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TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents, CID and SGOD Chiefs, Public Schools District Supervisor, School Heads both Public and Private Schools and All Concerned

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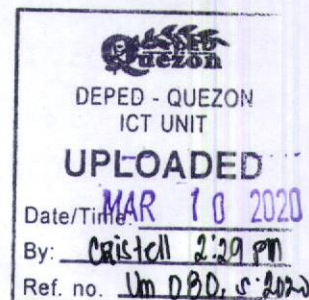
SUBJECT: DEPED POLICY ON NO COLLECTION AND END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR RITES

DATE : March 5, 2020

In preparation for the conduct of end of school year rites for School Year 2019-2020, this Memorandum reiterates provisions stated in pertinent issuances governing the end of school year rites (i.e. moving-up and graduation ceremonies) in all DepEd schools.

Attached hereto is the Regional Memorandum reiterating **DepEd Policy on No Collection and End of the School Year Rites**.

Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this order is desired.



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Regional Memorandum

REITERATION OF DEPED POLICY ON NO COLLECTION AND END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR RITES

To **Schools Division Superintendents
 Public School Principals and School Heads**

1. In preparation for the conduct of end of school year rites for School Year 2019-2020, this Memorandum reiterates provisions stated in pertinent issuances governing the end of school year rites (i.e. moving-up and graduation ceremonies) in all DepEd schools.

2. The salient provision of the said issuances, provides:

"In line with the government's austerity program, DepEd reiterates the following policies:

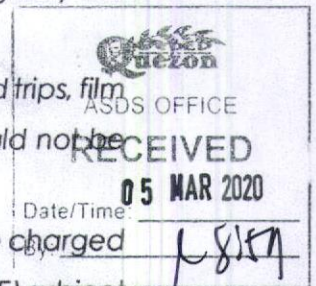
a. *Graduation rites should be simple but meaningful, to be conducted without excessive spending, extravagant attire or extraordinary venue;*

b. *Moving Up or Completion ceremonies should be simple, involving only the learners, their parents and the school; and*

c. *Nonacademic projects such as attendance to attendance to field trips, film showing, Junior-Senior Promenade, and other school events should not be imposed as requirements for graduation or completion.*

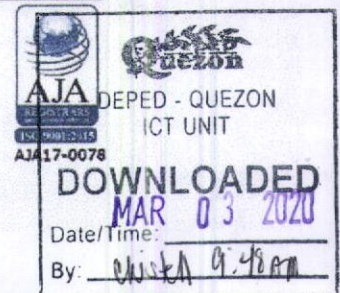
d. **For Public Schools Only:** Expenses relative to the activity should be charged to the school Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE) subject to existing guidelines. **No DepEd personnel shall be allowed to connect any kind of contribution or fee for graduation/ moving up/ completion ceremony."**

3. On the other hand, numerous DepEd orders had been issued to strictly implement the **"No Collection Policy"**. Thus, concerned school personnel must




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ensure that collection of authorized contributions must remain voluntary, not compulsory.

4. Immediate dissemination and strict compliance with this Memorandum is directed.


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