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2000 NATIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

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

1 The Department of Education Culture and Sports (DECS) in cooperation with the Cultural Center of the Philippines (CCP) and the National Commission for Culture and Arts (NCCA), announces the holding of a National Music Festival in Laoag City from November 27 to December 3 2000

2 In accordance with Presidential Proclamation No 25 s 1998 the last week of November of each year has been observed as National Music Week during which the NAMCYA Competitions and Festival comprise the main focus of the celebration

3 The 2000 NAMCYA Music Festival has two phases

Phase 1 Regional auditions scheduled in the month of June and July for the following categories children's choir youth choir, college choir, children's and youth rondalla chamber music family ensemble ethnic solos and group performers piano strings winds and solo voice

Phase 2 National Music Festival in Laoag City which will feature those selected from regional auditions and all the first prize winners in the different categories of the 1998 and 1999 national competitions Copies of the festival handbook are available at the regional NAMCYA Secretariat.

4 Regional directors are hereby designated heads of the NAMCYA Regional Committee to oversee the selection and training of participants in their respective areas The National Secretariat shall take care of the management and proceedings of the National Festival

5 Participants authorized to attend the Music Festival on official business shall include the NAMCYA Regional Coordinators Regional and Division PESS Supervisors Music PEHM and MAPE teachers from both public and private schools

6 Regional Supervisors assigned as regional NAMCYA Coordinators shall be authorized to attend on official business the meetings to be called by the NAMCYA National Secretariat prior to the National Music Festival

7 In compliance with the provisions of Presidential Proclamation No 1173, this Department enjoins all Regional Directors to allocate from their respective MOOE funds at least Twenty Thousand Pesos (P20,000 00) to cover part of the expenses to be incurred by the participants for the National Festival subject to the usual accounting and auditing requirements

8 Regional directors, schools superintendents heads of private schools are requested to submit to NAMCYA copy furnished the Special Events Unit 5th Floor, Room 502, Bonifacio Bldg DECS Pasig City of the report of their participation in this project.

9 Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired

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Secretary

Reference DECS Memorandum No 254 s 1999

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