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Dear **Dr. Cañezo**:

Through the years, the Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) has been partnering up with our stakeholders to realize our mission, that is, *'to protect, restore, and enhance environmental quality towards good public health, environmental integrity, and economic viability.'* We can never realize our goals without our able partners who have been religiously pulling through with us despite the challenges of the times.

In the pursuit of Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) through the National Search for Sustainable and Eco-friendly Schools (NSSEFS), of which Biliran Province State University (BPSU), formerly Naval State University bagged the third spot in the national level, EMB, with its partners has chosen BPSU in the upcoming national online monitoring of the winners of NSSEFS. This undertaking aims to:

- Assess and monitor the sustainability in the school's management of resources and facilities (energy, water, solid waste management)
- Evaluate the sustainability of the environmental programs the schools have initiated in enhancing the structure, leadership, and policies in alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
- Assess practice values that support sustainability principles in initiating active responses in partnership with local school authorities, communities, and local government units.
- Foster environmental protection and conservation in schools and communities by promoting the values of *bayanihan*, *pagtitipid*, and *malasakit*.

Please be informed that online monitoring and validation of BPSU is scheduled on the **7<sup>th</sup> of July, 2022** and only those **documents and accomplishment reports produced in 2018 and 2019** are going to be included in the validation. We have attached monitoring guidelines and criteria based on a whole-school approach for your reference.

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Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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