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**DepEd MEMORANDUM**

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**The 23<sup>rd</sup> Southeast Asian Games**

To: Undersecretaries  
 Assistant Secretaries  
 Bureau / Regional / Center / Service Directors  
 Schools Division Superintendents  
 Heads of Public and Private Schools and Universities

1. The Philippines, through the Philippine Olympic Committee (POC), is hosting the 23<sup>rd</sup> Southeast Asian Games on 27 November to 5 December 2005 in Metro Manila as the main venue and in Bacolod City, Cebu City, Laguna, Rizal-Antipolo City, Subic Bay Freeport and Tagaytay City as the satellite venues.
2. Pursuant to Executive Order No. 126, the Philippine Southeast Asian Games Organizing Committee (PhilSOC) is in charge of the preparation of and organizing the hosting of the SEA Games, with the Philippine Sports Commission and national sports association providing technical and other necessary support. Other concerned government agencies, including the Department of Education, are enjoined to cooperate with the POC and the PhilSOC on matters relative to the preparation and conduct of the Games.
3. All DepEd regional / division / district / other field offices, and the public/private schools shall, therefore, provide such support, and shall make available their facilities and manpower resources whenever required, to ensure the efficient preparation, smooth organization and successful staging of the Games.
4. DepEd personnel, teachers and students, especially those in the schools near the competition venues, are encouraged to witness the games and cheer for the National Team. Attached is the list of sports events and venues.
5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

  
**FE A. HIDALGO**  
 Undersecretary  
 Officer-In-Charge

## 23<sup>rd</sup> Southeast Asian Games Competition Playing Venues

Sport	Venue
<b>A. Metro Manila &amp; Rizal</b>	
Opening Ceremony	Quirino Grandstand, Luneta Park, Manila
1. Arnis	Emilio Aguinaldo Colege, Ermita, Manila
2. Athletics	Track & Field Stadium, RMSC, Manila, Pasay City
3. Badminton	Philsports Multi Sports Complex, Pasig City
4. Baseball	Baseball Stadium, RMSC, Manila
5. Basketball (Women)	Blue Eagle Gym, Ateneo de Manila University
(Men)	Ynares Gym, Antipolo City, Rizal
6. Billiards & Snooker	Makati Coliseum, Makati City
7. Bodybuilding	GSIS Teatro, Pasay City
8. Bowling	Pearl Bowling Center, Parañaque City
9. Cycling Track	Amoranto Velodrome, Quezon City
Criterium Race	Roxas Boulevard, Manila
10. Equestrian	Alabang Country Club Polo Field, Muntinlupa City
11. Fencing	Pasig Sports Cente, Pasig City
12. Football (Women)	Marikina Sports Center, Marikina Center
13. Golf (Women)	Manila Golf and Country Club, Makati City
14. Gymnastics Artistic	Rizal Memorial Sports Complex Multi Purpose (RMSC) Arena, Manila
Rhythmic	
Aerobics	
15. Muay	GSIS Gym, Pasay City
16. Rowing	La Mesa Dam, Novaliches, Quezon City
17. Shooting Pistol & Rillo	PSC-PNSA Shooting Range, BNS, Bonifacio, Taguig
Practical	
Trap	
Skeet	PNCA Clay Target Range, Muntinlupa City
18. Sofball	Rosario Sports Center, Pasig City
19. Squash	Makati Sports Club, Makati City
20. Table Tennis	Ninoy Aquino Stadium, RMSC, Malate, Manila
21. Taekwondo	Cuneta Astrodome, Pasay City
22. Tennis	Tennis Court, RMSC, Manila
23. Traditional Boat Race	La Mesa Dam, Novaliches, Quezon City
24. Wrestling	San Andres Gym, Malate, Manila
25. Wushu	Emilio Aguinaldo College, Ermita, Manila
Closing Ceremony	Quirino Grandstand, Luneta Park, Manila

**23<sup>rd</sup> Southeast Asian Games Competition  
Playing Venues**

Sport	Venue
<b>B. Laguna</b>	
1. Aquatics	Trace Aquatic Center, Los Baños, Laguna
Swimming	
Diving	
Water Polo	
2. Golf (Men)	Canlubang, Laguna
<b>C. Tagaytay City</b>	
1. Chess	Tagaytay International Convention Center
2. Cycling (Road)	
<b>D. Angeles City, Pampanga</b>	
1. Lawn Bowls	
2. Petanque	
<b>E. Subic Bay Freeport</b>	
1. Archery	
2. Canoe-Kayak	
3. Sailing	
4. Triathlon	
<b>F. Cebu City</b>	
1. Cycling	
2. Dancesport	
3. Judo	
4. Karatedo	
5. Pencak Silat	
6. Sepak Takraw	
<b>G. Bacolod City</b>	
1. Boxing	
2. Football (Men)	
3. Volleyball	Indoor
Beach Volleyball	
4. Weightlifting	

**MALACAÑANG**  
Manila

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 125

**RECOGNIZING THE ROLE OF THE PHILIPPINE SOUTHEAST ASIAN GAMES ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (PHILSOC) IN THE PREPARATION AND ORGANIZATION OF THE 23<sup>RD</sup> SEA GAMES IN 2005**

WHEREAS, the Council of the Southeast Asian Games Federation has awarded to the Philippines the right to host, and the Philippines has accepted the privilege of hosting, the 23<sup>rd</sup> Southeast Asian (SEA) Games in 2005;

WHEREAS, to ensure the success of this sporting event, there is a need for concerned government agencies, the different national sport associations (NSA) and the private sector to involve themselves, coordinate with and jointly support each in all preparatory and organization activities, including the training of our local entries;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 6847, otherwise known as the Philippine Sports Commission (PSC) Act, recognizes the traditional role of the Philippine Olympic Committee (POC), as the National Olympic Committee for the country, as the body primarily charged with undertaking activities pertaining to the country's participation in Olympic Games, SEA Games and other international athletic competitions;

WHEREAS, the POC has entrusted the responsibility for the preparation of and organizing the 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games in 2005, to the Philippine SEA Games Organizing Committee (PHILSOC), a body mainly composed of representatives from the POC and the Government, whereas the PSC, in coordination with the POC and the various NSAs, is charged with the responsibility of training and preparing Filipino athletes participating in the SEA Games.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

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SECTION 1. All concerned agencies and instrumentalities of the government shall work in coordination with the Philippine Olympic Committee and the PHILSOC toward the efficient preparation, smooth organization and successful holding of the 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games in 2005.

SEC. 2. The Philippine Sports Commission, in cooperation with the Philippine Olympic Committee and all concerned National Sports Associations, shall coordinate and jointly support each other for the effective preparation of the Philippine Team and its successful participation in the 23<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games and all the preparatory and relevant competitions.

SEC. 3. All departments, bureaus, government agencies and instrumentalities, inclusive of local government units, are hereby directed to extend assistance and full support to the PHILSOC in its undertaking relative to the 2005 SEA Games.

SEC. 4. All government-owned and controlled corporations, concerned non-government organizations, the private business sector, educational institutions, social and sectoral groups and communities, and the general public are hereby encouraged to lend their cooperation and generous support for the success of the 2005 SEA Games.

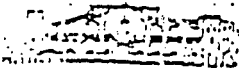
SEC. 5. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE in the City of Manila, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of SEP in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Two.

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By the President:

*[Handwritten signature: Alberto G. Romulo]*  
**ALBERTO G. ROMULO**  
 Executive Secretary



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**LAMBERTO R. BARS**  
 Officer-in-Charge