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**ADVISORY** 

Temporary Suspension of the Annual Confirmation of Pensioners (ACOP) Program Requirement

The Social Security System (SSS) temporarily suspended its *Annual Confirmation of Pensioners (ACOP)* Program Requirement until further notice amid the COVID-19 situation.

Payment of pension benefit to affected pensioners who have not complied with birth month starting January 2020 shall be continued for the said period. Other verification process (data matching of pensioner's records) shall still be implemented.

Pensioners may comply through email addressed to <u>ofw.relations@sss.gov.ph</u> or video conference (Microsoft Teams- request an appointment through ofw.relations@sss.gov.ph or <u>member relations@sss.gov.ph</u>).

You may also reach the SSS Vancouver representative by email at <a href="mailto:cruzadaja@sss.gov.ph">cruzadaja@sss.gov.ph</a>. and telephone number 604 366 9962.

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