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2003 WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY ESSAY WRITING CONTEST -

To:

Regional Directors

Schools Divisions/ City Superintendents

Heads, Public and Private Secondary Schools

- 1. The World Environment Month is celebrated every month of June and is one of the principal vehicles through which the United Nations stimulate worldwide awareness of the environment and enhance political attention and action.
- 2. In this connection, the Hydro Electric Development Corporation, Aboitiz Express, Inc. and the United Nations Information Centre for the Philippines organized an essay-writing contest which is open to all high school students nationwide.
- 3. The objective is to increase awareness and appreciation for the essay theme "The Benefits of Clean and Renewable Energy". The deadline for submission is September 1, 2003. The awarding date is October 24, 2003. Please see the enclosed mechanics of the contest.
- 4. For more information, contact Mr. Israel Joseph D. Buenaobra, Corporate Communications Officer, Hydro Electric Development Corporation, tel. no. (074) 444-79-45/442-60-80 or email: inquiry@hedcor.com and website: www.hedcor.com.
- 5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

EDILBERTO C. DE JESUS Secretary

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