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THE ROLE OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN THE OPERATION OF THE EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "STUDY NOW PAY LATER PLAN"

To: Pagional Directors
Chiefs of Services and Meads of Units
Schools Superintendents
Heads of Schools, Colleges and Universities

- 1. The success of the operation of the program of the Study Now Pay Later Plan depends to a great extent on the close coordination between the lending institutions and the colleges and universities where loan grantees are empolled.
- 2. In this connection, attention is invited to the pertinent portions of the Guidelines on the implementation of the Educational Assistance Act (Department Memorandum No. 54, s. 1977), on the role of the Aducational institutions in connection with the implementation of the Plan.
 - III. b. Applicants whose applications have been received by the lending institutions will be referred to the college in which the applicant intends to enrol.

 The referral may take the form of a card or letter certifying that the applicant's explication for loan is being considered or that the applicant has an approved loan application under the SMPL Plan and may therefore be allowed to register or enrol temporarily in the course indicated. The referral shell include a request to furnish the student with a statement of tuition and other school fees required for enrolment in the priority course for one senester.
- Schools, colleges and universities in which applicants to the SWPL Plan apply for enrolment are therefore requested to return the referral of the lending institutions with a statement of (1) eligibility of the student for enrolment in the priority course applied for and (2) a statement of tuition and other fees for the course for one semester.
- 4. Attention is likewise invited to the provisions of Sec. 2 of Rule VIII of the Implementing Rules of P.D. No. 932 on the matter of continuance or renewal of assistance to a loan grantee. It is requested, in this regard, that grades and weighted average of grantees be submitted

at the end of each semester immediately to the DEC Educational Assistance Unit for certification and submission to the lending institution. Delay in submitting the grades of losn grantees will prejudice his/her enrolment in the succeeding semester.

5. It is desired that sobools, colleges and universities where loan grantees are enrolled, give this matter the priority it deserves. Regional directors are requested to disseminate this Department Memorah-dum to all educational institutions concerned in the region.

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References:

Department Memorandums: Nos. 45 and (54) s. 1977

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