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 No. 51, s. 2001

**NATIONAL CONFERENCES OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS/PRINCIPALS
 AND PROJECT COORDINATORS/TEACHERS OF THE SPECIAL
 PROGRAM FOR THE ARTS**

To: Regional Directors
 Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. The Bureau of Secondary Education (BSE) of the Department of Education, Culture and Sports (DECS) launched the Special Program for the Arts (SPA) in May 2000 in 15 pilot schools nationwide. These pilot schools were selected to provide educational and developmental facilities for the gifted and talented students in the arts.
2. To ensure the effective implementation of the program, conferences for school administrators, program coordinators and teachers have been scheduled as follows:

Region	Date	Venue
NCR	February 20-21, 2001	Don Mariano Marcos HS, Manila
IX	July 26-27, 2001	Zamboanga City NHS, Zamboanga City
I	October 25-26, 2001	Ilocos Norte NHS, Laoag City

3. The conferences aim to provide venue for discussion of issues/concerns and share experiences relevant to program implementation.
4. The participants to these conferences are school administrators/principals of the pilot schools, SED chiefs/regional coordinators, school coordinators, division coordinators, teachers and BSE staff.
5. A registration fee of Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000.00) shall be charged each participant to cover board, lodging and other expenses.
6. Registration fee, transportation, per diem and other incidental expenses to be incurred by the participants relative to the attendance to this activity shall be charged against local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
7. Full cooperation of all concerned is hereby enjoined and immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

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Reference:

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