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TO: PNU South Luzon, PNU North Luzon, PNU Visayas, and PNU Mindanao
SUBJECT: PNU System-wide response to COVID-19

President Rodrigo R. Duterte and the members of the IATF announced on the evening of March 16, 2020 the “enhanced” community quarantine status now covering the entire Luzon, which completely suspends all modes of mass public transport to limit public mobility. With the expected suspension of classes and work to be implemented to the rest of the country, it is highly recommended that the PNU Campuses adopt the plans and contingencies of PNU Manila in order to ensure consistency and promote standardized operations in the entire PNU System. Management specifically highlights the following:

- All Campuses are required to implement the University-Wide Contingency Plan and Strategies as specified in PNU COVID-19 Watch #3.
- Classes for Term 3 are put on hold and will resume during the transition period (June-August 2020), only if the face-to-face sessions are already permitted. All online classes are likewise suspended. Please refer to University Memorandum No. 52, series of 2020 for more information.
- As per CHED COVID Advisory No. 5 dated March 17, 2020, all campuses are expected to ensure a minimal skeletal workforce to facilitate basic services such as processing of salary, janitorial for continued disinfection of the campuses, and security with strong adherence to DOH protocol to avoid the spread of the virus. This is to be implemented only when possible.
- The advisory to all graduating students (undergraduate, post-baccalaureate, and graduate levels) must be followed and implemented by the entire PNU System. Please refer to University Memorandum No. 54, series of 2020.
- The Office of Student Affairs and Student Services (OSASS) and the corresponding offices in the Campuses are required to monitor and account for all students to ensure their safety and wellbeing.
- For any important and urgent queries and requests, please do not hesitate to contact the PNU Task Force on COVID-19 Hotline through +639176747108 or through pnuccovid19@pnu.edu.ph.

Your usual support and cooperation are enjoined.


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