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KAGAWAHAN NG EDUKASYON, KULTURA AT SPORTS
(DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS)
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DECS MEMORANDUM
No. 114, s. 1987

DIRECTING ALL EDUCATION OFFICIALS TO DISPLAY OR EXHIBIT THE PICTURE
OF HER EXCELLENCE, PRES. CORAZON C. AQUINO IN CLASSROOMS
AND ALL DECS OFFICES

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Cultural Agency Directors
Schools Superintendents
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities
Vocational School Superintendents/Administrators

1. Memorandum Circular No. 13 from the Office of the President, dated June 30, 1986 (reproduced on the reverse side) directs all government offices and employees to adopt appropriate measures in order that photographs, paintings, or other forms of visual representation of former President Ferdinand E. Marcos and his wife will not be publicly and conspicuously displayed, shown, or exhibited in government offices, buildings and other government establishments.
2. It was noted that the public display/exhibition of the paintings or photographs, etc. of former President Ferdinand E. Marcos and his wife in government buildings and offices tends to provide divisive effects and influence not only within those offices, but also among the people. Likewise, it negatively affects the efforts of the government geared towards national reconciliation, unity, and progress.
3. In this connection, everybody in this Department is enjoined to acquire pictures/photographs of Her Excellency, Corazon C. Aquino and replace the pictures/portraits of former President Ferdinand E. Marcos and his wife, Mrs. Imelda R. Marcos, in the classrooms and offices.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

(SGD.) LOURDES R. QUISUMBING
Secretary

Reference:

None

Allotment: 1-2-3-4-(M.O. 1-87)

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OF THE PHILIPPINES
MALACANANG

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 13

DIRECTING ALL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES NOT TO DISPLAY OR EXHIBIT THE PHOTOGRAPHS, PAINTINGS, OR OTHER FORMS OF VISUAL REPRESENTATION OF FORMER PRESIDENT FERDINAND E. MARCOS AND MRS. IMELDA R. MARCOS IN GOVERNMENT OFFICES, BUILDINGS, AND OTHER GOVERNMENT ESTABLISHMENTS.

The Office of the President has been informed that up to now there are some government offices, buildings, and other government establishments where the pictures or paintings of former President Ferdinand E. Marcos and his wife, Mrs. Imelda R. Marcos, are still being displayed or exhibited to the public, apparently because of plain inadvertence or lack of concern. It was noted in this regard that the public display or exhibition of these pictures or photographs and other visual representations of the former President in government offices and buildings tends to exert a divisive effect and influence not only within these public offices but even among our people, and to a certain extent, it also impedes the efforts of the government which are geared towards national reconciliation, unity, and progress.

For these reasons, all government officials and employees are hereby directed to adopt appropriate measures in order that the photographs, paintings, or other forms of visual representation of former President Marcos and Mrs. Marcos will not be publicly and conspicuously displayed, shown, or exhibited in government offices, buildings, and other government establishments and all such photographs, paintings, or visual representations which are owned by the government will be properly stored and preserved as government property.

Proper compliance with the foregoing instruction is enjoined.

(Sgd.) JOKER P. ARROYO
Executive Secretary

Manila, June 30, 1986

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