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SUBPLEMENTARY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY
IN TEACHING ELEMENTARY AGRICULTURE

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Chiefs of Services and Heads of Units
Heads of MATEA Degree Granting Institutions
Schools Superintendents
MATEA Administrators

1. Records in the National MATEA Secretariat disclose that a good number of teachers have completed the prescribed requirements for the Certificate of Proficiency in Teaching Elementary Agriculture (CPEA) except completion of functional projects such as agricultural or agro-industrial projects which prove their acquisition of basic agricultural skills.
2. In order to preserve the integrity of the above-mentioned Certificate and to ensure that no one shall be awarded the Certificate of Proficiency unless he has met all the requirements, the following guidelines are hereby issued.
 - a. All candidates for the Certificate shall have actually and successfully engaged in at least three income generating projects, e.g. poultry, pigery, backyard gardening, handicrafts and tool-making, etc; each shall have earned at least 18 units in courses developing vocational agriculture skills and 6 units of graduate education course or its equivalent; and shall have met all admission requirements.
 - b. The student shall submit a record of performance projects to include, among others, his investment and benefits derived.

- c. The performance projects must be carefully verified and evaluated by a committee designated by the superintendent.
3. Representatives from the regional office, the division office and the degree-granting institution shall visit the projects from time to time and submit a report to the National M.A.T.A. Secretariat at least once a semester.
4. List of teachers who have met all the aforementioned requirements must be submitted to this Office for approval.
5. All M.A.T.A. officials and students are enjoined to implement the aforementioned guidelines effective the beginning of the school year 1973-50.
6. It is desired that the contents of this Memorandum be disseminated as widely as possible.

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References:

- EVE Circular: No. 1, s. 1973
- MSE Memorandum: No. 125, s. 1973

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