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MECS M E M O R A N D U M
No. 27, s. 1985

DESIGNATING THE MEMBERS OF THE TECHNICAL PANEL
FOR TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION (TPTVE)

To: Deputy Ministers
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau/Regional Directors
Presidents State Colleges and Universities
Vocational School Superintendents/Administrators

1. Pursuant to MECS Order No. 83, s. 1983, the Technical Panel for Technical and Vocational Education was created as a consultative, advisory and policy-recommending body to the Minister of Education, Culture and Sports and the Bureau of Technical and Vocational Education as provided under Paragraph 6 of L.A. No. 531-PHI covering the TVEE of the MECS.

2. In conformity with Sections 3 and 5 of the above-cited MECS Order and pending the organization and staffing of the Bureau of Technical and Vocational Education, Dr. Pedro L. Esteban was designated Chairman of the TPTVE by virtue of an Office Order dated January 17, 1984. Under the above-stated sections of the MECS Order, the following are hereby designated members of the Technical Panel for Technical and Vocational Education:

Dr. Pedro L. Esteban - Chairman
Project Director, TVEP

Mr. Miguel A. Tolentino - Member
Philippine Chamber of Commerce
and Industry

Mrs. Lilia Salazar - Member
National Manpower and Youth
Council

Ms. Fleur De Lys O. Torres - Member
National Economic and
Development Authority

Mr. Arturo P. Casuga - Member
Federation of Associations
of Vocational Institutions
of the Philippines

Dr. Horacio M. Montefrío - Member
Philippine Association of
Private Technical Institutes

Mr. Demetrio E. Cortez - Member
Office of Budget and
Management

Dr. Mariano O. Aldayalde
Pablo Borlon Memorial
Institute of Technology

-- Executive
Secretary

3. The TPTVE Chairman may engage the services of experts/consultants as the need arises either on a full-time or part-time status to serve as technical committee members, resource persons/evaluators. A secretariat of the TPTVE shall be created to be headed by an Executive Secretary as a staff to the Panel to support in performing its functions.
4. The duties and responsibilities of the TPTVE are enumerated under Section 4 (a-a) of the said MECS Order appended hereto as part of this Memorandum.
5. The TPTVE members, experts/consultants, and secretariat personnel in consideration for their services, will receive honoraria/allowances/salaries, following guidelines approved by the Minister/Deputy Minister and existing rules and regulations relative thereto.
6. Funding for the operation of the Technical Panel and its Secretariat as well as experts/consultants and staff shall be initially drawn from the Government Counterpart Fund of ADB-L.A. No. 531-PHI under the TVEP budget for operating expenses.
7. Membership to the Technical Panel takes effect on the date of the official nomination of the members by their respective agency heads, and shall remain in force unless terminated by this Office.
8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

(SGD.) JAIME C. LAYA
Minister

Incl.:
As stated

Reference:
MECS Order: (No. 83, s. 1983)
Office Order dated January 17, 1984

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

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following:

BUREAUS & OFFICES
OFFICIALS
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

(Inclosure to MECS Memorandum No. 27, s. 1965)

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TPTVE

The TPTVE shall exercise the following functions:

- a. To study and identify the technical/vocational education and training needs of the country in consultation with the Technical Panel for Agricultural Education and Engineering Education and with other agencies concerned and assess the extent to which the total efforts in formal technical and vocational education training and placement, vocational rehabilitation, non-formal education and other training programs meet such needs through a consistent, integrated and coordinated approach.
- b. To assess the programs of technical and vocational education and recommend measures for the improvement thereof.
- c. To provide technical assistance and leadership in the supervision, inspection and regulation of all institutions offering technical and vocational courses for purposes of accreditation based on standards approved by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports.
- d. To study and recommend guidelines for the generation of resources for public and private technical and vocational education, including loans, grants and international assistance to ensure optimum utilization thereof.
- e. To perform such other functions as may be directed by the Minister of Education, Culture and Sports that are necessary and proper for the attainment of this Order.

