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**Commission on Higher Education (CHED)  
Enjoins Participation of All Higher Education Institutions  
in the 30<sup>th</sup> National Statistics Month (NSM) Celebration and  
Conduct of the 14<sup>th</sup> National Convention on Statistics (NCS)**

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The Commission on Higher Education (CHED), thru a memorandum from Chairperson J. Prospero E. De Vera III dated 25 June 2019 (Annex A), enjoins all CHED central and regional office directors and presidents/heads of public and private higher education institutions (HEIs) to participate in the celebration of the 30<sup>th</sup> National Statistics Month (NSM) in October 2019 and conduct of the 14<sup>th</sup> National Convention on Statistics (NCS) on 01-03 October 2019.

The 14<sup>th</sup> NCS will serve as a kick-off activity for the 30<sup>th</sup> NSM celebration which will be held on 01-03 October 2019 at the Crowne Plaza Manila Galleria in Ortigas Ave. cor. Asian Development Bank Ave., Quezon City.

The NCS is a triennial activity of the PSS which aims to: 1) provide a forum for exchanging ideas and experiences in the field of statistics and for discussing recent statistical developments and prevailing issues and problems of the PSS; and 2) elicit the cooperation and support of statisticians and professionals in related fields from the government, academe and private sector towards a more responsive statistical system. The NCS will feature plenary sessions, invited/contributed paper sessions, panel discussions, statistics trainings as well as the Statistical Information Management Exhibit.

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