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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS
DECS Complex, Meralco Avenue
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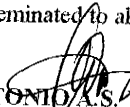
July 16, 1999

DECS MEMORANDUM
No. 291, s. 1999

1999 NATIONAL STATISTICS MONTH

To : Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents
Heads of Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. In compliance with Presidential Proclamation No. 647, "Declaring the Month of October of Every Year as the National Statistics Month", the Department of Education, Culture and Sports shall join all the other departments and instrumentalities of the national government in celebrating the 10th National Statistics Month (NSM) this October under the auspices of the National Statistical Coordination Board (NSCB). The overall theme is "Pananaliksik, Pagsasanay at Edukasyon sa Estadistika-Kaagapay sa Pagsulong sa Bagong Siglo."
2. The observance of this event is primarily aimed at inculcating greater public awareness and appreciation of the importance and value of statistics to the different sectors of society. Relative to this, the NSCB has issued Memorandum Circular No. 02-99 enjoining all government agencies, both at the national and subnational levels, to actively participate in and support this undertaking.
3. In this connection, it is requested that DECS Regions 1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 12 and CAR coordinate with the Regional Statistical Coordination Committees (RSCCs) thru the NSCB Regional Units (RUs) while the other DECS regions are requested to coordinate with RSCCs headed by either the NEDA Regional Director (RSCC Chairman) or the National Statistics Office (NSO) Regional Administrator (RSCC Co-Chairman) for the NSM activities in the regions. The DECS regional activities during the month long celebration to be included in the NSM Calendar of Activities should be submitted to the Office of Planning Service, DECS, UL Complex, Pasig City, or direct to the 10th NSM Secretariat (address indicated in the attached NSCB-NSM Form I) on or before August 15, 1999 using the inclosed suggested format.
4. It is desired that this Memorandum be disseminated to all concerned.


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As stated

Reference:

DECS Memorandum: No. 299, s. 1999

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index

Under the following subjects:

**CELEBRATIONS & FESTIVALS
STATISTICS (Data)**

**10TH NATIONAL STATISTICS MONTH
CALL FOR NSM ACTIVITIES**

Agency : _____
 Contact Person : _____
 Telephone No. : _____

Date/ Time	Activity	Type*	Venue	Sponsoring Agency	Remarks
Example : October 8 9:00 a.m.	Foreign Investments Information System Workshop	workshop and exhibit	Sulo Hotel	NSCB	In cooperation with BSP, SEC, PEZA, SBMA, CDC, BTRCP NSO, NEDA etc.

Type* -- symposium, workshop, conference, exhibit, lecture, film showing
 statistical quiz, motorcade, slogan/essay/oratorical contests, etc.

Please return via fax/mail/delivery on or before 15 August 1999 for
 further consolidation to : Research and Statistics Division, OPS-DECS, UL
 Complex, Pasig City, Fax No. 637-62-04
 E-Mail: rsd-ops@fapenet.org

or to :
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