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MEMORANDUM

Date: March 1, 2010

To: All ICHPER·SD Members in North America & Caribbean regions & ICHPER·SD members in the other 6 regions with e-mail addresses

From: Dong Ja Yang, Ph.D.
President

Re: 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum and the 52nd ICHPER·SD Anniversary World Congress in Doha, Qatar

I hope this memorandum finds you in good health and that you are enjoying many professional and personal rewards while preparing for the fast approaching important ICHPER·SD events: the 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum in Indianapolis, Indiana and the 52nd ICHPER·SD Anniversary World Congress in Doha, Qatar.

I. 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum

I wrote the following paragraph on page two of my memorandum dated November 17, 2009 to all ICHPER·SD members (i.e., executive committee, individual & life, national and institutional, international and library members):

“**The 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum** will focus on finalizing the 52nd ICHPER·SD World Congress symposium programs in each of the 5 ICHPER·SD Divisions (i.e., Health, Physical Education, Recreation, Sport and Olympic Movement, and Dance) under the leadership of each ICHPER·SD Commissioner. The five Commissioners are: **Dr. Mohammad R. Torabi** (Health, E-mail: torabi@indiana.edu); **Dr. Timothy Henrich** (Physical Education, henrich@uiwtx.edu); **Dr. Joseph Levy** (Recreation, marathonjoe2003@yahoo.com); **Dr. Thomas Rosandich** (Sport and Olympic Movement, trosandich@ussa-sport.ussa.edu); and **Dr. Janice D. LaPointe-Crump** (Dance, jancrump@centurytel.net). Those ICHPER·SD members who plan to participate in the World Congress in Doha as presenters (e.g., oral, poster, and/or symposium/demonstration

sessions) are encouraged to contact the ICHPER·SD Commissioner in your area (i.e., Division) to inquire about the possibility of being one of the 5 panel members at the symposium session, and/or to be nominated for appointment as Director of an ICHPER·SD Commission (see the Booklet p. 13 & 14). All those who have been appointed Commission Directors (when nominated by the Commissioner and approved by the President) will receive Special Certificates of Appointment at the closing/awards segment of the 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum. The final agenda of the Forum will be announced by February 20, 2010 in consultation with Division Commissioners.”

I trust that all Commissioners have prepared all of their ICHPER·SD Division symposium or Symposia programs for the upcoming 52nd ICHPER·SD Anniversary World Congress. If a Division Commissioner wish to make any recommendation(s) for appointments to the Commission Directors positions in your respective division, please contact me with those names as soon as possible so that the official certificate of appointment can be prepared for presentation at the 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum. The Forum Agenda was sent to you, on February 17, 2010. Please find the Agenda of the 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum at the end of this memorandum.

II. The 52nd ICHPER·SD Anniversary World Congress

All inhabitants of the global village, their institutions and their organizations are going through difficult times as a result of the economic downturn. Schools, colleges, universities, as well as grant making foundations are all scaling back. We are seriously concerned about the low number of abstracts we have received – both in English and in Arabic – as well as the low congress registration numbers. It is the smallest number of registrations and submissions since the Council’s foundation in 1958.

A. Abstracts, Manuscripts, & World Congress Proceedings

In exactly sixty-seven (67) days, we will hold the Opening Ceremony for the 52nd ICHPER·SD World Congress in Doha, Qatar. Also, in exactly fifteen (15) days (i.e., March 15) we encounter the submission deadline for *abstracts*. March 20, 2010 will be the last day for accepting *manuscripts*. The English Scientific Committee (ESC) will electronically transmit the abstracts and manuscripts to the printing company on March 25, 2010. The printing company will be shipping the World Congress English Proceedings on April 15, 2010 to the Qatar Olympic Committee (QOC as WCOC’2010). These specifics and dates appear in the World Congress Information Booklet (p.20 – 22) and the ICHPER·SD President’s memorandum (dated & posted on www.ichpersd.org on November 19, 2009). Both documents were sent out to every ICHPER·SD member.

B. Registration for World Congress and Update ICHPER·SD Membership,

Hotel Reservation and Entry Visa to Qatar

All participants (i.e., professionals, students, and accompanying persons) must register with the World Congress. The deadline for World Congress registration is March 20, 2010. Late and On-Site Registration for the World Congress begins on March 21, 2010. ICHPER·SD

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membership is required for all professional members, but not for students or accompanying persons. Please check all specific information in the World Congress Information Booklet, p.26, 28, 29, 30, & 31 or www.ichpersd.org. Also, please be aware that hotel reservations must be made before the deadline date: March 20, 2010 as written on p.32 in the Booklet.

Qatar requires an entry visa in advance for most non-Qatari entering the country. If registered with the World Congress by March 20, 2010, a participant may request an entry visa application from the Qatar Olympic Committee. If obtained through the Qatar Olympic Committee, there will no fee for the visa. Any participant registering with the congress after March 20, 2010 must apply for an entry visa from the Qatar Embassy in his/her country and pay the required fees.

In closing, I thank each ICHPER·SD member for your support, participation and contribution to these milestone events: the 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum and the 52nd ICHPER·SD Anniversary World Congress.

Please find the 2010 ICHPER·SD Forum Agenda on the next two pages. Thank you.



2010 ICHPER-SD FORUM

9:30 a.m. – 12:30 (Morning Session) & 1:30 pm. – 4:30 p.m. (Afternoon Session)

Meeting Room: Marriott Ballroom 3-4

Tuesday, March 16, 2010

Indianapolis, Indiana, USA

(To be held in conjunction with the 125th National Convention and Exposition
of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance: AAHPERD)

<p>THEME: "Quality Physical Activity Education & Science for All: A Gateway to Health and Olympic Caliber Performance"</p>

AGENDA & PROGRAMS

The Morning Session , Tuesday, March 16, 2010

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| 9:30 – 10:00 | <i>Welcome, Recognition of Participants,
& Introduction to the Programs</i> | <i>Dr. Dong Ja Yang
ICHPER-SD President</i> |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | <i>The State of the Council (ICHPER-SD) – (I)</i> | <i>Dr. Dong Ja Yang
ICHPER-SD President</i> |
| 10:15 – 10:45 | <i>The State of the Council (ICHPER-SD) – (II)</i> | <i>Mr. Charles T.G. Ambrus, MBA
ICHPER-SD Executive Director</i> |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | <i>The State of the Council (ICHPER-SD) – (III)</i> | <i>Dr. Steven C. Wright
Editor, ICHPER-SD Journal of Research &
Professor, University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire</i> |
| 11:20 – 11:50 | Open Discussion on the State of the Council (I, II, III) | |
| 11:50 – 12:20 | Programs of ICHPER-SD Health Division | <i>Dr. Mohammad R. Torabi
Commissioner, ICHPER-SD Health Division &
Professor, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana</i> |
| | <i>Special Order of the Day..... "Honoring the members of the AAHPERD Executive Committee"
(15 minutes)</i> | |

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The Afternoon Session, Tuesday, March 16, 2010

- 1:30 – 2:00 Programs of ICHPER·SD Physical Education Division **Dr. Timothy W. Henrich**
*Commissioner, ICHPER·SD Physical Education Division &
Professor, University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, Texas*
- 2:00 – 2:30 Programs of ICHPER·SD Recreation and Leisure Division **Dr. Joseph Levy**
*Commissioner, ICHPER·SD Recreation Division &
Retired Professor
Calgary Alberta, Canada*
- 2:30 – 3:00 Programs of ICHPER·SD Sport and Olympic Movement Division **Dr. Thomas R. Rosandich**
*Commissioner, ICHPER·SD Sport and Olympic Movement Division &
President / CEO, United States Sport Academy, Daphne, Alabama*
- 3:30 – 4:00 Programs of ICHPER·SD Dance Division **Dr. Janice LaPointe-Crump**
*Commissioner, ICHPER·SD Dance Division &
Professor, Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas*
- 4:00 – 4:15 “High School Students’ Attitudes Toward Physical Education in
Kingdom of Bahrain” (and the Middle East) **Dr. Faisal H. Al-Mulla**
*Professor, University of Bahrain,
the Kingdom of Bahrain*
- 4:15 – 4:30 Announcement of the Appointments & Presentations

A D J O U R N M E N T

Thank you!