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ESC CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

To: Regional Directors
Chiefs, Secondary Education

1. The Fund for Assistance to Private Education (FAPE) has designed the ESC Certification Program. This shall be presented at the General Assembly of ESC Regional Project Committees (RPCs) and the certifying teams invited from selected level III accredited institutions from each region, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon on August 1, 2003 at the Bay View Park Hotel, Roxas Boulevard, Manila.
2. The objective of this Assembly is to present this ESC Certification Program, which classifies the participating schools using a five-point scale: poor, below satisfactory, satisfactory, very satisfactory, and outstanding.
3. The results of the ESC Certification Program shall become the basis for the grant of new ESC slots starting School year 2004-2005. This may also solve the ESC-TFS budgetary shortfall for the current school year and the inequitable distribution of ESC slots.
4. Participants to this General Assembly shall be the Regional Directors and Secondary Education Chiefs who comprise the ESC oversight committee in this regions. Their attendance to this Assembly shall be **on official business**.
5. For more information, please contact Ms. Carol C. Porio, Executive Director, FAPE at tel. nos. (02) 816-41-36 and fax no. (02) 818-0013.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Incl. Attachment

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

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