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## Office of the Minister

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No.: 200 Series of 2023 Sangsamoro Autonomeus Region in Muslim Mindanzo Min-stry of Basic, Higher and Technical Education OFFICE OF THE MINISTER

TO

ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS\*\*\*E:

ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

TIME:

ATTENTION

ABDULLAH SALIK, JR., Director General, Basic Education

**FROM** 

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Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao Ministry of Basic, Higher and Technical Education INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION

Republic of the Philippines

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SUBJECT SIXTH KINGFISHER ABM CUF

DATE 06 MARCH 2023

RELEASED Date

- 1. The Kingfisher School of Business and Finance's ABM Organization, in coordination with the Kingfisher Junior Philippine Institute of Accountants (Kingfisher JPLA), announce the upcoming Sixth Kingfisher ABM Cup on March 24, 2023 to be held at Kingfisher School of Business and Finance.
- 2. The Kingfisher ABM Cup will test the knowledge of participants from schools nationwide in the Fundamentals of Accounting, Business, and Management with the intention of enhancing their camaraderie, boosting their confidence, and expanding their networks through healthy competition. The event consists of individual and group categories.
- 3. To ensure complete impartiality and fairness towards all participating schools, the host, Kingfisher School of Business and Finance Senior High School, will not participate in the event. This event is free of charge. There will be no registration fee, and the transportation expenses of all participants and coaches will be reimbursed per head at the end of the event.
- 4. In this regard, all secondary schools within in all schools divisions in BARMM are enjoined to participate in the abovementioned activity. For more information on the guidelines, kindly refer to the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) attached herewith.
- 5. Should you have any further inquiries, please do not hesitate to contact us through kingfisherabmcup6@gmail.com / 09279109000.
- 6. For information dissemination.



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March 3, 2023

Minister Mohagher M. Iqbal

Minister for Basic, Higher, and Technical Education

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Dear Minister Iqbal:

Greetings!

We, the Kingfisher School of Business and Finance's ABM Organization, in coordination with the Kingfisher Junior Philippine Institute of Accountants (Kingfisher JPIA), proudly announce the upcoming Sixth Kingfisher ABM Cup on March 24, 2023 to be held at Kingfisher School of Business and Finance.

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In this regard, we humbly request for an endorsement from your good office regarding the abovementioned, for the purpose of sending an invitation letter to the secondary schools within your division.

For more information on the guidelines, kindly refer to the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) attached to the document provided.

Should you have any further inquiries, please do not hesitate to contact us through any of the contact information provided below.

Respectfully

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Invites Committee Head

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IRR 4.12 All the contestants and their coaches will receive a Certificate of Participation.

IRR 4.13 The declared winners (First, Second, and Third Placers) shall receive a medal, a Certificate of Recognition, and cash prizes. The winning coaches shall also receive Certificate of Recognition and cash prizes.

#### Cash Prizes:

First Place: Php 3,000 (Contestant) + Php 2,000 (Coach) Second Place: Php 2,000 (Contestant) + Php 1,500 (Coach) Third Place: Php 1,500 (Contestant) + Php 1,000 (Coach)

#### **Group Category**

IRR 4.14 Grand Finalists must confirm their attendance at the Grand Final Round. In case of any absence/s, the groups next in rank during the elimination round shall be given the chance to substitute the non-attending grand finalist/s.

IRR 4.15 The Grand Final Round shall be governed with the applicable provisions of IRR 3.0 (General Contest Rules & Mechanics) and IRR 4.0 (Elimination Round).

IRR 4.16 The top three (3) groups accumulating the highest points shall be declared as First Place, Second Place, and Third Place respectively.

IRR 4.17 All the contestants and their coaches will receive a Certificate of Participation.

IRR 4.18 The declared winners (First, Second, and Third Placers) shall receive a medal, a Certificate of Recognition, and cash prizes. The winning coaches shall also receive Certificate of Recognition and cash prizes.

#### Cash Prizes:

First Place: Php 5,000 (Group) + Php 2,000 (Coach) Second Place: Php 4,000 (Group) + Php 1,500 (Coach) Third Place: Php 3,000 (Group) + Php 1,000 (Coach)



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#### **Group Category**

IRR 4.6 The Kingfisher ABM Cup Group Category shall be a correct-minus-wrong type of quiz bee. It is composed of thirty (30) questions: fifteen (15) theory and fifteen (15) problem types. Time allotment and corresponding points are as follows:

	Theory	Problem
Time allotment	10 seconds	15 seconds
Points per correct answer	3	5
Deduction per incorrect answer	1	2

IRR 4.7 Groups have an option whether to answer the questions or not. However, each group must answer AT LEAST FIVE (5) QUESTIONS CORRECTLY to move into the grand finals.

IRR 4.8 The top 25 groups will be composed of the winners and an additional 15 groups coming from the top scorers preceding the winners who will serve as substitutes. The top 25 shall advance to the Grand Final Round which shall be held on the 24th day of March 2023.

#### **Grand Final Round**

### **Individual Category**

IRR 4.9 Grand Finalists must confirm their attendance at the Grand Final Round. In case of any absence/s, the contestant/s next in rank during the elimination round shall be given the chance to substitute the non-attending grand finalist/s.

IRR 4.10 The Grand Final Round shall be governed with the applicable provisions of IRR 3.0 (General Contest Rules & Mechanics) & IRR 4.0 (Elimination Round).

*IRR 4.11* The top three (3) contestants accumulating the highest points shall be declared as First Place, Second Place, and Third Place respectively.





#### **IRR 4.0** GUIDELINES IN THE CONDUCT OF THE KINGFISHER ABM CUP

#### **Elimination Round**

#### **Individual Category**

IRR 4.1 The Kingfisher ABM Cup Elimination Round is composed of three (3) subset rounds namely: Easy, Average, and Difficult. Time allotment, number of questions, and corresponding points are as follows:

	EASY	AVERA GE	DIFFICU LT	CLINCHE R
Theory Questions	15 seconds	15 seconds	15 seconds	15 seconds
Problems Requiring Computations	20 seconds	40 seconds	60 seconds	30 seconds
No. of items	10	10	10	-
Correspondi ng Points	3	5	7	-

IRR 4.2 The one hundred (100) contestants accumulating the highest points shall be declared as the qualifiers for the final round.

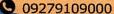
Contestants may use their pens and paper once the quizmaster starts reading the question; however, they are only permitted to utilize their calculators when the quizmaster gives the go signal.

All answers to open-ended problem-solving questions must include the proper placement of commas, wherein the use of spaces is strictly not allowed.

IRR 4.4.a. Example: 90,000,000

In case of a tie, a question chosen either by the panel of judges or the Vice President for Academics of Kingfisher ABM Organization shall be used to break the deadlock.







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Any contestant who violates the said provision is subjected to the following sanctions:

IRR 3.10.a First Offense — Warning

IRR 3.10.b Second Offense — Fifty percent (50%) of the total garnered score

shall only be recorded.

IRR 3.10.c Third Offense — The contestant will be disqualified

IRR 3.11 The question types are multiple choices, identification, and questions requiring numerical answers. Each subset round may or may not include all the aforementioned question types.

IRR 3.12 Any other concerns regarding the competition must be reported to the facilitators immediately. After each question, participants may raise their hand if they have any concerns; the facilitators will allot ten seconds to each.

IRR 3.13 Abbreviations and misspelled words are not allowed and will not be considered. All answers to open-ended problem-solving questions must include the proper unit and placement of commas.

IRR 3.14 If a contestant is caught cheating, s/he will be disqualified from the competition.

IRR 3.15 If a contestant has other concerns during the competition, s/he should inform the assigned facilitator.

IRR 3.16 For an undisrupted flow of the contest, queries shall all be discussed and finalized after each round. At this juncture, contestants may attend to their personal necessities (e.g., bathroom break).

IRR 3.17 The Board of Judges shall be composed of Certified Public Accountants in relevance to the event. Any member of the Board of Judges shall be vested with the power to give sanction to any contestant/s who will violate any of the provisions stated in the IRR.

IRR 3.18 The Judges' decisions are final and irrevocable.

IRR 3.19 The scores will be announced after every tenth, twentieth, and thirtieth question.

IRR 3.20 IRR may change, as deemed necessary by the board of judges, without prior notice.



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- IRR 3.2 Duly accomplished endorsement letters must be presented upon registration of the participants and coaches on the day of the contest.
- IRR 3.3 Participants should wear name tags indicating the name of their school, which will be given at the registration area together with the assigned seating arrangement and wristband: **BLUE** for the group category and **YELLOW** for the individual category.
- IRR 3.4 Contestants are expected to enter their respective rooms five (5) minutes before the quiz starts. Mobile phones and other things that can cause delays to the competition are prohibited inside the room.
- IRR 3.5 Follow the time strictly. Latecomers are not allowed to join the competition.
- IRR 3.6 Walk-in participants shall not be entertained.
- IRR 3.7 To ensure the integrity of the quiz and comply with the health protocols, only the participants may enter the room. Designated facilitators shall closely monitor the contestants.
  - To reduce the number of people inside the room and to avoid any form of cheating, no one, including the coaches and family members, shall be in the same room while the contest is ongoing.

#### During the contest proper

- IRR 3.8 Only pens/pencils, calculators, clean papers [one (1) sheet for the individual category and three (3) sheets for the group category], and one-fourth (1/4) illustration boards are allowed to be on the desk of each contestant and group during the competition. The questions and given choices for each question shall be given in a piece of paper and will be dictated twice. Each participant will use a one-fourth (1/4) illustration board in showing their answers.
- **IRR 3.9** Only **ONE** calculator is allowed per contestant and group.
- IRR 3.10 The contestants are allowed to use their calculator ONLY when the quizmaster says "GO!"



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'A scanned copy of the contestant's school ID, front and back, to support the identity of the contestants. A certificate of registration may be used if the school ID is unavailable. To avoid delays, make sure that the copies are readable.

The scanned copies must be saved as a PDF file, formatted as indicated below.

- ABMCup\_ID\_<Region>\_<School Name>\_<Last Name>.pdf (ABMCup\_ID\_R01Ilocos\_KingfisherSchoolofBusinessandF inance DeVera.pdf)
- Data privacy consent form signed by all participants. This is to formally process the contestant's personal information in participating the competition. The template shall be provided by Kingfisher ABM Organization.

The scanned copies must be saved as a PDF file, formatted as indicated below.

- ABMCup\_DPCF\_<Region>\_<School Name>.pdf (ABMCup\_DPCF\_R01Ilocos KingfisherSchoolofBusinessand Finance.pdf)
- IRR 2.2 There is no registration fee.
- The maximum transportation cost that could be reimbursed is One Thousand IRR 2.3 Eight Hundred (1,800) pesos ONLY. This limit is applicable to the overall cost of transportation PER SCHOOL. Any cost that exceeds the prescribed limit WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.
- IRR 2.4 Contestants and coaches are required to follow basic health protocols during the event (e.g., wearing masks). Hence, the Kingfisher ABM Organization is not responsible and not liable for any circumstances brought by the breach of these protocols.

#### **IRR 3.0** GENERAL CONTEST RULES AND MECHANICS

### Before the contest proper

IRR 3.1 Contestants are highly recommended to wear their school uniforms. If not possible, they are required to be in their smart casual attire (e.g., collared shirt top) during the competition. Informal clothing such as sando, sleeveless, and the like shall be strictly prohibited. Failure to comply with this requirement will prohibit the contestant/s from joining the competition.



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# IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE KINGFISHER ABM CUP 2023

#### IRR 1.0 COVERAGE AND QUALIFICATIONS

IRR 1.1 The Kingfisher ABM Cup is open for Grade 12 ABM students and other Grade 12 students who took up Fundamentals of Accountancy, Business, and Management I and II (or any two equivalent Accounting subjects for Senior High School students) as electives. The students must also be fluent in English, which is the medium to be used throughout the competition.

IRR 1.2 Schools may send up to two (2) contestants for the individual category and strictly three (3) contestants for the group category. Additionally, the contestants may join the two categories. The quiz bee is composed of two (2) parts: the individual category round, which will be conducted on the 24th day of March at 9:00 AM; and the group category round, which will also be held on the same day at 1:00 PM.

IRR 1.3 The quiz bee covers Fundamentals of Accountancy, Business, and Management I and II. It includes special topics such as Retail and Gross Profit Methods of Inventory Estimation, Financial Statements and Ratio Analysis, VAT Computations, Bank Reconciliation, and Depreciation.

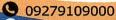
#### IRR 2.0 REQUIREMENTS

IRR 2.1 Each school should complete the following requirements and upload to the provided registration form links (Individual Category, <a href="https://forms.gle/RARoMaXJMYAWdjYo9">https://forms.gle/RARoMaXJMYAWdjYo9</a>; Group Category, <a href="https://forms.gle/wrLccdSUiTKoLUiz8">https://forms.gle/wrLccdSUiTKoLUiz8</a>) on or before the 10th day of March 2023:

 A scanned copy of the endorsement letter that certifies the names of the official representatives of the school duly signed by the respective ABM Adviser or School Head.

The Kingfisher ABM Organization will be providing the pro forma of the letter. The Endorsement Letter must be saved as a PDF file, formatted as indicated below.

- ABMCup\_Endorsement Letter\_<Region>\_<SchoolName>.pdf
- (ABMCup\_EndorsementLetter\_R01Ilocos\_KingfisherSchool OfBusinessandFinance.pdf)



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