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DROPOUT REDUCTION PROGRAM (DORP) AT THE SECONDARY LEVEL

To: Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. In line with the goals of the Education For All (EFA) 2015, the Department of Education (DepEd) through the Bureau of Secondary Education (BSE), shall conduct a series of activities on the implementation of the **Dropout Reduction Program (DORP)** at the secondary level.

2. The activities aim to develop and expand school models for reducing school dropouts in the secondary level.

3. The participants in the cluster trainings are as follows:

- a. The selected pool of trainers from the 15 SEDIP divisions consisting of SDS/ASDS, Division DORP coordinator and co-coordinator, planning officer, ES 1 in Values Education, 1 principal-trainer and 1 teacher-trainer. They shall be expected to bring the 1<sup>st</sup> quarterly report and division program implementation plan (PIP) for SY 2008;
- b. The regional DORP team which consists of SED Chief/ASED Chief, regional DORP coordinator, ES II preferably in Values Education and Regional Planning Officer;
- c. The division DORP teams of the two (2) divisions identified to have the highest dropout rates in the region. Each team shall be composed of SDS/ASDS, Division DORP coordinator, ES 1 preferably in Values Education, and Division Planning Officer;
- d. The school DORP teams from the two identified schools in each division with highest dropout rate. The school DORP team shall consist of the school head, school coordinator, and three (3) teachers in any of the learning areas; and
- e. The BSE pilot schools for OHSP and EASE, (two strategic interventions of DORP) shall likewise attend the 4<sup>th</sup> cluster training. Each school shall send a five (5) man team which shall be composed of the school head, school DORP coordinator and three (3) teachers in any of the learning areas. They are expected to bring their School Report Cards (SRCs) and Education Management and Information System (EMIS) data.

4. All planning officers are advised to bring pertinent documents/data on performance indicators from SY 2002-2003 to 2006-2007. The school heads are also advised to bring their SRCs and EMIS data from SY 2002-2003 to 2006-2007. The teachers are advised to bring instructional learning materials for the workshop.

5. The identified divisions and schools with highest dropout rates are listed in Enclosure No. 1 while the list of the pilot schools of OHSP and EASE are in Enclosure Nos. 2 and 3, respectively.

6. The schools with highest dropout rates and the BSE pilot schools shall move their semestral break on the dates of their training so as not to effect the number of contact days for the current school year.

7. Schedules and venues of the four (4) cluster trainings are as follows:

<b>Cluster</b>	<b>Dates (Exclusive of travel time)</b>	<b>Venue</b>
Cluster 1: Regions I, II, III, IV-A, CAR and NCR	October 20-24, 2008	Iloilo City
Cluster 2: Regions IV-B, V, VI, VII and VIII	October 27-31, 2008	Tagaytay City
Cluster 3: Regions IX, X, XI, XII, XIII and ARMM	November 3-7, 2008	Cebu City
Cluster 4: OHSP and EASE Pilot Schools (from various regions/divisions)	November 17-21, 2008	Baguio City

8. Board and lodging, travel expenses of the selected pool of trainers from the 15 SEDIP divisions, resource persons (RPs), equipment, supplies and materials and other incidental expenses shall be charged to the DORP-HRTD funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The trainers are advised to provide their own airfare to be reimbursed during the activity. Board and lodging, supplies and materials and other incidental expenses of the cluster training participants shall be charged to DORP-HRTD funds, while travel expenses shall be charged to local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

9. For more information, please contact the following: Ms. Prudence Martinez-Sanoy, Ms. Marichel T. Gonzales, and Ms. Maria Victoria E. Cervantes, Curriculum Development Division, BSE, DepED Central Office, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, telefax nos. (02) 632-7746 or (02) 636-5172 or send e-mail at [martinezprudence@yahoo.com](mailto:martinezprudence@yahoo.com).

10. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Undersecretary

Encls.: As stated

Reference: N o n e

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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Enclosure No. 1 to DepED Memorandum No. 464, s. 2008

Cluster 1

Schedule (Exclusive of Travel Time)	Facilitators	Participants										Total
		Pax	Region	Pax	2 Divisions w/ Highest Drop Out Rate	Pax	* 2 Schools w/ Highest Drop Out Rate	Pax	BSE Team & Management			
CAR	Benguet Ifugao	5 5	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4 Apayao	Abra	10	Quidaoen NHS *	20	22	66		
Region I			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4 Pangasinan I, Lingayen Pangasinan II, Binalonan		10	Domingo P. Boquiron MHS Banog NHS *	20		34		
Region II			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4 Isabela Cagayan		10	Isabela NHS Santiago City NHS Dachet M. Puzon Memorial NHS Tuao Voc. Tech Sch (Pata Annex)	20		34		
Region III			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4 Tarlac City Munoz So. City		10	C.A. T. High School Maliwalo NHS (Main) *	20		34		
Region IV-A			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4 Sta. Rosa City Tanauan City		10	Balibago NHS Aplaya NHS *	20		34		
NCR			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4 Manila MANA (Malabon and Navotas)		10	Osmeña HS Avanceña HS San Roque NHS Panghulo NHS	20		44		
Grand Total										236		

\* No identified schools yet

Cluster 2

Schedule (Exclusive of Travel Time)	Facilitators	Participants										Total
		Pax	Region	Pax	2 Divisions w/ Highest Drop Out Rate	Pax	* 2 Schools w/ Highest Drop Out Rate	Pax	BSE Team & Management			
Region IV-B	Romblon	8	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Palawan Puerto Princesa City	10	*	20	22	64		
Region V	Masbate	8	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Masbate City Camarines Norte	10	Bolo HS Capitolinao Legaspi MHS *	20		42		
Region VI	Antique Guimaras	5 5	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Sagay City San Carlos City	10	*	20		44		
Region VII	Negros Oriental	8	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Bais City Cebu	10	*	20		42		
Region VIII	Biliran Leyte So. Leyte	6 6 6	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Calbayog City Samar (Western)	10	*	20		52		
Grand Total										244		

\* No identified schools yet

Cluster 3

Schedule (Exclusive of Travel Time)	Facilitators	Participants										Total
		Pax	Region	Pax	2 Divisions w/ Highest Drop Out Rate	Pax	* 2 Schools w/ Highest Drop Out Rate	Pax	BSE Team & Management			
Region IX	Zamboanga del Sur Zamboanga Sibugay	5 5	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Pagadian City Isabela City	10	Pagadian City NCHS Napolan NHS Begang NHS Basilan NHS	20	22	66		
Region X			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Valencia City Gingoog City	10	Valencia NHS Lurugan NHS *	20		34		
Region XI			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Davao Oriental Davao del Norte	10	*	20		34		
Region XII	North Cotabato	4	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Cotabato City Sarangani	10	*	20		38		
CARAGA	Agusan del Sur Surigao del Sur	5 5	SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Bislig City Agusan del Norte	10	*	20		44		
ARMM			SED Chief/ Asst. Chief Regional DORP Coor ES II (Values Education) Planning Officer	4	Lanao del Sur Maguindanao	10	*	20		34		
Grand Total										250		

\* No identified schools yet

Enclosure No. 2 to DepED Memorandum No. 464, s. 2008

Cluster 4

List of Pilot Schools offering Distance Learning

Region I	Division	Pax	School	Pax	Total
I	Ilocos Norte	5	San Nicolas NHS	5	10
II	Isabela	5	Isabela NHS	5	10
III	Olongapo City	5	Olongapo City NHS Kalalake HS Umitray HS	5 5 5	20
IV-A	Cavite Province	5	Dasmariñas NHS Main	5	10
	Quezon	5	Quezon NHS Lutucan NHS	5 5	15
	Lipa City	5	Lipa City NHS	5	10
IV-B	Occidental Mindoro	5	Occidental Mindoro NHS	5	10
	Palawan	5	Panitian NHS	5	10
V	Camarines Norte	5	Camarines Norte NHS Jose Panganiban NHS	5 5	15
VI	Sagay City	5	Sagay City NHS	5	10
VII	Dumaguete City	5	Dumaguete City NHS	5	10
VIII	Ormoc City	5	Ormoc City NHS	5	10
I	San Fernando City	5	La Union NHS	5	10
II	Cagayan	5	Tuao Agri-Industrial	5	10
III	San Jose del Monte	5	Sepang Palay	5	10
IV-A	Laguna	5	San Pedro Relocation Center NHS	5	10
	Caloocan City Makati City	5	Caloocan City NHS Makati NHS	5 5	
NCR	Manila Pasig City Quezon City	5 5 5	Benigno Aquino NHS Fort Bonifacio NHS Gregorio Perfecto NHS Rizal HS (Main) Ramon Magsaysay (Cubao) NHS Quezon City NHS	5 5 5 5 5 5	75
	Marikina	5	Legro NHS Marikina NHS	5 5	
				<b>Total</b>	<b>215</b>

Enclosure No. 3 to DepED Memorandum No. 464, s. 2008

Cluster 4

List of Pilot Schools offering Project EASE

Region	Division	Pax	School	Pax	Total
I	San Fernando City	5	La Union NHS	5	10
II	Cagayan	5	Tuao Agri-Industrial	5	10
III	San Jose del Monte	5	Sapang Palay	5	10
IV-A	Laguna	5	San Pedro Relocation Center NHS	5	10
VI	Iloilo	5	San Rafael	5	10
VII	Cebu City	5	Florencio Urot Mem NHS	5	10
VIII	Samar	5	Samar NHS	5	10
CAR	Baguio City	5	Baguio City NHS	5	10
NCR	Quezon City	5	San Francisco NHS	5	10
				<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>