

Republic of the Philippines **Bepartment of Education**



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"AWIT KAY ANA" (A SONG FOR ANA)

To: Bureau Directors

Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units

Regional Directors

Schools Division/City Superintendents

Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) and the Antipolo City government announces the presentation of the play "Awit Kay Ana" (A Song for Ana) on the following dates and venues:

| Dates | Venue |
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| November 24 and 25, 2007 | Assumpta Theater of Assumption, Sumulong Highway, Antipolo City |
| December 1 and 2, 8 and 9, 15 and 16, 2007 | Assumpta Theater of Assumption, Sumulong Highway, Antipolo City |

- 2. The play is an adaptation of a William Somerset Maugham short story set in France amidst the death and destruction brought about by World War II. This is part of the celebration of the Decade of Culture and the Arts (2000 to 2010) as proclaimed by the United Nations for the promotion of peace and culture.
- 3. With the theme "Theater for All: Bridging Nationalism and Economic Empowerment Toward Societal Transformation", this project aims to:
 - a. promote the sustainable role of theater as a potent tool for social change;
 - b. facilitate the institutionalization of the UNESCO International Theater Institute's (ITI) "Theater for All" program in most if not all high schools, colleges and universities all over the country; and
 - c. promote cultural awareness among the people, especially among students and teachers of the importance of theater as a compelling instrument for economic empowerment and as a vital medium of innovative education.
- 4. The public and private elementary and secondary schools are invited to participate and watch the play.

- 5. For more information, contact Mr. Noel Estonilo Miralles, Mr. Murphy E. Arbozo or Ms. Monette C. Bernador at mobile nos. 0919-7705354; 0915-4511736 and 0921-2168263 or at e-mail address: encorephilippines@yahoo.com.
- 4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

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Reference:

None

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

To be indicated in the <u>Perpetual Index</u> under the following subjects:

EDUCATIONAL PLAY PUPILS SCHOOLS STUDENTS

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