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29TH SHIP FOR SOUTHEAST ASIAN YOUTH PROGRAM (SSEAYP)

To:

Bureau Directors

Regional Directors

Schools Division/City Superintendents

Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Principals

- 1. The Ship for Southeast Asian Youth Program (SSEAYP) is an annual cultural exchange program being sponsored by the Cabinet Office of Japan in coordination with the ten member countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN).
- 2. This program aims to promote and strengthen friendship and mutual understanding among the young people of ASEAN and Japan by providing them the opportunity to live together on-board a luxury ship, visiting the participating countries and engaging in various activities such as institutional visits and goodwill exchanges with local youth.
- 3. In the Philippines, the SSEAYP implements the Philippine Country Program and selects the 28 Filipino youth delegates from the 16 regions nationwide. They annually conduct regional interviews during the selection process. In this connection, the SSEAYP informs interested individuals of the DepEd to apply as one of the participating youth for the program.
- 4. Enclosed is a copy of the application form for this year's selection. The deadline for submission of all requirements is on March 27, 2002. Accomplished application forms should be submitted to the National Youth Commission (NYC) Extension Office at the 4th Floor, Bookman Bldg., No. 373 Quezon Avenue, Quezon City. For inquiries, contact the SSEAYP Secretariat at tel. nos. 781-23-72/749-94-01/749-94-04/749-94-09 locals 122 to 124.
- 5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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RAUL S. ROCO Secretary Reference:

None

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