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DECS MEMORANDUM  
No 207 s 2000

**MIL LENNIUM EDUCATORS CONGRESS FOR PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS**

To Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau Directors  
Directors of Services Centers and Heads of Units  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Principals

1 The Millennium Educators Congress for both public and private schools will be held at the Philippine International Convention Center (PICC) CCP Complex Roxas Boulevard Manila on May 21-24 2000. The theme of the Congress is The Filipino Learner of the New Millennium Focus of Strategic Partnerships.

2 This year's Educators Congress aims to achieve the following objectives:

- a to provide a venue for a market of ideas on strategic partnerships that address quality education
- b to explore possibilities for initiating/replicating/extending partnerships with appropriate government and non-government agencies business sector people organizations training institutions etc to respond to various educational needs and
- c to formulate plans of action with corresponding structures and strategies for follow-up activities with both public and private education cooperating together with various stakeholders

3 A corps of speakers from public and private sectors academe business sector training institutions and civil society will contribute their experiences and expertise as inputs to the Congress objectives.

4 Each region is entitled to 150 participants. Regional participants in the Congress shall come from the public and private sectors and composed of the regional and assistant regional directors superintendents and assistant superintendents selected representatives from regional division and district supervisors elementary and secondary schools principals teachers officials of the PTCA teacher training institutions and delegates from various people organizations business sector and professional organizations which are currently participating or interested in getting involved in educational endeavors at the basic education level. The Regional Director is responsible for the mix of participants from both public and private schools and for ensuring the participation of the expected number of participants from the region. Authorized to attend from DECS Central Office are all undersecretaries assistant secretaries bureau/service/center directors and designated congress committee members.

5 A registration fee of Three Thousand Pesos (P3 000 00) shall be paid by each participant to be charged from local funds or from other available funds to cover expenses for conference kit two snacks and lunch during sessions to start on May 22 a.m. snack, and end on May 24 p.m. snack This is a non residential (live-out) Congress and registration fee does not cover accommodation Pre registration with cash or check should be made on or before May 13 2000 Check payments should be payable to "The Educators Congress (Attention Dr. Blaquita D. Bautista, Chief, Accounting Division, Department of Education, Culture and Sports, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at tel. nos. 633 1941/633-7201/633-7246/633-7233 and fax no. 633/7246/634-0222) Personal checks of registrants from Metro Manila and provincial checks for areas with Central Bank clearing offices will be accepted Pre-registration with payment will ensure a participant of a definite slot and a conference kit

6 Enclosed for the reference of all concerned are the following

- ◆ Registration Form
- ◆ Program of Activities
- ◆ Topics for workshop/focused group session

7 Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired

*Andrew Gonzalez*  
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Secretary

Encls. As stated

References: DECS Memorandums Nos. 145 and 354 s. 1999

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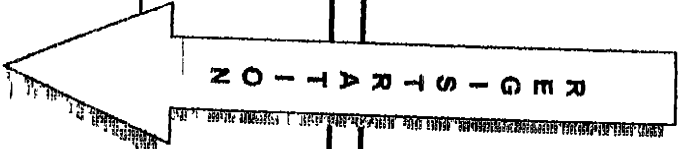
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects

CONFERENCE  
OFFICIALS

**MILLENNIUM EDUCATORS CONGRESS**  
 May 22-24 2000 PICC

**THEME: The Filipino Learner of the New Millennium Focus of Strategic Partnership**

TIME	21-May (Day 0)	22-May (Day 1)	23-May Day 2	24-May Day 3
A	8:00-8:30 ARRIVAL	<b>OPENING CEREMONY</b> Keynote speech <b>EXECUTIVE KEYNOTE</b> * The Filipino Learner of the 21st Century: Profile, Key Issues, Challenges and Expectations * A Four-Pronged DECS Strategy for Quality Education * Reactors <b>CONGRESS MECHANICS</b>	<b>PRIMING ACTIVITIES</b> <b>INTERFACE SESSIONS</b> Partnership Exemplars <b>WORKSHOP 1</b> *FGs1 Suggested Policies	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> * Presentation of Selected Initiatives
M	8:30-9:30	<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b> (FGs 1 to FGs 11)	<b>WORKSHOP 2</b> *FGs1 * Proposed DECS/Legislative Agenda * Fresh Initiatives	* Presentation/Approval of DECS Action Plan
M	7:00-9:00		<b>MANCOM Meeting</b>	<b>DEPARTURE</b>



\* Focused Group Discussion

**TOPICS FOR INTERFACE SESSIONS**  
**(Workshop Groups/Focused Group Sessions)**

**A ACCESS *Reaching the Unreached***

- FGS 1** Effective and Innovative Partnership
- FGS 2** Alternative Delivery Schemes
  - TE SDA Technology-Oriented High Schools
  - SEAMEO-INNOTECH's Applied Academic Program
- FGS 3** NFE Stories A & E Scheme Literacy Contracting

**B FINANCING**

- FGS 4** National/local Government Resources
- FGS 5** Industry-Academe Linkage

**C PROVISION OF EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES**

- FGS 6** Adopt A School Program
- FGS 7** Legislative Agenda for Educational Resources and Teacher's Welfare
- FGS 8** Modernizing Schools/Learning Centers for Improved Retention/Cohort Survival Rates

**D RAISING THE QUALITY OF EDUCATION**

- FGS 9** Curricular Innovations and Grassroots Initiatives
- FGS 10** Professional Development of Teachers/Educational Managers
- FGS 11** Research and Assessment Partnership and Educational Reforms



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School/Agency/Company	Position		Region
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Birthdate mm/dd/yy	Age	Sex	Place to stay in Manila
Home Address			Tel No
Name and Address of contact person in case of emergency			Tel No

OR No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

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 Signature



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