MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 07

TO: PMA BOARD OF GOVERNORS, ALL PRESIDENTS OF COMPONENT SOCIETIES, SPECIALTY DIVISIONS, SPECIALTY AND AFFILIATE SOCIETIES

SUBJECT: 13th SINGING PHYSICIANS CONTEST

DATE: August 4, 2016

The PMA Committee on Medicine Week, in celebration of the National Medicine Week Celebration slated this September 18 to September 24, 2016, has scheduled the following days for the 13th PMA Singing Physician Contest, a solo singing contest open for all PMA members in good standing.

I  Preliminary Round: September 19, 2016 (Monday) at 1:00 PM
   Venue: PMA UNILAB CME Center, QC

II  Grand Finals: September 20, 2016 (Tuesday) at 6:00 PM
   Venue: PMA Auditorium, QC

For your ready reference, enclosed are the following:
   a. 2 copies of entry forms. Deadline for submission of duly accomplished entries is on September 15, 2016.
   b. Criteria of the contest

We look forward to your support and participation. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

BENITO P. ATIENZA, M.D.
PMA Secretary-General and Overall Chair, 53rd National Medicine Week Celebration

Noted by:

IRINEO C. BERNARDO III, M.D.
PMA President
PHILIPPINE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
13TH SINGING PHYSICIAN CONTEST

PROGRAM CRITERIA:

1. A contestant must be a bonafide PMA member in good standing as of the current year 2016-2017.
2. A contestant nominated by any Specialty, Sub-specialty or any Affiliate Society must be duly endorsed by his PMA local component society.
3. The song should be in English or Filipino where the theme is Original Pilipino Music (OPM).
4. The contestant should provide his/her own CD or USB.
5. Back-up singers, dancers and props will not be allowed during the contest.
6. Contestant should limit their performance to a maximum of five (5) minutes only.
7. This is an amateur singing contest. Professional or recording singing physicians are not qualified to join. Previous winners of this contest are likewise disqualified. However, previous finalists of the PMA Singing Physicians contest are still qualified to join the contest.
8. All qualified contestants will go through an elimination round to be held on September 19, 2016, 1:00 p.m. at the PMA UNILAB CME Center, QC.
9. There will only be fifteen (15) contestants to be chosen to compete for the Finals on September 20, 2016, 6:00 p.m. at the PMA Auditorium.
10. The decision of the judges will be final.

PRIZES:

1st PRIZE ........................................ Php 15,000 plus Trophy
2nd PRIZE ........................................ 10,000 plus Trophy
3rd PRIZE ........................................ 5,000 plus Trophy

OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:

1. Entry Forms are available at the PMA Secretariat c/o Ms. Baby Piñol-Gorospe and Ms. Neneth Daquis at tel. nos. (02) 9262447, 9262447, 9297361 or Fax- 9296951.
2. Finalists coming from the provinces will be provided with a free overnight stay at the PMA Doctor’s Inn.
3. Formal Attire is required to all the grand finalists.
**ENTRY FORM FOR THE 13TH SINGING PHYSICIAN CONTEST**

**THEME: ORIGINAL PILIPINO MUSIC (OPM)**

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