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 sa DECS

Tanggapan ng Kalihim
Office of the Secretary

April 12, 1999

DECS ORDER
 No. 35, s. 1999

**ACCEPTANCE OF TRANSFERREES FROM DECS-ACCREDITED
 PHILIPPINE SCHOOLS ABROAD**

To: Bureau Directors
 Regional Directors
 Schools Superintendents

1. Per DECS Order No. 26, s. 1994, public and private schools are authorized to evaluate the school records of transferees from foreign schools or Philippine schools abroad for purposes of placement in the appropriate grade or year level.
2. It is expected that only those students transferring from Philippine schools abroad operating under DECS permit shall be accepted on equal terms as those students from the DECS-recognized schools in the country. The list of Philippine schools abroad operating under DECS permit is in the inclosure to this Order.
3. It is reiterated that per DECS Order No. 19, s. 1996, transferees from non-DECS-recognized Philippine schools must take a validating examination to be administered by the National Educational Testing and Research Center (NETRC), this Department, for grade/year level placement before they can be admitted in any school in the country.
4. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Order is directed.

Andrew Gonzalez
ANDREW GONZALEZ, FSC
 Secretary

Incl. As stated
 Reference: DECS Orders: (Nos. 26, s. 1994 and 19, s. 1996)
 Attachment 1—(D.O. 50-97)
 To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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PHILIPPINE SCHOOLS ABROAD OPERATING UNDER DECS PERMIT

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1. International Philippine School in Riyadh
2. International Philippine School in Jeddah
3. International Philippine School in Alkhobar
4. Philippine Community School in Alkhobar

Bahrain

5. Philippine School in Bahrain

United Arab Emirates

6. PISCO Private School
7. Pioneers Modern School
8. United International Private School
9. Pioneers International Private School
10. Philippine National School
11. The New Filipino Private School

Oman

12. Philippine School in Oman

Qatar

13. Philippine School in Doha

Libya

14. Philippine Community School in Tripoli

China

15. Manila Xiamen International School