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STRATEGIES FOR DRUG EDUCATION

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

1. The Ministry of Education and Culture, in cooperation with the Dangerous Drugs Board and the UNESCO National Commission of the Philippines, is presently implementing a project on the utilization of strategies and support materials for the prevention of drug abuse in the elementary, secondary and tertiary levels of education.

2. Curriculum materials have been produced and will be integrated in the following subject areas in the different educational levels:

Elementary

Social Studies  
Work Education  
Science and Health  
Communication Arts (English and Pilipino)

Secondary

Social Studies  
Science  
Communication Arts (English and Pilipino)  
Youth Development Training (Physical Education)

Tertiary

Contemporary National Development or similar  
courses on government thrusts

3. The strategies and support materials will be utilized on pilot basis in selected divisions of Region IV.

4. To prepare teachers in said region for this phase of the project, it is enjoined that the following personnel from the Divisions of Cavite City, Lipa City, Oriental Mindoro, and Quezon be requested to attend a seminar-workshop at Bunot Lake Resort, San Pablo City, from March 7 to 14, 1982:

- a. One regional supervisor from each educational level to serve as regional coordinator and trainer. They should be in charge of any of the above-mentioned subject areas.
- b. Division supervisors in-charge of the above-mentioned subject areas.
- c. Department heads in charge of the above-mentioned subject areas in a secondary school in the division.
- d. One instructor of Contemporary National Development or a similar course in tertiary school in the division.

5. The selected personnel will conduct the training of the teachers in their respective divisions in preparation for the utilization of the strategies and support materials during the school year 1982-83.

6. The following criteria must be considered in the selection of the trainers:

- a. Should have positive attitude towards their work;
- b. Should be active and efficient;
- c. Should be proficient in oral and written communication;
- d. Should not be more than 55 years old; and
- e. Should have good public relations with the school administrators and teachers in their respective divisions.

7. Expenses incident to the attendance at the seminar-workshop will be charged against the MEC-DDB-UNESCO Special Project funds.

8. It is desired that this Memorandum be given preferential attention.

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Minister

Reference: N o n e

Allotment: 1-2-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

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