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RESTAGING OF "AWIT KAY ANA" (A SONG FOR ANA)

To: Bureau Directors
Directors of Services, Centers and Heads of Units
ARMM Secretary
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The years 2000 to 2010 was declared by the United Nations as the International Decade of Peace, Culture and the Arts. In this connection, the Encore 2007 Philippines, Inc. will be restaging the "Awit kay Ana" (A Song for Ana), an adaptation of a William Somerset Maugham short story. This play will be held between August 2010 and March 2011.

2. The play carries the theme "Theater for All: Bridging Nationalism and Economic Empowerment Towards Societal Transformation". This project aims to:

- a. promote and sustain the 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 awareness of the importance of theater as a compelling instrument for economic empowerment among the masses, especially among students and teachers.

3. The target audiences are students of public and private high schools, colleges and universities, teachers in History, Filipino, Political Science, Anthropology, Sociology, Theology, School faculties and personnel, school officials, local government employees, and the public in thirty seven (37) key cities and fifteen (15) municipalities in twenty nine (29) provinces around the country. Attendance in this activity is voluntary.

4. For more information, please contact Mr. Noel E. Miralles, Chairperson and Artistic Director, Gallery 408 Renaissance 2000, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City with cellphone no.: 0906-491-6737 or e-mail address: encorephilippines@yahoo.com.

5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

MONA D. VALISNO
Secretary

Reference: DepED Memorandum: Nos. 454, s. 2007 and 299, s. 2009
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