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MINISTRI NG ELUKASYON, KULTURA AT ISPORTS
(MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS)
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MECS ORDER No. 3, s. 1983

> HENALIZING SCHOOL OFFICIALS/PERSONNEL AND STUDENTS ON IRREGULARITIES COMMITTED DURING EXAMINATIONS

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

- 1. The National Educational Testing Center (NETC) has identified isolated cases of irregularities and anomalies committed during the administration of the yearly National College Entrance Examination (NCEE). To mention a few that were discovered are individualized and institutionalized cheating, impersonating the real examinee(s) and coaching by some teachers during the examination.
- To eliminate the occurrence of these anomalies the chief and staff of regional offices and the Legal Division of the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports are hereby directed to give top priority to all reported cases of this nature and to immediately conduct the proper investigation to determine if there is a prima-facie evidence regarding the report. School officials/personnel found guilty will be removed from the service and the students involved debarred from taking the NCEE for three (3) years.
- This Order shall take effect immediately.

(SGD.) ONOFRE D. CORPUZ Minister

Reference: None

Allotment 1-2-4-(D.O. 1-76)

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