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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS  
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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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

1. The Adhika ng Pilipinas, Inc., a national organization of history professors, teachers, and professionals, will conduct a 3-day conference on November 28-30, 1997 at the UP College, Los Banos, Laguna.
2. The conference, which has for its theme "Pagbubuo ng Diwang Pilipino: Ang Himagsikan sa Pagbubuo ng Bayan", aims to:
  - a. study the various political events of the Revolution as it spread to various parts of the country in 1897, in order to better understand and appreciate the Filipino spirit and perceive the foundations which the 1896 Revolution laid down in the formation of the Filipino nation;
  - b. commemorate the centennial death anniversary of Andres Bonifacio, founder of the Katipunan and leader of the 1896 Revolution, and discover and disseminate the different dimensions of his life and teachings; and
  - c. study the varied aspects of nation-building during different historical phases as a contribution to highlighting the celebration of the "Year of the Filipino Spirit".
3. The participants in this conference are professors of history, teachers and supervisors of social studies and/or related subjects, department heads, as well as school officials or individuals interested and involved in the promotion of historical and nationalist consciousness.
4. A registration fee of Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000) inclusive of meals and dormitory lodging during the conference, abstracts of conference papers, Lakbay Aral, and Certificate, shall be charged each participant. There will be an optional post-conference activity on December 1, 1997 covering a one-day historic tour of the lakeshore towns of Laguna and Rizal starting

for Los Banos and culminating in Antipolo, Rizal after which delegates will be brought to Cubao, Quezon City. Participants for this optional post-conference tour will be charged a separate fee of Seven Hundred and Fifty Pesos (₱750.00) to cover lodging for November 30, transportation cost and meals during the trip.

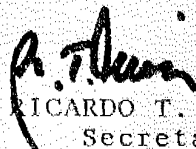
5. Transportation and other expenses relative to attendance to the conference shall be charged against local funds subject to its availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. In the case of public high school teachers, arrangements shall be made for substitutes to be paid from any available lump-sum funds for the purpose. Participants from private schools shall make financial arrangements with their respective institutions.

6. Inquiries and other details regarding the conference, may be addressed to:

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7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Secretary

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Reference:  
None

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

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