



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Region XI  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY**  
**Digos City**

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**OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT**

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

OSDS-2026- 167

**To :** CONCERNED MUSLIM PERSONNEL OF DIGOS CITY DIVISION

**Subject :** Observance of the 1448 Hijrah Amun Jadid (Islamic New Year)


**Date :** 15 June 2026

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1. This has reference to the Regional Holiday Advisory issued on June 10, 2026 by Arch. Sherrila Porza-Sawah, uap, CESE, Regional Director of the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos Davao Region with the subject: ***“Observance of 1448 Hijrah Amun Jadid (Islamic New Year)”***, reiterating Articles 169 to 172 of Presidential Decree No. 1083, otherwise known as the Code of Muslim Personal Laws of the Philippines dated February 4, 1977, and in accordance with Civil Service Commission Resolution No. 81-1277 dated November 13, 1981 relative to the observance of the recognized Muslim holidays in the country.
2. The undersigned Schools Division Superintendent reiterates the directive of the Regional Director of the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos Davao Region that ***“all Muslim government officials and employees in National and Local government services are hereby excused from reporting for work on June 16, 2026, (Tuesday), in observance of the 1448 Hijrah Amun Jadid (Islamic New Year), which is among the recognized Muslim holidays in the country.”***
3. For immediate dissemination and compliance.

  
**MELANIE P. ESTACIO, Ph.D., CESO VI**  
Schools Division Superintendent 

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## **REGIONAL HOLIDAY ADVISORY** **(OBSERVANCE OF 1448 HIJRAH AMUN JADID)**

Pursuant to **Articles 169 to 172 of Presidential Decree No. 1083**, otherwise known as the Code of Muslim Personal Laws of the Philippines, dated February 4, 1977, and in accordance with **Civil Service Commission Resolution No. 81-1277** dated November 13, 1981, **all Muslim government officials and employees in the national and local government service are hereby excused from reporting for work on June 16, 2026 (Tuesday)**, in observance of the **1448 Hijrah Amun Jadid (Islamic New Year)**, which is among the recognized Muslim holidays in the country.


*Article 170. Provinces and cities where officially observed.*

*(1) Muslim holidays shall be officially observed in the Provinces of Basilan, Lanao del Norte, Lanao del Sur, Maguindanao, North Cotabato, Sultan Kudarat, Sulu, Tawi-Tawi, Zamboanga del Norte and Zamboanga del Sur, and in the Cities of Cotabato, Iligan, Marawi, Pagadian, and Zamboanga and in such other Muslim provinces and cities as may hereafter be created.*

*Article 172. Observance of Muslim employees.*

*(1) All Muslim government officials and employees in places other than those enumerated under Article 170 shall also be excused from reporting to office in order that they may be able to observe Muslim holidays.*

For information and guidance.

  
**ARCH. SHERRILA FORZA-SAWAH, uap, CESE**  
*Regional Director*  
NCMF Davao Region