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SUBJECT

2016 BATANG PINOY NATIONAL SPORTS COMPETITION

The Philippine Sports Commission, in cooperation with the Department of Education and this Department, is set to hold the **2016 Batang Pinoy National Sports Competition** on **27 November to 02 December 2016** at the City of Tagum, Province of Davao del Norte.

Batang Pinoy is the National Sports Development Program for children 17 years old and below. The said Program encourages all local chief executives to invest in the development of sports within their respective areas of jurisdiction. It also aims to widen the base to select potential athletes for future national and international sports competitions, primarily the quadrennial Youth Olympic Games.

In view of the above, all local chief executives are encouraged to support the national championship and other related activities of the said competition. The use of sports development funds may be authorized subject to the availability of funds and to the usual accounting and auditing requirements and to all pertinent laws, rules, and regulations.

For inquiries regarding the event, please contact the PSC through:

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