

Republic of the Philippines **Bepartment of Education**



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PARTICIPATION TO THE TECHNO-PRESENTATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS ADVOCACY (Tech-PHRA)

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Secondary Schools

- 1. In connection with the celebration of 60th Anniversary of the Declaration of Human Rights, the UNESCO-ASPnet is launching a nationwide contest entitled Participation to the Techno-Presentation of Human Rights Advocacy (Tech-HRA) with the theme "Children for Peace and Human Rights".
- 2. The competition aims to:
 - a. develop a sense of awareness among students towards human rights education;
 - b. advocate related innovative activities;
 - c. strengthen youth involvement in the celebration; and
 - d. upgrade their research skills in Human Rights advocacy through power-point presentation.
- 3. The contest has the following mechanics:
 - a. only one entry per region;
 - b. only one team/representative composed of five (5) student-researchers and one teacher-coach per regional entry;
 - c. each team is allowed to present 15-20 slides excluding the title and details (name of school, researchers and coach);
 - d. power-point presentation of slides should revolve around the given theme;
 - e. upon comprehensive and careful analysis of the judges, three winners will be proclaimed to receive plaque of recognition and cash prizes.
- 4. The contest is open to all public and private secondary schools.
- 5. Each region is entitled to conduct elimination of entries and select the best to compete in the national competition. Submission of entries can be coursed through e-mail: renecolocar@yahoo.com on or before November 30, 2008.

- 6. For more information, please contact Dr. Rene M. Colocar, ASPnet National Coordinator, cellphone +6391-78932644; at tel. nos. (043) 286-7403; (043) 288-1483; (043) 288-4171; (632) 834-3447/834-4818/834-4887; fax no. (632) 831-8873; e-mail: unescoph@mozcom.com; website: www.unescoph.org
- 7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

VILMA L. LABRADOR Undersecretary

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