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52ND NATIONAL CONVENTION AND TECHNICAL CONFERENCE OF PICE

The Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers (PICE) shall conduct its **52nd National Convention and Technical Conference** on November 20–21, 2026, at the SMX Convention Center Seaside Cebu, Cebu City, with the theme "*PICE Towards a Sustainable Future: Strengthened by Members, Defined by Specialization.*"

The activity aims to enhance the professional knowledge and competencies of **Civil Engineer** through technical discussions and presentations, with **opportunities to earn CPD units.**

All School Division Superintendents are hereby given the discretion to act on this matter.

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Subject: **Invitation to Attend and Participate in the 52nd National Convention and Technical Conference**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from the PICE National Board of Directors!

We are pleased to convey that the PICE is now preparing for the much-awaited hybrid conduct of the **52nd National Convention and Technical Conference,** to be held on **20-21 November 2026,** at the **SMX Convention Center Seaside Cebu, Cebu City,** with the theme "***PICE Towards a Sustainable Future: Strengthened by Members, Defined by Specialization***". This event is expected to be attended by approximately 5,000 onsite delegates and 10,000 virtual delegates via the convention's virtual platform. Registration details will be announced once finalized and posted on the PICE Official Website at www.pice.org.ph, the PICE Official Facebook Page at www.facebook.com/PICENationalpage, and the PICE Official Facebook Account at www.facebook.com/pice.natl. The National Board of Directors will be hosting this significant event, with the PICE Cebu Chapter serving as the Lead-Support Chapter.

The 52nd National Convention and Technical Conference is a great avenue for Civil Engineers to earn the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) units required by Republic Act 10912 (CPD Law). The Technical Program will include topics on the state-of-the-art civil engineering technologies related to the seven (7) specialty divisions of PICE, namely: Project Management and Construction Engineering, Geotechnical Engineering, Structural Engineering, Transportation Engineering, Water Engineering, Environmental & Energy Engineering, and Civil Engineering Education.

The formal **Opening Ceremony** will commence at **8:00 in the morning on 20 November 2026**, followed by the Year-end President's Report and Plenary Session, featuring specialized lectures on major infrastructure projects and the latest innovations in civil engineering and infrastructure development. In the evening, a Fellowship Night will be held starting 6:30PM, featuring exciting games, competitions, and a bevy of raffle prizes. Throughout the convention, an Engineering Exposition will showcase exhibits from leading engineering companies, highlighting the latest technologies, materials, equipment, and innovations in engineering design and construction. On **21 November 2026**, parallel technical sessions will be conducted from **9:00 AM to 5:00 PM**, offering participants a full day of specialized lectures and discussions across the seven (7) fields of civil engineering.

In this regard, we would like to officially invite the civil engineers in your company to attend and participate in this significant event. The convention aims to elevate the quality of civil engineering practice in the planning, design, construction, operation, and maintenance of infrastructure and social facilities; enhance the professional competence and competitiveness of civil engineers; and support compliance with the requirements of Republic Act No. 10912 (Continuing Professional Development Act of 2016), particularly in relation to the renewal of Professional Identification (ID) Cards.

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Registration:

- **Onsite Delegates:**
  Non-Members and Members with outstanding arrears are welcome to participate in and register for this event through a separate registration platform (Xperto) at a rate of **PhP4,650.00** inclusive of the online payment channel service fee.

  However, PICE Members in Good Standing are entitled to avail themselves of the Regular Registration Rate of **PhP4,000.00**. Please note that the online payment channel service fee shall be borne by the payee/delegate at a flat rate of PhP25.00. For payments made via Visa/Mastercard, a service fee of PhP27.00 or 2.7%, whichever is higher, shall be imposed by the system. To avail of the regular rate, registration must be completed through the new Membership Portal. Members in Good Standing who have not yet created an account are advised to register through the new Membership Portal at https://pice-sme.smartpay.ph/.

  The registration fee for onsite delegates is inclusive of the convention meals (20 November 2026: AM and PM snacks, lunch, and dinner with raffle stub; 21 November 2026: AM and PM snacks and lunch), as well as a convention kit containing the ID lanyard with holder, pen, paper, and food stub. Limited copies of the Souvenir Program and Technical Proceedings shall be given on a first-come, first-served basis. However, e-copies may be given through a QR Code to be posted onsite.

- **Virtual Delegates:**
  Php1,035.00 inclusive of the online payment channel service fee.

We look forward to your participation in this important event.

Very truly yours,

ENGR. CARY H. BEATISULA, Ph.D.
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