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**MONITORING IMPLEMENTATION OF ECOLOGICAL  
WASTE MANAGEMENT IN SCHOOLS**

**To** **Regional Directors**  
**Schools Division Superintendents**  
**Heads of Private Schools and Universities**  
**Regional Coordinators, Ecological Waste Management**

1 The Department of Education Culture and Sports (DECS), the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and the Recycling Movement of the Philippines Foundation, Inc (RMPFI), conducted a nationwide training on Ecological Waste Management among science, health and social studies teachers, community and work education instructors, and curriculum writers from July to December 1997

2 The Program consisted of 16 regional trainings which involved 595 participants and resulted in the formation of 95 Regional Training Teams, with five (5) teams for each of the 155 divisions of the country. These teams have already started conducting echo trainings in their respective areas.

3 To ensure that the Program is properly disseminated to schools nationwide monitoring groups from the DECS, DENR, and RMPFI shall conduct an evaluation and monitoring of the implementation of the Ecological Waste Management Program at the regional and school levels, with emphasis on the following items, to wit:

- a No of echo-seminars carried out and their beneficiaries
- b No of ecology learning centers organized and their locations,
- c No of outreach activities in Ecological Waste Management,
- d No of schools encouraging the use of "recycled materials" for required projects
- e No of schools practicing "sorting at source" activities in their school canteens, classrooms, work areas, gardens, play areas, campuses, and immediate vicinity,
- f No of schools banning any form of open burning for waste eradication
- g Constraints met and how these were resolved or handled

4 To facilitate evaluation and monitoring, all DECS regional coordinators are requested to submit an updated report of the implementation of the program to

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5 Inclosed is the list of regional coordinators for the information of all concerned

6 Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired

  
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Secretary

Incl As stated  
Reference DECS Memorandum No 195, s 1997  
Allotment 1—(D O 50-97)  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects

✓ ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION (Waste Management)

**DECS-DENR-RMPFI TRAINORS' TRAINING  
ON ECOLOGICAL WASTE MANAGEMENT**

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