

Republic of the Philippines **Department of Education**



Office of the Secretary

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DepED MEMORANDUM No. 460, s. 2007

> DISSEMINATION OF PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 1407 AND MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 146

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau Directors
Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, enclosed are the copies of the following:
 - a. Presidential Proclamation No. 1407 Declaring the Month of November 2007 as the WBC Boxing Month and Enjoining All Government Agencies and Instrumentalities Including All Local Government Units and Government Owned and Controlled Corporations to Extend Assistance to the Games and Amusements Board (GAB) in the Holding of the 45th World Boxing Council (WBC) Annual Boxing Convention and its Sports and Gaming Events to be held on November 11-17, 2007 at Manila Hotel, One Rizal Park, Manila; and
 - b. Memorandum Circular No. 146 Enjoining All Information Officers of Offices/Agencies at the Regional and Local Government Levels, Non-Government Institutions and the Private Sector in Mindanao to Attend and Participate in the 8th Annual Congress-Workshop of the Mindanao Communicators' Network, Inc. (MINDACOMNET) to be held on November 27-29, 2007 at Marcian Hotel, Zamboanga City.
- 2. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

FRANKLIN C. SUNG& Undersecretary

Encls. As stated Reference: None

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

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MALACAÑANG Manila

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 1407

DECLARING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2007 AS THE WBC BOXING MONTH AND ENJOINING ALL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND INSTRUMENTALITIES INCLUDING ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS AND GOVERNMENT OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS TO EXTEND ASSISTANCE TO THE GAMES AND AMUSEMENTS BOARD (GAB) IN THE HOLDING OF THE 45TH WORLD BOXING COUNCIL (WBC) ANNUAL BOXING CONVENTION AND ITS SPORTS AND GAMING EVENTS TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 11-17, 2007 AT MANILA HOTEL, ONE RIZAL PARK, MANILA

WHEREAS, the World Boxing Council (WBC) is considered as one of the biggest, most prestigious and most influential boxing organization in the world which consists of 168 members-nations and 14 affiliated federations;

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Games and Amusements Board (GAB) is one of the Members of the 60-Member Board of Governors and concurrently the Vice-President of the Oriental-Pacific Boxing Federation (OPBF), a federation under the auspices of the WBC;

WHEREAS, in the year 2006, during the event dubbed as "Night of the Champions" initiated by the WBC, the Philippines was unanimously voted by its Chairman and Members of the Board of Governors and Heads of the 14 boxing organizations/federations, as the next host country of its forthcoming 45th WBC Annual Boxing Convention;

WHEREAS, it is an honor and privilege for the Philippines to be chosen as the host country and as the venue of the WBC Convention after a period of 37 years;

WHEREAS, this will be an opportunity for the Philippines to: be recognized as world-class venue of international forums and meetings and more importantly to show its support in the boxing world where Filipino boxers are known to be dominant and for it to promote those Filipino boxers who have potential to become world boxing champions;



WHEREAS, this is also an opportunity for the Philippines to boost and promote its tourism industry;

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 declare the month of November 2007 as the WBC Boxing Month and hereby enjoins all government agencies and instrumentalities, local government units and government owned and controlled corporations to extend assistance to the Games and Amusements Board in the holding of the 45th WBC Annual Boxing Convention and its sports and gaming events to be held on November 11-17, 2007 at Manila Hotel, One Rizal Park, Manila.

This Proclamation shall take effect immediately.

Done in the City of manila, this 30th day of October, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Seven.

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By the President:

EDUARDO R. ERMITA Executive Secretary

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MALACAÑANG MANUA

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 146

ENJOINING ALL INFORMATION OFFICERS OF OFFICES/AGENCIES AT THE REGIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEVELS, NON-GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR IN MINDANAO TO ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THE 8TH ANNUAL CONGRESS-WORKSHOP OF THE MINDANAO COMMUNICATORS' NETWORK, INC. (MINDACOMNET) TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 27-29, 2007 AT MARCIAN HOTEL, ZAMBOANGA CITY

The Mindanao Communicators' Network Inc. (MINDACOMNET), a network of government and non-government information officers, was organized in 1999, for the purpose of networking activities for communication practitioners in the government and non-government organizations and the private sector in Mindanao to enhance the professional growth of public and private communicators/information officers in the Mindanao regions.

The **MINDACOMNET, INC.** was organized to serve as a mechanism for the promotion and advocacy of the National Government's peace and development efforts in Mindanao.

In order to achieve its purpose and objectives, the **MINDACOMNET, INC.** shall conduct its 8th Annual Congress-Workshop on November 27-29 at Marcian Hotel, Zamboanga City.

All heads of government departments, bureaus and offices, including government-owned and/or controlled corporations, government financial institutions, state colleges and universities, and local government units, are enjoined to authorize their information/communications officers to attend/participate in the **MINDACOMNET**, **INC.** 8th Annual Congress-Workshop on November 27-29, 2007 on official time with expenses, such as transportation, per diems, registration fees, and other necessary fees/expenses at rates prescribed in accordance with existing policies of the Department of Budget and Management, the Commission on Audit and the Civil Service Commission, chargeable against the funds of their respective agencies/offices, and subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations and availability of funds.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately.

By authority of the President:

EDUARCO R. ERMITA

Executive Secretary

Manila, 30 October 2007

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MARICHITO M. DIMAANDAL DIRECTORIII

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