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## THE INTERNATIONAL EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

To:

Bureau Directors

**Regional Directors** 

Schools Division/City Superintendents

Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. The Department of Education (DepEd) and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) encourage the celebration of the International Earth Day on April 22, 2003. The theme of the celebration is "Water for Life". Enclosed is the Earth Day logo for use in the activities.
- 2. The celebration includes addressing local and global environment concerns and support for environmental programs and projects to rekindle public commitment to be involved in the preservation and conservation of the environment.
- 3. This Department enjoins the Regional and Division offices to conduct activities related to the celebration such as lectures/symposia, roving art exhibits, poster making contest, environmental youth conventions, quiz bee, tree planting and clean-up campaign.
- 4. For more information, contact Ms. Velma M. Lim, France Atos, Rhodora Brucal, and Yolly Tatang, DENR Special Concerns Office at tel. nos. 927-63-36/926-83-46/9296626-32 local nos. 2004/2035/2074.
- 5. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

EDILBERTO C. DE JESUS Secretary

Encl: As stated.

Reference: DECS Memorandum No. 120, s. 2001

Allotment: 1---(D.O.50-97)

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