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NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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TO : REGIONAL SCOUT DIRECTORS, COUNCIL SCOUT EXECUTIVES

AND OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE

SUBJECT: CONFERMENT OF WOOD BADGE TOKENS

 Pursuant to the new BSP Training Policy approved by the National Executive Board (NEB) on 13 December 2014, the conferment and donning of Wood Badge (Scarf, Beads, Woogle) Tokens to all successful graduates of all Advanced Training Courses shall now be made and conducted at the end of the Course, specially, during the Closing Ceremony.

- The reason for this is to inspire and further motivate our Leaders to support and become more deeply involved and committed to the cause of Scouting, especially those who are directly involved in managing Scouting Units.
- 3. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Wood Badge PARCHMENT, which is the proof of completion of the advanced training course will only be issued after the submission of all the required and necessary documents relative to the Registration with a Scout Unit, Conduct of Unit and Sub-Unit Activities, Scout Advancement and other related activities in accordance with the prescribed standards, policies and procedures.
- 4. The conferment and donning of the Wood Badge Scarf, Beads and Woogle necessitates a solemn, formal and appropriate ceremony during the Closing Ceremonies in all Wood Badge Courses, which shall be responsibility of the Course Leader, the Regional Training Commissioner and the Regional Scout Directors. For this purpose, a Standard Script will be issued through a separate memorandum.
- All concerned are directed to ensure the accuracy of the total number of participants for the preparation and delivery of the said Wood Badge tokens for the respective training courses. The Wood Badge tokens will be provided by the National Office, absolutely free of charge.

6. For information, guidance and strict compliance of all concerned.

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