

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education Region III



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent



August 3, 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 205, s. 2021

CALL FOR NATIONAL-LEVEL RESEARCH PROPOSALS AVAILING OF THE BASIC EDUCATION RESEARCH FUND (BERF) FOR FY 2021

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chiefs, CID & SGOD
Heads of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
Assistant Principals of Integrated Schools

- 1. Please be informed of the Regional Memorandum No. 285, s. 2021 entitled "Call for National-Level Research Proposals Availing of the Basic Education Research Fund (BERF) for FY 2021".
- 2. Submission for review of Research Proposals to Division Office following the Research Management Guidelines is on or before **August 20, 2021**.
- 3. Attached is the Regional Memorandum No. 285 s. 2021 for your reference and guidance.
- Immediate dissemination of the contents of this Memorandum is highly desired.

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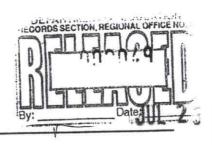




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REGION III-CENTRAL LUZON



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No. 285, s. 2021

CALL FOR NATIONAL-LEVEL PROPOSALS AVAILING OF THE BASIC EDUCATION RESEARCH FUND (BERF) FOR FY 2021

To: All Schools Division Superintendents

- 1. The Department of Education issued DepEd Order No. 16, s. 2017 or the Research Management Guidelines (RMG) to continuously promote and strengthen evidence-based mechanisms on the conduct and management of education research.
- 2. In line with this, the Department invites all qualified DepEd employees to submit national-level research proposals for possible funding under the BERF for FY 2021. National-level proposals should be nationwide in scope or should cover two (2) or more regions and should be relevant to the theme: Supporting and Assessing Learning Continuity. Topics related to Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education (MTB-MLE) particularly on learning materials and development are also encouraged.
- 3. Please be guided by the attached memo regarding the Call for National-level Research Proposals supported by the Basic Education Research Fund (BERF). Further, registration for the virtual orientation will be through this link: https://tinyurl.com/RegisterVirtualOrientationCNRP from July 23 to July 27, 2021.
- 4. For any questions or inquiries regarding this matter, please contact the Planning Service Policy and Research Development Division (PS-PRDD) through their email ps.prd@deped.gov.ph.

For your information and guidance.

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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY PLANNING, HUMAN RESOURCE AND ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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UNDERSECRETARIES

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES

BUREAU AND SERVICE DIRECTORS

REGIONAL DIRECTORS

FROM

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Undersecretary for Planning and Human Resource and

Organizational Development

SUBJECT

CALL FOR NATIONAL-LEVEL PROPOSALS AVAILING

OF THE BASIC EDUCATION RESEARCH FUND (BERF)

FOR FY 2021

DATE

July 7, 2021

The Department of Education issued DepEd Order No. 16, s. 2017 or the Research Management Guidelines (RMG) to continuously promote and strengthen evidence-based policy development and decision-making. DO 16, s. 2017 provides the standards and mechanisms on the conduct and management of education research. The said DepEd Order also includes the guidelines in availing the Basic Education Research Fund (BERF), a funding mechanism to support research initiatives of DepEd personnel across governance levels. At the Central Office, the Planning Service – Policy Research and Development Division (PS-PRDD), with guidance from the National Research Committee (NRC), initiates the call for national-level research proposals to be funded under the BERF.

In line with this, the Department invites all qualified DepEd employees to submit national-level research proposals for possible funding under the BERF for FY 2021. National-level proposals should be nationwide in scope or should cover two (2) or more regions and should be relevant to the theme: Supporting and Assessing Learning Continuity. Topics related to Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education (MTB MLE) particularly on learning materials and development are also encouraged. The following are eligible to become BERF proponents:

- Regular / permanent teaching or non-teaching DepEd personnel;
- Proponents who have no pending administrative case;
- Proponents who have not yet availed of the grant for the given year;
- Maximum of three (3) research team members for group proposals

Proposal format should follow the BERF template contained in DO 16, s. 2017. Regional Office (RO) and Schools Division Office (SDO) applicants are encouraged to contact their ROs or SDOs for Calls for Proposals at their level. PS-PRDD will be accepting national-level applications for prospective BERF support until **August 29, 2021**.

To further discuss the guidelines on availing the BERF, PS-PRDD will be conducting a **Virtual Orientation on the Call for National-level Research Proposals** on **July 29, 2021** via **Microsoft Teams** with the following schedules:

Schedule	Participants
9:00 am to 12:00 noon	Field Office personnel
2:00 pm to 05:00 pm	Central Office personnel

Participants shall confirm their attendance through the link: https://tinyurl.com/RegisterVirtualOrientationCNRP until July 23, 2021. The meeting link for the virtual orientation shall be provided to pre-registered participants through email. Regional Offices are requested to disseminate information to their respective SDOs.

For any questions or inquiries regarding this matter, please contact the Planning Service - Policy and Research Development Division (PS-PRDD) through their email ps.prd@deped.gov.ph.