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FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MYTHS AND LEGENDS

To: Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents

1. The International Organization of Folk Art Philippines Foundation announces the holding of the First International Conference of Myths and Legends to be held at Diamond Hotel, Harrison St., Ermita, Manila on October 27-29, 1998.
2. The conference with the theme "Values for the World in Myths and Legends: Diversity and Unity" aims to: 1) establish the interrelationship and commonalities among myths and legends all over the world; 2) trace and identify roots of myths and legends worldwide; 3) establish the relationship between myths and legends and man's imagination in ensuring the existence, survival and the upliftment of his cultural identity; and 4) make known and share with the international community Philippine historical and cultural traditions as narrated in myths and legends.
3. Regional directors and/or schools superintendents may authorize the participation of two (2) curriculum planners and supervisors in social sciences to this conference according to their regional needs and availability of funds.
4. A conference fee of three thousand five hundred pesos (P3,500.00) shall be charged each participant to cover expenses for lunch and snacks, conference kit, cultural tour, receptions and other amenities.
5. Transportation and other allowable expenses of participants from government institutions may be charged against local funds subject to its availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Further inquiries may be directed to: Maria Luisa C. Moral, 13 Amsterdam St., BF Homes, Paranaque, tel. no. 842-10-94.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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