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SEMINAR ON HUMAN VALUES AND VALUES-BASED WATER EDUCATION

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) and Staff Development Division, Human Resource Development Service (SDD-HRDS), in coordination with the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the United Nations Habitat (UNH) will hold a Seminar on Human Values and Values-Based Water Education on March 25, 2003, 8:00 – 5:00 p.m. at the Manila Midtown Hotel, Adriatico St., corner Pedro Gil, Ermita, Manila. This is in commemoration of the United Nations Declaration of 2003 as the International Year of Freshwater, with the theme "*Protecting our Freshwater for our Present and Future, and for the Planet's Survival.*"
2. The main resource speaker is Mr. Victor Segismund Kanu, UN Habitat Expert of High Level Training of Trainers in the UN with Ms. Genoveva Ester Kanu, a trainer on Values Education and Values-Based Water Education, for the past ten years. Their trip to the Philippines is sponsored by UN Habitat and ADB. They will discuss the following topics:
 - Clarification of Human Values and Integration of Values in the Curriculum and Teaching Methodologies;
 - Contribution of Values-Based Water Education to National Goals
 - Water-Related Topics in the School Curriculum and Development of Lesson Plans for Mathematics, Science, Civics and Values Education (See enclosed information)
3. Participants to this seminar are two supervisors (one for Science and another for MAKABAYAN) from each division. The regional offices are requested to endorse the official list of participants (indicating their positions and areas of specialization) to NEAP-SDD, (Attention: Perla Intia, Nanette Losaria, or Cleofe Ocampo at telefax no. 638-86-38; tel. no. 633-72-37) on or before March 23, 2003. Other invited guests will come from private schools and organizations involved in values education and environment studies.
4. Expenses for travel and accommodation of participants are chargeable to local funds while food (two snacks and lunch), supplies of participants, food and transportation expenses of NEAP/SDD-HRDS facilitators and staff and other incidental expenses are chargeable against HRDS Training and Development Fund. All expenses are subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. As counterpart, UN Habitat and ADB will provide handouts, sample lesson exemplars and materials on Human Values and Values-Based Water Education for the participants. **9**

5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



EDILBERTO C. DE JESUS
Secretary

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Encl.:

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Reference

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Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

SCIENCE EDUCATION
SEMINARS
VALUES EDUCATION

(Enclosure to DepEd Memorandum No. 89, s. 2003)

SEMINAR ON HUMAN VALUES AND VALUES-BASED WATER EDUCATION

March 25, 2003, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Manila Midtown Hotel, Adriatico St. corner Pedro Gil, Ermita, Manila

Resource Speaker: VICTOR SEGISMOND KANU

Mr. Kanu has devoted his entire life for the promotion of Values Education around the world. While he started his career as a diplomat in the early 70's as ambassador of Sierra Leone to the United Kingdom, he has been learning, teaching and undertaking research on Education for Human Values. He is presently the Director of the African Institute of Sathya Sai Education, based in Zambia. The institute's principal objective is to promote Educare (education to bring out from within) and how human values can be effectively incorporated in the curriculum and other development projects. The institute undertakes teacher training activities, and developing methodologies for integrating values in teaching.

Mr. Kanu is British, and had his schooling in Oxford University, England in the Honors School of Philosophy, Politics and Economics. He has trained administrators and teachers in London, Africa and other parts of the world on values education. He has organized conferences and chaired sessions on Human Values and Values Education.

He is presently the Director, High Level Training of Trainers for 6 African countries, a UN Habitat assignment.

Resource Speaker: GENOVEVA ESTHER KANU

Together with Mr. Victor Kanu, Ms. Kanu has devoted her life for the promotion of Values Education through teacher training on Values Education in various African schools. She has been a teacher and a principal at various levels in England and Africa.

Ms. Kanu has published books, articles, training manuals on Values Based Education and Management Dynamics.

She received her B.A. English and History from Columbia University, USA and has completed an M.A. in History and Education. Presently, she is the Chief Inspector and member of the Central Board of Management of the Sathya Sai Schools in Zambia, Africa, where she continues her teacher training on values education.

TOPICS:

1. Clarification of Human Values
2. Clarification of Water Education
3. Human Values Teaching Methodologies
4. Demonstration of Human Values in water-related topics in the formal sector (school curriculum of primary schools and secondary schools)
5. Human Values in Non-Formal Education
6. The African Experience in Human Values in Water Education (VBWE)

PRESENTATION MATERIALS

MR. VICTOR KANU

1. **Contribution of Values-Based Water Education to the National Educational Goals and Objectives in Africa: A Regional Perspective**
2. **Water-Related Topics in the School Curriculum (Lesson Plans)**
 - a. **Major World Physical Features**
 - b. **Osmosis**
 - c. **Water Bills**

MS. GENOVEVA KANU

1. **Water-Related Topics in the School Curriculum (Lesson Plans)**
 - a. **Taking Care of the Body**
 - b. **The Kon-tiki Expedition**
 - c. **The Old Man and the Sea**
 - d. **Water Conservation**
 - **Water on Earth**
 - **Water Saving Tips**
 - **Water Sayings; Songs, Values**
 - **Life Applications**