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To: Chief Commissioners
International Commissioners
Chief Scout Executives

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APR Seminar on Value-Based Scouting

Dear Colleagues,

In 1993, the APR Seminar-Workshop on Values Formation through Scouting was successfully organized in the Philippines. This seminar-workshop developed a conceptual framework for integrating values formation in Scouting.

In 2009, the 23rd APR Scout Conference adopted the APR Plan for the 2009-2012 triennium. One of the action steps under the Young People strategic priority area of this plan, is to organize a Seminar on Value-Based Scouting (Action Step 5.3 of Strategic Plan 2009-2012). However, this action was not carried out.

The current triennial plan (2012-2015) adopted at the 24th APR Scout Conference in 2012 has again incorporated the organizing of a workshop on Values-Based Scouting. A four-day seminar is therefore organized to review the conceptual framework from the seminar-workshop in 1993 and to develop strategies on how to achieve Action Step 2.3 of Strategic Plan 2012-2015* under the strategic priority of Young People.

Aim:

To gather National Programme Commissioners and/or national-level Scout leaders who are involved in Youth Programme from the Asia-Pacific Region to discuss and share policies, promising practices on values education and how it is related to Scouting.

Seminar Objectives:

LEARN

- Define what values-based education is;

FEEL

- Share practical experiences of national Scout organizations in implementing values education or formation through Scouting;

* Action Step 2.3 reads as "Conduct one APR Workshop on value-based Scouting with emphasis on the values created by our founder, encapsulated in the Promise and Law."

DO

- Review the conceptual framework developed during the "APR Seminar-Workshop on Values Formation through Scouting" for integrating values formation in Scouting;

Date:

2 – 5 August 2014. Four full days, including a half-day tour. Participants are requested to arrive 1 August 2014 and may leave on 6 August 2014

Venue:

Sarimbum Scout Camp, Singapore

Seminar fee:

US\$175.00, which shall cover local transportation, food (from dinner of 1 August until breakfast of 6 August, accommodation (for five nights), Seminar documents, Seminar souvenirs, half-day educational tour, etc.

Eligibility:

Commissioners of any level in an NSO and full time executives responsible for Youth Programme and/or Leader Training.

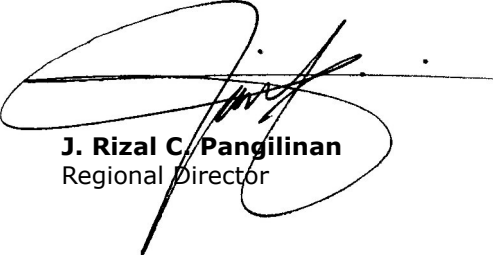
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We would like to request all NSOs to send participants to this important event. Please fill up the attached Reply Slip and send it to the World Scout Bureau, Asia-Pacific Regional Office, copy to Scout Association of Singapore, not later than **1st June 2014**.

Your cooperation in making this workshop a success would be appreciated.

With best regards,



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