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DECS MEMORANDUM

No. 407, s. 1997

ADDENDUM/CORRIGENDUM TO DECS MEMORANDUM NO. 332, s. 1997
(1997 Regional And National Schools Press Conferences)

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Regional Science High School Principals
Divisional Leader School Principals
Private Elementary and Secondary School Principals
Vocational High School Principals

1. The conduct of the 1997 Regional and National Schools Press Conferences as well as their corresponding implementing guidelines was disseminated in DECS Memorandum No. 332, s. 1992 dated August 22, 1997.

2. On page 5 number 4 of the said DECS Memorandum, the word Page is deleted in the 7th category. It will now read as Best Science Reporting.

3. For the 30th Anniversary of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) being celebrated from July 1997 to July 1998, the Department of Foreign Affairs, in coordination with the DECS International Cooperation Education Program, will be sponsoring the "Best ASEAN Section" award. A page devoted entirely to ASEAN information and current events will be chosen for this category, according to existing criteria for group judging. Also, three winners each will be chosen for the following:

Best ASEAN In-Depth News
Best ASEAN Features
Best ASEAN Editorial
Best ASEAN Editorial Cartoon
Best ASEAN Photo

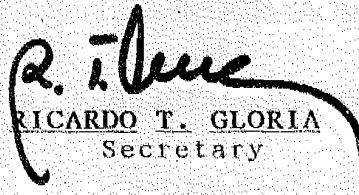
Trophies, certificates and cash prizes await the winners.

4. The National Schools Press Conference (NSPC) is a live-in activity, hence, no student-delegate, teacher-adviser and supervisor, shall be allowed to stay outside the site. If for one valid reason or another, pupils/students or adult participants need to stay outside the Conference site, he/she should execute a waiver addressed to the Chairman, NSPC and the waiver will be submitted to the General Secretariat for record purposes.

5. The subsidy of Seven Thousand (P7,000.00) Pesos per Division for the Regional Press Conference shall be remitted to the Regions only after the receipt of and subsequent approval by the BSE of the Program Design for said Conference. A copy of the

approved Program Design will be furnished the Regional Offices for information.

6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is expected.


RICARDO T. GLORIA
Secretary

Reference:

DECS Memorandum: (No. 332, s. 1997)

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