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Secretary, Pre-secondary and Secondary Education East Asian Pastoral Institute Ateneo de Manila University Campus Loyola Heights, Quezon City

Dear Johnny,

Greetings of Peace!

I wish to inform you that we have launched the discernment process of universal apostolic preferences (UAPs) following the direction of GC 36. As the Conference Secretary for Pre-Secondary and Secondary Education, I would like to ask you to begin the discernment process of your apostolic sector. I have already discussed the details of this process in the Extended Consult (22-23 November 2017) and Major Superiors Assembly (22-26 January 2018). Please let me know if you need more details and clarity about the process. It is possible that the Secretary for Education will get in touch with you for more instructions. Kindly engage the Basic Education Delegates/Coordinators of the different Provinces and Regions of our Conference and clarify the process for them. It will be helpful if you have a team to assist you in the entire discernment process.

Here are some important dates to consider:

- February to September 2018: discernment process (sectoral level)
- 16 to 20 July 2018: Major Superiors Assembly, Nagasaki, Japan
- 01 October 2018: Submission of report to Conference President, Secretary for Education (although he may suggest a different date) and cc to Counsellor for Discernment and Planning
- 30 October to 01 November 2018: 3-day discernment process (Major Superiors level), Tokyo, Japan

Two documents are attached to this email: FAQs and template for reporting

Thank you so much for your participation in this discernment process.

Gratefully in the Lord,

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