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CREATING A SEPARATE DEPARTMENT FOR  
PREPARATORY MILITARY TRAINING AND BOY SCOUTING  
IN ALL HIGH SCHOOLS

To All Bureau Directors  
and Heads of Offices:

1. In pursuance of the policy of giving increasing emphasis on the development of a Citizens' Army as provided under Section 13 of Article XV of the new Philippine Constitution, all high schools, public and private, shall place Preparatory Military Training and Boy Scouting under a separate administrative unit or department for purposes of administering the programs of Preparatory Military Training and Boy Scouting now pursued in high schools under existing regulations. This leaves Physical Education and Health as separate administrative unit. Music, where offered once a week in the same period as Physical Education, should be offered during the guidance period or combined with any other subject at the option of school heads.

2. It is desired that the school assign a well-qualified teacher or person to serve as Preparatory Military Training and Boy Scouting department head to coordinate Preparatory Military Training and Boy Scouting activities of the institution.

3. Immediate compliance herewith is hereby desired.

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