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CURRICULUM WRITING WORKSHOP ON THE STRENGTHENED TECHNICAL-  
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

To: Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau Director  
Regional Directors

1. In line with the present thrust of the Department of Education (DepED) to strengthen the 261 Technical Vocational High Schools, a six-day live-in Curriculum Writing Workshop on the Strengthened Technical-Vocational Education Program will be conducted at the Marikina City Hotel, Marikina City on April 23-28, 2007.
2. The objectives of the Curriculum Writing Workshop are to:
  - a. design and develop a curriculum for the proposed competency-based TVE program in order to comply with TESDA certification;
  - b. fill in the gap of the existing RTVE curriculum and the proposed competency-based curricula in compliance with TESDA training standards; and
  - c. come up with a Competency-Based Curricula for the 18 priority subject areas to be implemented in June 2007 for tech-voc high schools;

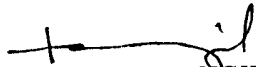
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I. ARTS & TRADES	Electrical Technology, Electronics Technology, Machine Shop Technology, Automotive Mechanics, Civil Technology (BC, FCM, Plumbing), Welding, Computer Technology, ICT/Software Skills, Technical Drawing
II. AGRICULTURE	Vegetable Production, Animal Production, Food Processing, Crop Production
III. FISHERY	Fish Capture, Fish Culture, Fish Processing

3. The Curriculum writers are composed of curriculum experts from the Technical Skills and Development Authority (TESDA), SEAMEO-INNOTECH, Microsoft Philippines, Meralco Foundation, Inc. (MFI), and selected DepED curriculum specialists/writers from across the 17 regions.

4. Participants to the said activity are the curriculum writers, facilitators, resource persons and representatives from the Bureau of Secondary Education (BSE), the TVE Task Force members, and the secretariat.

5. The curriculum writers in the different subject areas are directed to bring along with them all the necessary materials pertinent to the TVE curriculum (subject area) they are assigned, such as course syllabi, textbooks, teachers' manual, among other things.

6. Board and lodging and honoraria of participants shall be charged against DepED training funds, while transportation, per diem and other incidental expenses shall be charged against local funds subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
7. For further inquiries, please contact Ms. Yrrah Pineda and Ms. Prescy Ong of the TVETF at tel. nos. (02) 632-0170 and (02) 633-9346.
8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Officer-in-Charge

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