Republika ng Pilipinas (Republic of the Philippines) MINISTRI NG EDUKASYON AT KULTURA (MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE) Maynila

June 7, 1979

MEC ORDER No. 31, s. 1979

## NAMES OF PRIVATE SCHOOLS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities

- 1. It has been observed that certain private schools call themselves "college" or change their names to "college" without prior approval of the Minister of Education and Culture and in spite of the fact that such schools are not yet full colleges, not having a permit or recognition to offer first to fourth year of a collegiate course.
- 2. In view of the above, no private school shall be allowed to call itself a "college" unless it offers, with Government permit or recognition, the first to fourth year of a collegiate course and until it has secured the prior approval of the Minister of Education and Culture.
- 3. Inthewise, no change of name of existing private schools shall be allowed without the prior approval of the Minister of Education and Culture, pursuant to regulations. Therefore, before an incorporation paper, or amendment thereof, involving use or change of name of a school is submitted to the Securities and Exchange Commission, prior consultation with the Minister of Education and Culture is necessary in order to avoid complications. This Ministry is not bound by the incorporation papers of a school if certain provisions therein, like the name of the school, is contrary to regulations and if the change of name was made without the prior approval of the Minister of Education and Culture.
- 4. This Order shall take effect immediately and shall be strictly observed by all convermed.

(SGD.) JUAN L. MANUEL Minister of Education and Culture

-		
•		
- 		
`.		
par.		

## Reference:

Manual of Information for Private Schools 7th Edition - 1970

Allotment: 1-4-(D.O. 1-76)

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

BUREAUS & OFFICES

-CHANGE

PERMIT

RULES & RECULATIONS SCHOOLS

<b>.</b>		
<del></del>		
• · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
<b>2</b> 1		
•		
• 1 •		