Republika ng Pilipinas (Republic of the Philippines) MINISTRI NG EDUKASYON AT KULTURA (MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE) Maynila

October 14, 1981

MEC MEMORANDUM 197, s. 1981

EVALUATION OF AGRICULTURAL AND ALLIED PROGRAMS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors Schools Superintendents Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities Presidents, State Colleges and Universities

- 1. Pursuant to MEC Orders Nos. 57, s. 1979, and 4 and 24, s. 1981, the Technical Panel for Agricultural Education (TPAE) of this Ministry will conduct an inspection and evaluation of all programs in agricultural, veterinary medicine, forestry and fishery education in all schools, colleges and universities with the following objec-tives:
 - a. To determine the extent of compliance of the institutions offering the programs to the minimum standards as embodied in the aforementioned MEC Orders; and
 - b. To assess quantitatively and qualitatively the resources and capabilities of the institutions in offering their existing agricultural programs.
- Upon proper notice given to each institution concerned, constituted teams of selected experts in the disciplines and members of the TPAE Secretariat will conduct visits on certain dates to evaluate the programs of each institution and to gather data for the TPAE data bank and retrieval system for agricultural education in the Philippines.
- In connection with the data-gathering activity, the following major items of information are needed from each institution:

 - a. Institutional Profileb. Human Resourcesc. Financial Resources and School Research and Extension Programs
 - d. Physical Resources

- The visitation and data gathering activities will start on October 27, 1981 until completed.
- The heads of the institutions concerned are hereby enjoined to cooperate and extend full assistance to the teams to facilitate their assigned work in due time.
- Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is hereby requested.

(SGD.) ONOFRE D. CORPUZ Minister

4 References: MEC Orders: Nos. (57, s. 1979 and 5 and 24, s. 1981)

Allotment: 1-3-4--(D.0. 1-76)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

> PROGRAM, SCHOOL STATISTICS (Data) Course of Study, COLLEGIATE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION CATIONAL EDUCATION