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**FIRST ANNUAL SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING INDIGENOUS
PEOPLE LEADERSHIP (S.O.I.L.) AWARDS**

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Directors of Services, Centers and Heads of Units
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. The Management Association of the Philippines (MAP) will conduct the First Annual Search for Outstanding Indigenous Peoples Leadership (S.O.I.L.) Awards.
2. The search aims to recognize indigenous peoples leadership, either by individuals, tribes or groups, with outstanding achievements for the development and the progress of their community.
3. Nomination is open to all Filipino citizens who are strictly bonafide members and duly recognized leaders of indigenous cultural minorities (Muslim and non-Muslim tribes) duly certified by the National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP), Local Government Units (LGUs) or other Non-Government Organizations (NGOs)/Private Organizations (POs).
4. A copy of the MAP Circular No. 010-2003 dated April 4, 2003, guidelines for the Search and nomination forms are enclosed for reference. Accomplished nomination forms shall be submitted to the MAP Secretariat, AIM Conference Center, Ayala Corporation Hall, Benavidez corner Trasierra Streets, Legaspi Village, Makati City, not later than September 30, 2003.
5. For inquiries, please contact Mr. Edward L. Ferreira, MAP President at telephone nos. (632) 751-1149 to 52, fax no (632) 751-1154, e-mail: mapsec@globenet.com.ph, website: www.map.com.ph.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.


EDILBERTO C. DE JESUS
Secretary

Encl.:

As stated

Reference: None

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

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

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Circular No: 010-2003

Subject: First MAP Annual SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING INDIGENOUS PEOPLES LEADERSHIP (S.O.I.L.) AWARDS

Dear Fellow MAP Member:

All Filipinos, including the indigenous ones, contribute to the diversity and richness of the country's culture. The potentials of Indigenous Peoples (IPs) can influence current social and economic conditions and the well-being of future generations. The preservation of history, culture and practices of IPs will definitely contribute to sustainable growth and equitable development. There is an urgent need to provide IPs with broader opportunities to play an active part as partners in economic and social development.

There are about 110 tribes now in the country, which used to be about 200. Their survival is threatened like the country's endangered flora and fauna. Peace and sustainable development cannot be achieved if IPs are neglected or absent in any socio-economic equation.


The general objective of the **FIRST MAP ANNUAL S.O.I.L. AWARDS** is to recognize indigenous peoples leadership --- individuals, tribes or groups ---- that have done outstanding achievements for the development and progress of their communities. The Awards will spread the good news about the richness of IPs' culture and potentials.

A successful selection nationwide can harvest an effective profile of the best of indigenous peoples leadership that will treasure and develop the wealth of indigenous wisdom, resources, talents, and heritage to advance the human rights and welfare of the indigenous cultural communities.

I ENCOURAGE YOU TO SUPPORT THE **FIRST MAP ANNUAL S.O.I.L. AWARDS** BY SUBMITTING YOUR NOMINATIONS THROUGH THE ATTACHED NOMINATION FORM. **Deadline for submission of nomination is 30 September 2003.**

We look forward to receiving your nominations for the **FIRST MAP ANNUAL S.O.I.L. AWARDS.**

Very truly yours,


EDWARD L. PEREIRA
MAP President

THE FIRST MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES' (MAP) ANNUAL SEARCH for OUTSTANDING INDIGENOUS PEOPLES LEADERSHIP (S.O.I.L.) Awards

1. General objective

To recognize indigenous peoples leadership --- individuals, tribes or groups ---- that have done outstanding achievements for the development and progress of their communities. The Award will spread the good news about the richness of IPs' culture and potentials.

2. Specific objective

- 2.1 To extend awards of recognition to selected IPs leadership with outstanding achievements or contributions to promote the welfare and human rights of their respective Indigenous Cultural Communities (ICCs)
- 2.2 To salute the celebration of the UN Decade for IP
- 2.3 To maintain a documentation of activities of members of ICCs who have, in one way or the other, contributed to the general interests of their IPs that will raise awareness about the wealth of Indigenous wisdom and heritage to live in peace and harmony with Mother Earth

3. Categories

- 3.1 Business/Entrepreneurship/Livelihood
- 3.2 Arts and Culture
- 3.3 Peace, Human Rights and Environment
- 3.4 Education and Media
- 3.5 Public Service/Community Leadership especially for Women and Children's Concerns

4. Criteria

- 4.1 Outstanding achievements/contributions to ICCs' general welfare or tribal constituency with proofs attached (length of service)
- 4.2 Acceptability of leadership (innovativeness, pioneering spirit in the community or among ICCs)
- 4.3 Commitment/Direction

5. Guidelines on Nominations

- 5.1 Nominations will be generated from the public.
- 5.2 Nominations shall be done using the prescribed Nomination Form. The information on the Nomination Form may be in English or Tagalog.
- 5.3 An endorsement by a local government unit (LGU), the National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP), or any other NGO/PO must be attached to the Nomination Form as a certification of nominee's being a part of Indigenous Peoples.
- 5.4 Nominations must include the Nominees' Information Sheet and highlight a documentation of his/her outstanding achievements.
- 5.5 The nominee must sign the Nomination Form attesting to the veracity of the facts stated therein and giving consent to the independent verification by the Steering Committee, Validation Committee, and/or the Board of Judges.
- 5.6 Nominations may be sent to the MAP Secretariat or to any of the organizations represented in the Steering Committee.
- 5.7 The Steering Committee will constitute a Validation Committee for each award category that will pre-screen and shortlist the nominees.
- 5.8 The Steering Committee will form a Board of Judges that will select the S.O.I.L. Awardees from the Validation Committee's shortlist.

6. Qualifications of Nominees

- 6.1 All nominees must be Filipino citizens and are strictly bonafide members and duly recognized leaders of the ICCs (Muslim and Non-Muslim tribes) duly certified by the NCIP, LGUs or other NGOs/POs.
- 6.2 The Nominees must have engaged in contributing to the cause of the ICCs/tribal people for a substantial part of his/her life with authentic documented proofs subject to verification by the Steering Committee and/or the Board of Judges. His/her work for ICCs must have been consistent and continuing.

NOMINATION FORM
FOR
THE FIRST MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES' (MAP) ANNUAL
SEARCH for OUTSTANDING INDIGENOUS PEOPLES LEADERSHIP (S.O.I.L.) Awards

STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL

1. AWARD CATEGORY *(Please check appropriate box)*

- Business/Entrepreneurship/Livelihood
- Arts and Culture
- Peace, Human Rights and Environment
- Education and Media
- Public Service/Community Leadership,
especially for Women's and Children's Concerns

2. CLASSIFICATION OF NOMINEE *(Please check appropriate box)*

- Institution
- Community
- Person

3. BACKGROUND OF NOMINEE

(Please accomplish this portion if nomination is Institution/community.)

Name of Institution/Community: _____

Address: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____ e-mail: _____

Publications, if any:

<i>Title of Publications</i>	<i>Date Released</i>

Honors/Awards Received:

<i>Honors/Awards</i>	<i>Source</i>	<i>Date Received</i>

(Please accomplish this portion if nominee is a person.)

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____

e-mail: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Place of Birth: _____

Nationality: _____

Religion: _____

Civil Status: Single Married Divorced Widowed

If married, name of spouse: _____ Age: _____

Nationality: _____ Occupation: _____

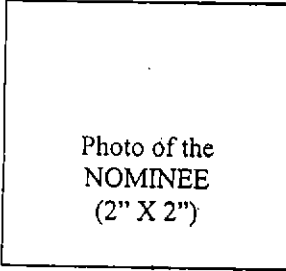
Name of Father: _____ Age: _____

Nationality: _____ Occupation: _____

Name of Mother: _____ Age: _____

Nationality: _____ Occupation: _____

Children:	Names	Ages
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____



Educational Background:

	<i>Schools Attended</i>	<i>Courses/Degrees</i>	<i>Year Completed</i>
Grade School			
High School			
College			
Post-Graduate			
Others			

Honors/Awards Received:

<i>Honors/Awards</i>	<i>Source</i>	<i>Date Received</i>

4. Please provide the following information. A separate sheet may be used if necessary. Be as brief as possible.

4.1 Describe the contributions/initiatives of the nominee, including some background and the scope of his/her work or activity and his/her resources in achieving his/her goals.

4.2 Narrate the nominee's exceptional achievements or contributions in his/her chosen field, organization or community.

4.3 List quotations and statements of authorities that reaffirm the nominee's achievement or contribution.

4.4 Did the accomplishment of the nominee result in the advancement of the public? Is it an outstanding contribution to public welfare and the country at large? Does it promote the interest of the indigenous cultural communities?

4.5 Summarize the nominee's most outstanding humanitarian efforts, how the nominee exemplified the ideals, values and the norms of the Indigenous communities in the preservation of their own cultures.

5. INFORMATION ABOUT THE NOMINATOR

Nominator's Name: _____ Signature _____

Home Address _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____ e-mail: _____

Office Address: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____ e-mail: _____

Occupation/Business: _____

6. CONFIRMATION OF ACCURACY OF INFORMATION BY THE NOMINEE

I attest to all facts contained on this Nomination Form and give permission for the facts to be used for publication. I understand that, barring extreme circumstances, I will be present if an interview is requested and if selected as one of the S.O.I.L. Awardees for 2003 and I will attend the awards presentation.

Furthermore, I hereby give my consent that all facts contained on this Nomination Form may be independently verified as to their accuracy by the S.O.I.L. Awards Steering Committee, Validation Committee, and/or Board of Judges.

Printed Name and Signature of Nominee

Date