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(MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS)  
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MINISTRY ORGANIZATION

To: Deputy Ministers  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau/Regional Directors  
Cultural Agency Directors  
Chiefs of Services and Heads of Units/Centers  
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities  
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities

1. The various Bureaus, Offices, Centers, and other units of the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports shall report to the Minister through the Deputy Ministers as indicated in this Order, effective November 5, 1984:

- a. Deputy Minister Hermenegildo C. Dumlao shall be the Deputy Minister in charge of Student Affairs and shall specifically supervise the Bureau of Continuing Education and the National Scholarship and Student Loan Center;
- b. Deputy Minister Abraham I. Felipe shall be the Deputy Minister in charge of private school matters, in the light of his concurrent appointment as President of the Fund for Assistance to Private Education. He shall supervise the Bureau of Higher Education, the National Educational Testing Center and the secretariat for international education matters (under formation);
- c. Deputy Minister Hortensia S. Benosa shall be the Deputy Minister in charge of personnel and related matters, including training, scholarships and fellowships, complaints/protests, and information/publication. Assistant Secretary Francisco C. Valdez shall report to Deputy Minister Benosa;
- d. Deputy Minister Fernando A. Bernardo shall be the Deputy Minister in charge of foreign assisted projects, the public schools and the financial administration of the Ministry. He shall head the Project Development, Implementation and Management Office (PDIMO) and shall supervise the Bureau of Elementary Education, the Bureau of Secondary Education, the School Health and Nutrition Center, the Population Education Center, Textbook Board Secretariat, and the Bureau of Technical and Vocational Education (under formation). Assistant Secretary Jesus T. Manipula shall report to Deputy Minister Bernardo;
- e. Deputy Minister Salvador B. Britanico shall be the Deputy Minister in charge of policy and matters with a significant regional component, in the light of his membership in the Batasang Pambansa and Chairmanship of the Batasan Committee on Education. Assistant Secretary Felix Santos shall report to Deputy Minister Britanico, who shall also supervise the Bureau of Sports Development.

2. Ongoing special projects shall continue to be handled until completion, as follows: Deputy Minister Hermenegildo C. Dumlao, Arrocercs dismantling and reassembly and Deputy Minister Abraham I. Felipe, National Service Law implementation and MECS Service Manual preparation.
3. Regional Directors shall continue to report to the Minister, but shall coordinate with the Deputy Ministers and other office heads on matters within their respective areas of responsibility. The cultural agencies and other offices/units not mentioned above shall continue to report directly to the Minister.
4. Dr. Vedasto Suarez shall report to Deputy Minister Bernardo on matters affecting state universities and colleges.
5. The signing authorities heretofore in force shall be assigned exclusively to the Deputy Minister concerned with the subject area of the signing authority, as shall be detailed in a separate Order.

(SGD.) JAIME C. LAYA  
Minister

Reference: N o n e

Allotment: 1-2-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

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

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