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TO : PRESIDENTS OF COMPONENT SOCIETIES, SPECIALTY DIVISIONS,
SPECIALTY AND AFFILIATE SOCIETIES

FROM : MARIANNE O. DOBLES, M.D.
PMA Secretary-General

SUBJECT : 109TH PMA ANNUAL CONVENTION EVENTS AND CEREMONIES
AND DRESS CODE

DATE : APRIL 14, 2016

Warmest greetings from the Philippine Medical Association!

On behalf of the PMA National Officers, PMA Board of Governors and the Organizing Committee, we are pleased to invite you to the 109th **PMA Annual Convention and Scientific Meetings** which will be held from **May 17-20, 2016** at the **Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City**.

We shall appreciate it very much if you can actively participate in all of the scheduled activities, events and ceremonies. The PMA Commission on Continuing Medical Education has prepared an innovative and rich scientific program with a multi-disciplinary approach that will surely be relevant to each of us in whatever area or field of practice we are in with the hope that the scientific sessions will meet your educational expectations.

More particularly, we earnestly look forward to your distinguished presence, in the following events and ceremonies:

- a. **Welcome Reception (By Invitation Only)**
May 17, 2016, Tuesday
Venue: Arctic Room
6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m

Attire: Formal: Gown/Coat and Tie (Green Motif)
(Strictly for National Officers, Board of Governors, Component Societies Presidents, Specialty Divisions, Specialty Societies and Affiliate Societies Presidents, Allied Health Professional Presidents, APMA President, Former PMA Presidents and Governors and Organizing Committee)

- b. Opening Ceremonies (with Processional)
May 18, 2016, Wednesday
Venue: Pacific Grand Ballroom
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Attire: Formal Filipiniana/ Barong Pilipino
- c. Fellowship Night
May 18, 2016, Wednesday
Venue: Pacific Grand Ballroom
7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Theme: "A Night with a Great Gatsby"
Attire: Gatsby (Black or Red)
- d. General Assembly (For Delegates of General Assembly only)
May 19, 2016, Thursday
Venue: Jimei, Sixth Floor
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Attire: Business Attire
- e. 52nd Dr. Jose P. Rizal Memorial Lecture and
25th Dr. Jose P. Rizal Memorial Awards
May 20, 2016, Friday
Venue: Mediterranean
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 nn
Attire: Formal Filipiniana/Barong Pilipino
- f. PMA Awarding Ceremonies
May 20, 2016, Friday
Venue: Pacific Grand Ballroom
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Attire: Awardees – Formal Gown/Coat and Tie

Guests and Participants – Smart Casual

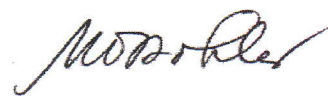
- g. Thanksgiving Mass
May 20, 2016, Friday
Venue: Caspian
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Attire: Smart Casual
- h. Closing Ceremonies and Induction of New Officers
May 20, 2016, Friday
7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Venue: Pacific Grand Ballroom
Attire: Formal: Gown/Coat and Tie
- i. Plenaries and Scientific Sessions
Attire: Business Attire or Smart Casual

Thank you very much for your kind attention.

Yours truly,



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