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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 458, s. 2026

CONSUMER WELFARE MONTH CELEBRATION 2026

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors (CID and SGOD)
Public Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned
This Division

1. In reference to the letter from the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), Misamis Occidental dated September 3, 2026, and pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 1098 under the Republic Act No. 7394, otherwise known as the "Consumer Act of the Philippines," this Office hereby announces the conduct of the Division Consumer Quiz Bowl with the theme, "Safe Products, Confident Consumer" on September 26, 2026, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Ozamiz City School of Arts and Trades, Maningcol, Ozamiz City.

2. Participants in this activity shall be bonafide Grade 9 or Grade 10 learners officially enrolled for School Year 2026-2027.

3. The teacher-coach shall be entitled to a 1-day service credit in accordance with **DepEd Order No. 52, s. 2023**, entitled, "Updated Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits for Teachers." Meanwhile, non-teaching personnel shall be granted **Compensatory Time-Off (CTO)** in accordance with the **Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) Joint circular No. 2, s. 2004**, entitled "Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered," particularly Section 5 thereof.

4. Each District shall send 1 (one) learner-contestant to represent the district in the Division Level Consumer Quiz Bowl 2026.

5. All Public Schools District Supervisors (PSDSs) are requested to fill out the names of the contestants and the coach from their respective districts through the link provided http://bit.ly/3TriaQ1 on or before September 23, 2026.

6. The top 6 winners of the Division Level shall represent this Division in the Provincial Consumer Quiz Bowl on October 10, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Oroquieta City.

7. Participants in this activity shall adhere to the Equal Opportunity Policy (EOP) of this Office which upholds inclusivity and non-discrimination regardless of age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, ethnicity, civil status, disability, religion, political affiliation, among others.

8. Attached herewith are the letter and contest guidelines issued by DTI Provincial Office for the information, guidance and reference of all concerned.

9. All travel and incidental expenses incurred relative to this activity shall be charged against School MOOE/local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

10. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

DIONESIO L. LIWAGON, JR., CESO VI
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
OIC, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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RBH/MPE/DM Consumer Welfare Month Celebration 2026
___/15 September 2026

Enclosure A to Division Memorandum No. 458, s. 2026

TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG)

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Committee	In-Charge
Program/Host	Riza G. Alia OIC- Head Teacher, AP
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DIONESIO L. LIWAGON, JR., CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent
Department of Education - Ozamiz City Division
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Dear **Sir Liwagon**:

Good day!

As October approaches, we once again prepare for the annual celebration of **Consumer Welfare Month (CWM)**, as declared by Presidential Proclamation No. 1098 under Republic Act No. 7394, otherwise known as the "Consumer Act of the Philippines." This year's theme is "Safe Products, Confident Consumer."

In line with this, several activities have been organized to mark the occasion, one of which is the **Provincial Consumer Quiz Bowl – High School Category**, **which will be held in Oroquieta City on Saturday, October 10, 2026, at 1:30 in the afternoon**. The top three (3) winners of the event will advance to the Regional Level Competition in Cagayan de Oro City on October 17, 2026. Attached herewith are the contest guidelines for your reference.

As one of our valued partners in championing consumer welfare through consumer education and advocacy, we kindly request your Division to select a **maximum of six (6) contestants** for this event. To ensure a fair and thorough selection process, we recommend conducting a Division-Level Quiz Bowl. Participants should be either Grade 9 or Grade 10 students.

The list of winners/participants and their coaches from your Division should be submitted to the DTI Misamis Occidental Provincial Office, G/F Gaisano Southwing Mall, Ozamiz City, on or before October 5, 2026, or sent via email to r10.misamisoccidental@dti.gov.ph.

For any clarifications, please contact Ms. Rea L. Florida at 0938-145-1066.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation as our partner in promoting consumer welfare and empowering consumers through education.

Very truly yours,

LUZ G. GALDA
Provincial Director

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PROVINCIAL CONSUMER QUIZ 2026 Guidelines

01. The contest is open to all public and private grades 9 & 10 high school students.
02. Each division is allowed with maximum of six (6) contestants/representatives only.
03. Contestants may wear their complete school uniform during the contest for easy identification.
04. The content of the questions are based on the Consumer Act of the Philippines (RA 7394), Price Act (RA 7581), Fair Trade Laws, and other Consumer related laws and policies of the Department of Trade & Industry.
05. Contestants are provided with tug board, chalk and eraser for their use during the contest.
06. English is the official language in the conduct of the questions.
07. There will be twenty-five (25) questions to be given, ten (10) of which are easy questions, ten (10) questions are average and the other five (5) questions are difficult.
08. Points given to every correct answer are as follows:
    a. One (1) point for easy question
    b. Two (2) points for average question
    c. Three (3) points for difficult question
09. Each question is to be read twice by the Quiz Master. Countdown starts after the question has been read for the second time.
10. Each question is given ten (10) seconds to answer.
11. A contestant is allowed to change/erase the answer within the allotted time of the question.
12. Wrong spelling wrong.
13. The winners will be proclaimed based on cumulative scoring system.
14. In case of tie, there will be a set of tie breaking questions for those concerned contestants.
15. There will be three (3) judges to score the answers.
16. There will be three (3) winners and they will be qualified to join the regional contest.
17. Protest or inquiry should be addressed orally to the chair of the Board of Judges and the decision of the Board is final.
18. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners.
19. Deadline for submission of the list of participants is on October 8, 2022.

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