

## Republic of the Philippines Bepartment of Education



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## UNAUTHORIZED USE OF THE FIRST GENTLEMAN'S NAME IN GOVERNMENT TRANSACTIONS

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau Directors
Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Chiefs of Divisions
All Others Concerned

- 1. Reports have reached the Office of First Gentleman Jose Miguel T. Arroyo of some people using his name to gain favors in their dealings with some government agencies.
- 2. This is to reiterate the First Gentleman's statement in the past that he did not meddle in any government transaction. Moreover, his Office would like to inform the public that he has not authorized any person to use his name or represent him to make any transaction in all government agencies, government-owned and controlled corporations.
- 3. This is also to remind the public that the First Gentleman himself has asked the authorities to arrest and put to jail those using his name in pursuing illegal activities.
- 4. For more information, please contact Ms. Juris Umali-Soliman, ASEC & Chief of Staff to the First Gentleman, at tel. nos. (02) 736-8802; (02) 736-8801 and (02) 733-3766.
- 5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

FE A. HIDALGO Undersecretary Officer-in-Charge

Reference:

None

Allotment: 1--(D.O. 50-97)

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