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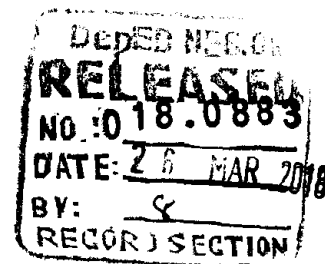
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TRAVEL ORDER

NO. 400, s. 2018

TO : **MR. JERRY DIAMANTE**
 Principal I
 Siaton District 3

OFFICE : Division of Negros Oriental

PURPOSE : To attend the **3RD NATIONAL SUMMIT ON GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT IN COOPERATIVES**

DATE OF TRAVEL : **April 3-5, 2018**

VENUE/PLACE : Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City

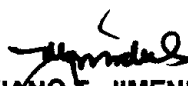
 ALLOWED/CHARGED TO: **NORECO Funds**

X : Transportation and other incidental expenses

X : Registration

X : Accommodation

Note: Your travel is permitted, provided that there shall be no conflict of schedule in DepEd, on Official Time Only. No government funds shall be used.

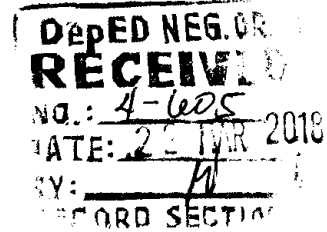

SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ, CESO VI
 OIC-Office of the Assistant Regional Director
 Concurrent Schools Division Superintendent

DR. PICARDA



**NEGROS ORIENTAL II ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE
NORECO II**

March 21, 2018



MR. SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ
CESO VII OIC
Department of Education
Regional Director
Concurrent Schools Division Superintendent
Division of Negros Oriental

Dear Mr. Jimenez:

Good day!

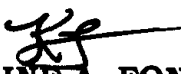
We are pleased to inform your good office that NORECO II appointed Ms. Constance Joy E. Sarne (Siaton II District Supervisor) and Mr. Jerry Diamante (Principal I Siaton III District) as a member of Gender and Development (GAD) Committee for a period of one (1) year per BR # 236-17 dated November 11, 2017.

In view thereof, we would like to ask your consent with regard to their attendance to the 3rd National Summit on Gender and Development in Cooperatives on April 3 – 5, 2018 at Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City as per attached invitation from the Gender Equality Resource Center (GERC) Inc.

Hoping for your kind consideration.

Thank you and more power!

Very truly yours,


KATHRINE A. FONTELO
BOD Chairperson *mel*

March 21, 2018

MR. JERRY DIAMANTE
Poblacion, Siaton
Negros Oriental

Dear *Mr. Diamante*:

We are pleased to inform you that by virtue of Board Resolution No. **236-17** dated November 11, 2017, you are appointed as member of the **Gender and Development Committee**.

For your information and guidance.

Very truly yours,


KATHRINE A. FONTELO
Board Chairperson *mm*



Gender Equality Resource Center (GERC) Inc.
Promoting gender equality for development in and through cooperatives

An Invitation to the

CO-OP ENTREPRENEURS CONFERENCE (CEC)

Theme: *"Enhancing Co-op-Supported Family Enterprises"*

(A side-event to the "3rd National Summit on Gender and Development [GAD] in Cooperatives")

Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City

April 3, 2018

Organized by: Gender Equality Resource Center (GERC) Inc.

RATIONALE

Entrepreneurship drives economic growth and job creation. How can co-op members be more encouraged to become entrepreneurial? How can gender equality encourage and sustain entrepreneurship by involving household and family? How can co-ops support family enterprises as a strategy for economic empowerment and development?

The "Co-op Entrepreneurs Conference (CEC)" to be held on April 3, 2018 in Cebu City will focus on co-ops, social enterprises, and family enterprises of cooperative members as a strategy to fight poverty. The CEC will bring together co-op member entrepreneurs (women and men) and discover/reinforce the tremendous potential that they bring to cooperative development and nation-building.

The CEC is also an opportunity for women entrepreneurs to meet and talk with other entrepreneurs; share ideas; build partnerships and contacts; and gain inspiration to create innovative goods and services that will transform family enterprises, co-ops, and communities through connection and collaboration.

PROGRAMME

- 08:00-09:00 Registration
- 09:00-09:15 Opening Ceremony
- 09:15-09:45 Rationale: Cooperatives, Social Enterprises, and Family Enterprises
- 09:45-11:15 Stories of Cooperatives, Social Enterprises, and Women in Households
 - A co-op's story
 - Social entrepreneur
 - Entrepreneur from a cooperative
- 11:15-12:00 A Chocolate Affair
- 12:00-12:45 Open Forum and Synthesis
- 12:45-01:00 Closing Program
- 01:00-05:00 Networking Lunch and Market Encounter



3rd National Summit on Gender and Development (GAD) in Cooperatives

3-5 April 2018

Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City

Theme: "Philippine Co-ops Stepping up UN SDGs through GAD Mainstreaming"
#1phcoop1actionforSDG2030

Organizers: Gender Equality Resource Center (GERC) Inc. and
Cooperative Development Authority (CDA)

PROGRAMME

Day 1, April 3

- 02:00-04:00 Registration
05:00-06:00 **OPENING CEREMONY**
Opening Salvo: Lamac MPC (Youth)
Recognition of delegates, guests, and organizers
Welcome Remarks from the organizers (CDA and GERC Inc.)
Messages
 - Hon. Hilario P. Davide III, Governor, Province of Cebu
 - Hon. Agnes A. Magpale, Vice Governor, Province of Cebu06:00-06:30 Keynote Address
06:30-08:00 Solidarity Night (*hosted by the Summit's Cebu-based co-op co-organizers*)

Day 2, April 4

- 08:30-09:00 **PRELIMINARIES**
09:00-10:00 Co-ops' Commitment to Social Development Goals (SDGs) (Global and Philippines) and the Philippine Cooperative Medium-Term Development Plan (PCMTDP)—Hon. Orlando R. Ravanera, Chairperson, CDA
10:00-11:00 Association of Southeast Asian Nations [ASEAN] Economic Community (AEC) and Small- and Medium-Scale Enterprises (SMEs)
11:00-12:00 Women, Co-ops, and the 4th Industrial Revolution (Rev 4.0)
12:00-01:00 Building Resilient Co-ops with Gender Equality
01:00-01:30 **LUNCH**
01:30-03:30 Panel Discussion: How co-ops are coping with SDGs and Rev 4.0
04:00-05:00 Open Forum: Issues and concerns on actions by co-ops for the SDGs

Day 3, April 5

- 08:30-09:00 **PRELIMINARIES**
09:00-10:00 Reports of gender and development (GAD) initiatives and gains from the CDA and GERC Inc.
10:00-11:00 Discussion: Summit Declaration/Call for Action
11:00-11:30 Action Commitment (Ritual)
11:30-12:30 Closing Program
12:30 Lunch and departure

REGISTRATION DETAILS
for the "3rd National Summit on Gender and Development (GAD) in Cooperatives"

Please register online at the GERC Inc. website: www.gerc.ph (use the link in the website to register for the Summit), or by clicking the hyperlink in this email's cover letter.

Note: The Summit will be a live-out event. Participants from co-ops and other organizations will arrange their own accommodation. The Summit organizers can suggest hotels and guests houses. Participants will also make their own travel arrangement for the Summit—to and from the venue.

REGISTRATION FEE: Includes dinner on April 3; AM/PM snacks and lunch on April 4; AM snacks and lunch on April 5; conference handouts and materials; participant's kit and t-shirt; and Certificate of Participation.

DATE OF PAYMENT	Registration fee
Early bird (January – February 28, 2018)	PhP 5,500
March 1 – 16, 2018	PhP 6,000
March 17 – April 3, 2018	PhP 6,500

Please deposit your registration fee in any of GERC Inc.'s bank accounts (BPI or LBP).

ACCOUNT NAME: **Gender Equality Resource Center (GERC) Inc.**

- a. NAME OF BANK: **Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI)** ACCOUNT NUMBER: **8573-0649-42**
- b. NAME OF BANK: **Land Bank of the Philippines (LBP)** ACCOUNT NUMBER: **0431-1833-58**

Please take note!

- Registration for the "3rd National Summit on Gender and Development (GAD) in Cooperatives" is on first-come, first-served basis. For late registrants or those registering after **March 17, 2018**, there will be no assurance of participant's kit.
- For inquiries, contact Ms. Wilma Ganibe of GERC Inc.: (0935-549-2471) (TM) or 0918-635-4943 (Smart). E-mail add: gerc@gerc.ph or gerc.philippines@yahoo.com.

Thank you and see you at the 3rd National Summit on GAD.

The GERC Team.