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CELEBRATION OF THE YEAR 2000 NATIONAL HEROES DAY

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

1. The National Historical Institute, a cultural agency under the administrative supervision of the National Commission for Culture and the Arts, has announced the observance of the Year 2000 National Heroes Day on August 27.
2. There is importance in instilling historical awareness among the Filipino elementary and high school students. For this reason, all public and private schools are enjoined to undertake fitting programs and activities to highlight the courage and patriotism of many Filipino heroes and other illustrious personages in the country's history.
3. The activities suggested are school programs, parades, historical pageants and tableaus, biography readings, on-the-spot-painting contests, lessons centered on historical events and personages and other expressive activities.
4. The National Historical Institute has prepared fitting programs in Manila and other parts of the country which will be participated in by various government and nongovernment agencies nationwide.
5. It is requested that high school Social Studies clubs through their principals make arrangements to enable students to attend these undertakings.
6. Wide and immediate dissemination on this Memorandum is desired.

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Secretary

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