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OBSERVANCE OF THE NATIONAL CONSCIOUSNESS WEEK FOR PUNCTUALITY AND CIVILITY

To: Undersecretaries

Assistant Secretaries

Bureau Directors, Services, Centers and Head of Units

Regional Directors

School Division/City Superintendents

Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. In pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 475 declaring the period from November 16 to 21, 2003 as National Consciousness Week for Punctuality (Respect for the Value of Time) and Civility (Respect for the Right of Others) (*Linggo ng Pagpapahalaga sa Oras at sa Karapatan ng Kapwa*). Whereas, for the last seven (7) years, the Organized Response for the Advancement of Society (ORAS), a non-government, non-profit and non-stock organization composed of leaders from all sectors of society, has continually and effectively promoted a national campaign for the transformation of the habit of our people in respect to the value of time and respect for the right of others.
- 2. To support this undertaking, this Department encourages all public schools and offices to observe this week with appropriate activities to promote the twin values of punctuality and civility.
- 3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

RAMON C. BACANI Undersecretary Officer-In- Charge

Reference: DepED Memo No. 187, s. 2002

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