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DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM  
No. 83, s. 1976

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS MAY NOT BE EXEMPTED FROM RENDERING  
CIVIC ACTION WORK IN THEIR BARANGAY

To the: District Directors  
Regional Directors  
Offices of Services and Heads of Units  
Coordinator, State Colleges and Universities  
School Superintendents

1. Quoted hereunder is a 2nd Endorsement, dated November 6, 1975 of the Secretary of the Department of Local Government and Community Development, which is self-explanatory:

"Respectfully returned to the honoree, the Secretary of Education and Culture, Manila, the within letter dated August 14, 1975 of x x x n barangay captain, relative to the request for opinion on whether or not public school teachers who are members of a barangay are exempted from rendering services to the barangay, hereby informing that, in view of Proclamation No. 1490 wherein the President of the Republic of the Philippines declares, among others, that, 'x x x I further require that all government officials and employees should report to their respective barangays and, at this date, pledge themselves to render civic action work within their communities on an appropriate action date to be set by their barangay chairman, to serve as inspirational example to their countrymen,' public school teachers may not be exempted from rendering civic action work to their barangay, and suggesting that the dates during which they are to render civic action work should be adjusted in such a manner as to achieve the purpose of the Proclamation without causing needless inconvenience to members of barangays."

2. it is desired that the contents of the aformentioned endorsement be brought to the attention of all concerned.

(SGD.) ERIC L. MARSH  
Secretary of Education and Culture

Reference:

Department Memorandum No. 139, s. 1976

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