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CHANGES IN CYCLING EVENTS IN ALL MECS ATHLETIC MEETS

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

1. In accordance with the rules promulgated by the Federation Internationale Amateur De Cyclisme (FIAC), Asian Cycling Federation (ACF) and Philippine Amateur Cycling Association (PACA), the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports is adopting some of the events conducted during the 11th SEA Games where the Philippines won gold medals. The following are those events which shall be included in all MECS athletic competitions - division, regional and Palarong Pambansa \* effective school year 1982-83.

a. Track Events

800 meters massed start - One(1) or Two(2)  
entries  
1,600 meters massed start - One(1) or Two(2)  
entries  
4,800 meters massed start - One(1) or Two(2)  
entries  
4,800 meters elimination race - One(1) or Two(2)  
entries

b. Road Events

50 kms. individual and team events - Four(4)  
entries  
1000 meters massed start for elemen-  
tary pupils aged 10 to 13 years old - One(1)  
or Two(2)  
entries

c. Road Races

1000 meters massed start for elementary level:

- (1) 1000 meters massed start (2 entries; mini-bike only). Pupils aged 10 to 13 years old.
- (2) Starting number for the race will be distributed. Each participating unit/division/region should have a maximum of 2 entries (2 riders)
- (3) Riders are required to have:
  - (a) a mini bike
  - (b) headgear or helmet
  - (c) uniform (cycling pants)
  - (d) cycling shoes
- (4) The route or course is 1,000 meter straight finish outside the track.
- (5) Finishers will be awarded 5 points for 1st place, 3 points for 2nd place, 2 points for 3rd place and 1 point for 4th place.

d. 50 kms Individual and Team Events

- (1) Each participating unit/division/region should have a maximum of four entries.
- (2) The route or course is 50 kms. from the assembly area to the finish line and the finish line is inside the Track Oval.
- (3) Starting time and starting order will be drawn at least one day prior to the competition. Each team shall start at a given signal.
- (4) Riders are required to have:
  - (a) a bike of his own
  - (b) headgear or helmet
  - (c) uniform (cycling pants)
  - (d) cycling shoes

- (5) The result of each individual event will be judged according to the finishing order of each rider.
  - (6) The result of the team events will be judged according to the total time of the 3 riders with the best time of each competing team. If two teams have the same total time the best individual placings will decide the placings of teams. This is done by adding the placings for the respective 3 riders of each team, and the lowest figure will be placed first.
  - (7) Finishers will be awarded the following points: 5 for 1st place, 3 for 2nd place, 2 for 3rd place and 1 for 4th place.
  - (8) Team events in the road race will be awarded the following points: 10 for 1st place, 6 for 2nd place, 4 for 3rd place and 2 for 4th place.
2. Each delegation should have a total of 6 entries (6 riders) and every cyclist is allowed to participate in two (2) Track Events and the 50 kms. Road Events.
  3. The technical men of the cycling events shall be called Commissaires I and II, Asst. Commissaire as the case may be. He is the representative of the Commissioner of the MECS PACA or the President of the MECS cycling association who is responsible for the Minister, and has the duty of ensuring the sporting justice by observing that the competition, the officials and the organizer do not infringe the sporting code.
  4. Strict compliance with the provisions of this Order is enjoined. Any previous regulation which is inconsistent with the provisions of this Order is hereby rescinded.

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Minister

References:

MEC Order: No. 37, s. 1978  
MEC Memorandum: No. 2, s. 1982

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