



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Region V  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SORSOGON

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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. **190** s. 2026

**REVISED GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXPANDED  
GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE TO STUDENTS AND TEACHERS IN  
PRIVATE EDUCATION (E-GASTPE)**

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors, CID and SGOD  
Education Program Supervisors and Division Coordinators  
Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
All others concerned

1. Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 00654, s. 2026, and Department of Education (DepEd) Order No. 11, s. 2026, entitled "*Revised Guidelines on the Implementation of the Expanded Government Assistance to Students and Teachers in Private Education (E-GASTPE)*", the Office hereby disseminates the updated policies governing the implementation of the Education Service Contracting (ESC), Teachers' Salary Subsidy (TSS), and Senior High School Voucher Program (SHS VP).
2. This issuance establishes unified standards and procedures for E-GASTPE implementation, ensures that subsidies are granted exclusively to eligible learners and teachers through transparent and equitable mechanisms, strengthens planning, financial management, and monitoring systems, and defines the roles of DepEd offices, the Private Education Assistance Committee (PEAC), and participating schools. It further aims to enhance governance, decongest public junior high schools, and increase Senior High School participation.
3. Relative thereto, all private basic education institutions within this Division are directed to be guided accordingly and ensure proper dissemination of this Order to their respective jurisdictions.
4. The official electronic copy of DepEd Order No. 11, s. 2026 may be accessed through this link: <https://deped.gov.ph/wp-content/uploads/DO-s2026-011r.pdf>.
5. Immediate and widest dissemination of this Memorandum is hereby directed for information, guidance and strict compliance of all concerned.

  
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