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COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION, ARTS AND CULTURE

joint with the

COMMITTEE ON HIGHER, TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

NOTICE OF 5TH TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEETING

Date: February 4, 2021

For : SEN. JOEL VILLANUEVA

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Please be informed that the Committee on Basic Education, Arts and Culture joint with the Committees on Higher, Technical and Vocational Education; and Finance, will conduct a hybrid Technical Working Group (TWG) meeting on **February 11, 2021, Thursday, 9:00 a.m. via Zoom (videoconference/teleconference)**, to continue the discussion on the following bills regarding the proposed Teacher Education Council Act:

1. **Senate Bill No. 1887** – "An Act Enhancing The Quality Of Basic Education In The Philippines By Improving The Quality Of Teachers And School Leaders, Strengthening The Teacher Education Council Under Republic Act No. 7784,

Entitled 'An Act To Strengthen Teacher Education In The Philippines By Establishing Centers Of Excellence, Creating A Teacher Education Council For The Purpose, Appropriating Funds Therefor, And For Other Purposes', Institutionalizing The National Educators Academy Of The Philippines, And Appropriating Funds Therefor" (by Senators Win Gatchalian and Joel Villanueva); and

2. **Senate Bill No. 1893** – "An Act Enhancing The Quality Of Teachers And School Leaders By Strengthening The Teacher Education Council, Amending For The Purpose Republic Act No. 7784 Entitled, 'An Act To Strengthen Teacher Education In The Philippines By Establishing Centers Of Excellence, Creating A Teacher Education Council For The Purpose, Appropriating Funds Therefor, And For Other Purposes', And Appropriating Funds Therefor" (by Sen. Ramon Bong Revilla, Jr.)

Kindly provide the Committee with an email address where we can send the official invitation link (Zoom) to the meeting site. The access code will be sent individually to the email address that your Office will provide prior to the TWG meeting.

For Senators' staff who wish to physically attend the TWG meeting, the venue will be at the **Senator L.M. Tañada Room**, 2F, Senate of the Philippines, GSIS Building, J.W. Diokno, Pasay City.

Thank you.

For the Chairperson: SEN. WIN GATCHALIAN

HAZET ROSS P. VILLARBA Committee Secretary

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