development capacity.

This program aims to engage all the people in our battle against climate change, regardless of their roles in the community. With your help and approval, we will bring all our technology, such as the (1) Digital Dome Theater, (2) 3D Film Showing System and (3) Interactive Exhibit of Renewable Sources of Energy in your school to share our knowledge in climate change related concerns, which also involves discussions on disaster risk reduction.

With this, we would like to request for an endorsement of this voluntary and non-compulsory program to all public and private schools in your area. Rest assured that we will work closely with your office, in accordance to the vision and mission of the institution.

We will be looking forward to your positive response regarding the matter.

Thank you and more power.

Respectfully yours,

Managing Director

WHO WE ARE

Pivot Edutainment is an innovative company that aims to address one of the most pressing issues of our time. We are highly committed to increase Climate Change Literacy among Filipino individuals, as we call for their most immediate action in response to the impact of this phenomenon to the whole ecosystem.



RATIONALE

People around the globe have been experiencing a change in our climate since the beginning of time. In fact, this change is considered to be a natural phenomenon and has positive effects to the environment as well as to living beings. However, we could no longer deny the fact that we are now experiencing a very drastic change primarily because of human activities. As humans, we are considered as a force of nature that has the capacity to disrupt the flow of matter and energy on the planet.

With that being said, it is indeed necessary that the science of climate change be taught, both in formal and informal education, in order for us to make sound and rational decisions in relation to this phenomenon.

Climate change is one of the most important topics of the decade and education is playing a very big part in understanding, mitigating and adapting process. We recognize that one of the best approaches would be to instill awareness and understanding, especially to the young individuals of our present time.

CLIMATE CHANGE IN GENERAL

"I am not a scientist, but I don't need to be. Because the world's scientific community has spoken, and they have given us our prognosis, if we do not act together, we will surely perish. Now is our moment for action." (Leonardo DiCaprio, UN Climate Summit 2014)

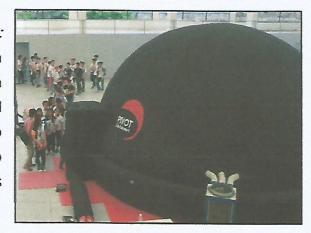
GENERAL OBJECTIVES:

- To increase public awareness and help young people understand the impact of global warming today and increase Climate Change Literacy among young Filipino citizens;
- 2. To enhance, inspire and enable the involvement of young Filipinos in sustainable development and increase their participation in environmental activities; and
- 3. To implement a fun, innovative and life-changing learning experience that will develop critical thinkers, lifelong learners and adaptable individuals

Our innovative Learning Program brings the following:

ACTIVITY 1: CLIMATE CHANGE: WHAT FUTURE ARE WE FACING?

Inside, we will be featuring a film entitled *Climate Change:* What Future Are We Facing while one of our lecturers give an overview on what climate change really is. This discussion attempts to give a basic understanding on the causes and effects of this pressing phenomenon so the viewers could also act and respond accordingly. In addition to that, we will also give an overview on how both rural and urban areas contribute to the worsening effects of climate change.



ACTIVITY 2: 3D FILM SHOWING (UNDER THE SEA 3D & FOREST HERO: CONI)

Pivot Edutainment brings you one of the latest technologies of the 20th century, the 3D film showing system. With our state of the art 3D system, the viewers will surely enjoy this one-of-a-kind experience.



Aside from the enjoyment, this activity also aims to feature the negative effects of climate change to our ecosystem. We are offering two different films, depending on the age and interests of our viewers. For the younger audience, we have *Forest Fighter: Coni*, a 25-minutes animation about a bee saving the environment and their community as well.

For an older audience, *Under the Sea* is a film about the effects of climate change to the underwater ecosystem, particularly the effect of ocean acidification.

ACTIVITY 3: INTERACTIVE EXHIBIT ON RENEWABLE RESOURCES

In this activity, Pivot Edutainment introduces three different renewable sources of energy: (1) Solar panel, (2) Wind turbine and (3) Bicycle Generator. As renewable sources of energy, these technologies are just some of the many things that could be used to lessen the aggravating effects of climate change. Also, this activity aims to make the students understand that even in the realm alternative energy; there is no single solution but a cautious crafted combination of different approaches.



The whole event runs for approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes simultaneously, so as not to disrupt the ongoing classes of the students and teachers.

TARGET OF IMPLEMENTATION:

The school may choose the most comfortable date to hold the event. However, a reservation must be done at least a month before the event schedule.

We are also happy to share with you some of our clients during the previous AY 2015-2016:



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