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**PROHIBITING SCHOOL OFFICIALS FROM SELLING PRIVATE INSURANCE POLICIES
TO TEACHERS UNDER THEIR ADMINISTRATIVE JURISDICTIONS**

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents
Vocational School Superintendents/Administrators

1. It has come to the attention of this Office that some school officials and other school personnel have been unduly influencing teachers, especially new recruits into the service, into buying insurance policies from private insurance companies. In many cases, teachers thus incured who have expectedly decided to discontinue their policies, have complained of the difficulty of having the salary deductions for premium payments stopped despite their written requests to that effect. The said salary deductions usually continue to be made at the Payroll Services Division (IPM), Office of the Budget and Management.
2. In view of this, the solicitation of insurance by school officials from teachers is hereby prohibited effective immediately. Any violation hereof will be drastically dealt with.
3. Teachers desiring to discontinue their private insurance should write the Payroll Services Division (IPM) requesting the latter to stop premium deductions, copy furnished the Head Executive Assistant, this Ministry.
5. Compliance herewith is enjoined.

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Minister

Reference:

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