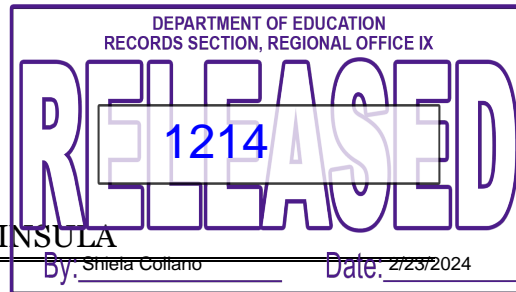




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**GATHERING OF DATA FOR THE RESEARCH TITLED “ANALYZING GAPS AND
 CREATING SOLUTIONS: DEVELOPMENT OF A STRATEGIC PLAN
 FOR MATH AND SCIENCE CURRICULA IN DEPED REGION IX”**

Please be informed of the request of the researcher, **Marie Antonette Adriatco Barrera**, to gather data for the study titled **“Analyzing Gaps and Creating Solutions: Development of A Strategic Plan for Math and Science Curricula in DepEd Region IX”** which identifies various key officials from the regional office across the eight (8) schools division offices (SDOs).

For information and widest dissemination.

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February 21, 2024

Respectfully forwarded to **DR. RUTH L. FUENTES, CESO IV, Regional Director** of **Department of Education (DepEd) Regional Office IX**, the herein request of **MARIE ANTONETTE ADRIATICO BARRERA** to gather pertinent data relative to her study titled **ANALYZING GAPS AND CREATING SOLUTIONS: DEVELOPMENT OF A STRATEGIC PLAN FOR MATH AND SCIENCE CURRICULA IN DEPED REGION IX** leading to the degree Doctor of Public Administration, for your favorable action and support.

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RUTH L. FUENTES, CESO IV
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Pagadian City

Subject: Request for Permission to Conduct Data Gathering in DepEd Region IX

MA'AM:

I hope this letter finds you well.

I am Marie Antonette A. Barrera, Administrative Officer II of DepEd Dipolog and currently pursuing my doctorate degree in Public Administration at Jose Rizal Memorial State University, Dapitan Campus.

As part of my dissertation, I am intending to carry out a dissertation entitled "Analyzing Gaps and Creating Solutions: Development of a Strategic Plan for Math and Science Curricula in DepEd Region IX." This project aims to identify the existing gaps in the current Math and Science curricula and to propose a comprehensive strategic plan to address these gaps, thereby enhancing the quality of education provided to our learners.

Understanding the critical role of the Department of Education in shaping the future of our students, this research seeks to contribute valuable insights and actionable strategies that align with DepEd's vision and mission of providing inclusive and quality education. The study will involve the collection of data through surveys, interviews, and focus group discussions with various key officials from the regional office and across the eight (8) schools division offices (SDOs).

To proceed with this important endeavor, I humbly request your permission to allow this research to be conducted under the SDOs under your jurisdiction including your good office. Rest assured that all data gathered will be treated with utmost confidentiality and will be used solely for academic purposes. The research procedures will be designed to ensure minimal disruption to the regular office activities.

Upon completion hopefully, I am more than willing to share the results of the study with the Department of Education and participate in discussions on how these insights might be best applied.

I am looking forward to the opportunity to contribute to the advancement of our educational system through this research. Please let me know if there are specific procedures I need to follow, or if there are forms to be filled out as part of the approval process. Moreover, the intended conduct of data gathering will be **HALF DAY** only. The undersigned will shoulder the complimentary food

provision for the persons involved and training venue if non-availability of area within your office can be utilized.

Thank you very much for considering my request. I am hopeful for your positive response and support on or before February 29, 2024. Please feel free to contact me at 0968-684-6154 or hannie.barrera@deped.gov.ph, should you have any questions or require further clarification.

Very truly yours,



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Administrative Officer II / Internal Auditor

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Researcher's Adviser
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