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**HUMAN RIGHTS LESSON PLANS FOR SOUTHEAST ASIAN SCHOOLS:
LAUNCHING AND TRAINING WORKSHOP**

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. Developed in March 2001 during the Writing-Workshop on the Development of the Human Rights Teaching Materials for ASEAN Schools held in Manila and finalized in 2002 in Bangkok, Thailand, the Human Rights Lesson Plans for Southeast Asian Schools will be launched in November 9-11, 2004 at Legenda Hotel, Olongapo City. The launching and training workshop is jointly organized and conducted by the Staff Development Division, Human Resource Development Service (SDD-HRDS), National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) and HURIGHTS OSAKA.
2. The workshop is aimed at: a) providing participants with working knowledge on the international human rights standards with focus on the Universal Declaration on Human Rights and the Convention on the Rights of Children and corresponding local laws; b) reviewing methods and techniques in the subregion on the integration of human rights concepts and values in the curriculum and sharing best practices on HRE; c) providing instructions on how to use the Human Rights Lesson Plans highlighting the content and process in the lesson plans; and d) strengthening existing human rights education programs in the subregion through action plans on the conduct of HRE training and utilization of the Human Rights Lesson Plans in Southeast Asian Schools.
3. Participants to the workshop are teacher-trainers/supervisors from six (6) Southeast Asian countries involved in the preparation of the lesson plans and two (2) additional countries, Timor Leste and Laos. Each country will send three (3) participants. There will be five (5) invited observers from the DepED and CHR and six (6) resource persons from ASEAN. Total number of participants and staff is forty (40).
4. Travelling expenses of foreign participants will be provided by HURIGHTS OSAKA while travelling expenses of the three (3) Philippine participants are chargeable against local funds. Board and lodging expenses of participants and staff, transportation and per diem of DepED observers and project staff, supplies, honoraria of external resource persons and internal transport expenses are chargeable against Special Program Funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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