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Director of the Bureau of Secondary Education
Schools Division Superintendent

Pursuant to the goals of reducing red tape in government, effective immediately, the Schools Division in all the Regions and the Bureau of Secondary Education in the Central Office no longer need to authenticate the diplomas; transcript of records and transfer credentials of applicants for Seaman's Course. The college diploma/certificate of passing a seaman's training course presented by an applicant shall be presumed to have been issued in a regular manner and authenticates the high school diploma. It shall serve as evidence of the applicants having graduated from either a public or private secondary school.

For immediate and wide dissemination.

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Secretary

References:

DECS Orders: Nos. 93, s. 1987; 23, s. 1990 and 84, s. 1991

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