



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION IV- A CALABARZON
CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS

16 September 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 617 s. 2026

PARTICIPATION IN THE SYMPOSIUM ON RENAMING TAYABAS TO QUEZON

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
Heads, Unit/Section
All Others Concerned

1. With reference to the communication received from the Office of the Quezon Provincial Tourism, the Schools Division of Tayabas City informs the field of the conduct of the **Symposium on Renaming Tayabas to Quezon** which will be held on **September 17, 2026, 9:00 a.m., at the 3rd Floor, Quezon Provincial Capitol, Lucena City.**

2. This event serves as a tribute to the life, leadership, and legacy of President Manuel Luis Quezon, as well as a commemoration of the historic signing of Republic Act No. 14 on September 7, 1946, which officially renamed the Province of Tayabas to the Province of Quezon. The two insightful presentations in the symposium are as follows:

- a. "KNOWING MLQ: Another Look at the Life and Legacy of President Manuel Quezon"
- b. "The Rise of Quezon: From Political Beginnings to a Province's Namesake"

3. In this regard, the school heads listed in Enclosure 1 are endorsed to represent SDO Tayabas City at the symposium to celebrate our shared heritage and honor the province's history.

4. Attached is a copy of the communication from the Provincial Tourism Office for your reference.

5. All endorsed participants must register immediately via this Google Registration Form Link, <https://forms.gle/bCgH2CC2QdYPE66r8>. Please note that registration is strictly on a first-come, first-served basis due to limited seat capacity.

6. For information of all concerned.

For:

CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS JR.
Schools Division Superintendent

By:


CONRADO C. GABARDA
Administrative Officer ✓
Officer-in-Charge

Encl.: As stated

Reference: Communication Letter from Quezon Provincial Tourism Office
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

HISTORY

CID- participation in the symposium on renaming tayabas to quezon
REC9P2T7-010466/September 16, 2026

Enclosure 1

Participants from the SDO Tayabas City

No	Name	School	Cluster
1.	Emelia R. Eclarin	EFIS	1
2.	Gregorio I. Racelis	LPIHS	2
3.	Cherry G. Hugo	BANHS	3
4.	Democrito C. Cabile Jr.	PIS	4
5.	Babylyn T. Olandes	DIS	5
6.	Corazon M. Oabel	WPES	6
7.	Larvin O. Labrada	LES / TCNHS	7
8.	Elpidia C. Palayan	TECS	7
9.	Lea A. Cosico	TWCS I	8
10.	Aldwin B. Capistrano	GIS	9



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QUEZON PROVINCIAL TOURISM OFFICE

10 September 2026

CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS JR.
School Division Superintendent
DEPED Tayabas City
Quezon Province

Dear Sir Balderas:

Mabuhay! Greetings of peace and prosperity!

On September 7, 1946, Republic Act No. 14 was signed into law, officially renaming the Province of Tayabas to the Province of Quezon — a fitting tribute to the life and legacy of President Manuel Luis Quezon. To deepen public understanding of this momentous historical milestone, the Provincial Government of Quezon will hold a symposium to discuss the history, legal basis, and significance of our province's renaming.

In this regard, we cordially invite you, as well as the Principal and Araling Panlipunan Coordinator, teaching personnel of your division, to attend and participate in this meaningful activity. We would be pleased to have you join us as we honor our shared heritage and learn more about the life and legacy of President Quezon, and the history and significance of the province's transition from Tayabas to Quezon. The event will feature two insightful presentations:

- **"KNOWING MLQ: Another Look at the Life and Legacy of President Manuel Quezon"** — Mr. Jose Victor Torres (Historian / Professor, De La Salle University – Manila)
- **"The Rise of Quezon: From Political Beginnings to a Province's Namesake"** — Mr. John Valdeavilla (QPHCA Council External Vice Chairman)

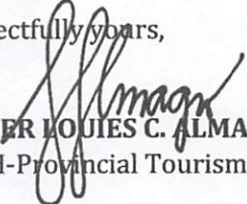
This symposium will be held on Thursday, September 17, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., at the 3rd Floor, Quezon Provincial Capitol, Lucena City. Registration is required on a first-come, first-served basis as slots are limited. Interested participants may register via this Google Form link:

<https://forms.gle/bCgH2CC2QdYPE66r8>

Your presence and participation would be a great honor and a meaningful contribution to enriching our collective appreciation of our province's history and identity. We look forward to your favorable response.

Thank you very much for your kind consideration and support.

Respectfully yours,


NESLER LOUIES C. ALMAGRO, MMPA
PGDH-Provincial Tourism Officer