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DECS MEMORANDUM
No 139 s 2000

**2ND NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STUDENTS AND YOUTH
LEADERS – "PEACE CAMP 2000"**

To Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Private Elementary School Principals

1 In celebration of the Year 2000 as the International Year for the Culture of Peace the Philippine Normal University and UNESCO-Associated Schools Project Network (ASPnet) in cooperation with Youth for a United World (YFUW) CHED DECS Commission on Human Rights, Presidential Adviser on Peace Process and the National Youth Commission are sponsoring the 2nd National Conference of Students and Youth Leaders – "Peace Camp 2000" on April 8-11, 2000 at the Mariapolis Convention Center Tagaytay City

2 The theme of the conference is "Youth Making a Difference Towards a Culture of Peace" It aims to bring together young Filipinos representing various backgrounds sector and origin public and private schools, community organizations in a common endeavor to formulate Action Plans for Peace and Non-Violence The 4-day camp participants are expected to

- a provide a venue for young peacebuilders to come together share and process their experiences, identify strengths and weaknesses enhance leadership skills, techniques and strategies
- b intensify peace education and advocacy in schools and communities to become more aware of the real practical meaning and benefits of non-violence in daily life
- c formulate youth agenda and action plans for the future in the context of UNESCO's Manifesto 2000 for Peace and Non-Violence and
- d appreciate the role of the youth as a critical age group in helping share a peaceful, just and sustainable world order

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3 Participants to this conference are student regents officers of the UNESCO club student councils/governments Sangguniang Kabataan community-based youth organizations and editorial staff of the school organ A total of two hundred fifty students and youth leaders are expected to convene for the occasion A registration fee of Two Thousand Two Hundred Pesos (P2 200 00) shall be charged each participant to cover 3 meals from April 8-11 2000 transportation fee from PNU, Manila to Marikina Convention Center Tagaytay City delegates bag ID souvenir program information materials certificate of attendance and souvenir t-shirt Expenses incurred relative to their attendance in this activity are chargeable against personal/private funds The students may be excused from their classes provided that they are given make-up projects/activities for lessons missed

4 For confirmation of delegates please inform the Secretariat Office at telefax nos PNU-SEED (632) 536-67-44 527-03-97 and YFUW - (632) 714-29 53

5 Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired

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Secretary

Reference

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