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CREATION AND COMPOSITION OF THE STUDENT CRIME PREVENTION
COMMITTEE (SCPC)

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

1. For the information of all concerned, enclosed is a copy of the Memorandum of Understanding made, executed and entered into by and among the National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM), the Department of Education (DepED) and the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) on September 1, 2005 on the Creation and Composition of the Student Crime Prevention Committee (SCPC).
2. Full cooperation is enjoined especially in the organization of SCPC in all public and private high schools nationwide and providing full support to the crime prevention campaign of the government.
3. Immediate dissemination of this Order is directed.


FE A. HIDALGO
Undersecretary
Officer-in-Charge

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(Enclosure to DepED Order No. 1, s. 2006)

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

This agreement is made, executed and entered into by and among:

The National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM), with office address at 1st E-Bank Building, 371 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, represented by Hon. Angelo T. Reyes, Chairman, NAPOLCOM, hereinafter called as the "NAPOLCOM;"

The Department of Education (DepED), with office address at University of Life Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, represented by Hon. Ramon C. Bacani, Undersecretary, Officer-In-Charge, hereinafter called as the "DepED;"

The Commission on Higher Education (CHED), with office address at 5th Floor, Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP), DBP Building, San Miguel Avenue, Pasig City, represented by Hon. Carlito S. Puno, Acting Chairman, hereinafter called "CHED;"

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, criminality, apart from being a phenomenal problem, is everybody's concern that needs to be addressed by all sectors in a well orchestrated and coordinated manner;

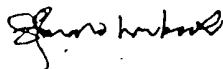
WHEREAS, as early as 1994, DepED by virtue of Department Memo 101, s 1994, initiated the creation of Student Crime Prevention Councils in all institutions of learning;

WHEREAS, a significant number of our young children and youth were involved in the commission of crimes or committed misdemeanors and other forms of disciplinary infractions as per reports submitted by the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) and the Directorate for Investigation and Detective Management (DIDM), PNP, Camp Crame, Quezon City;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, the parties hereby agree as follows:

- I. Creation and Composition of the Student Crime Prevention Committee (SCPC)

The parties hereby agree to encourage and facilitate the creation of the above mentioned Committee under the Supreme



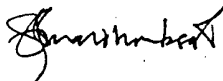
Student Council in every school which shall be composed of the following:

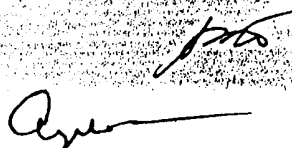
1. Chairperson – the President of the Supreme Student Council in concurrent capacity;
2. Vice-Chairperson – the Vice-President of the Supreme Student Council as its Vice-Chairman in concurrent capacity;
3. Members – the class Presidents or the Vice-Presidents, in the absence of the former, as the case may be, of the high school level and of all courses, for college level, the Corps Commander of the ROTC and CAT, respectively, as members of the Committee;
4. The Secretary of the Supreme Student Council shall serve as such in the Committee in a concurrent capacity.

II. Duties and Responsibilities of the Committee

The Committee shall have the following duties and responsibilities:

1. Formulate crime prevention programs for the implementation of the Committee;
2. Coordinate with the President of the Parent-Teachers Community Association (PTCA) or Parents Teachers Association (PTA) if any, the School Principal or Dean, as the case may be, in the maintenance of peace and order within the school campus;
3. Recommend to the school/college/university the conduct of seminars or trainings on crime and drug prevention and control in coordination with the NAPOLCOM regional office, local police station or DILG-Patrol 117;
4. Conduct intensive information drive on crime prevention, particularly on drug abuse, alcoholism, illegal gambling, fraternity quarrels, hazing and other undesirable activities;
5. Report all illegal activities of students and/or recommend the imposition of appropriate sanction by the school authorities which shall include but not limited to a reprimand, transfer, suspension or exclusion/expulsion from the school.





III. The Board of Advisers

There shall be a Board of Advisers composed of the following:

1. School Head – as Chairman
2. Chief of Police (COP) – as Vice-Chairman
3. Adviser of the Supreme Student Council
4. Punong Barangay (Where the school is situated)
5. President of the PTCA or PTA
6. Representative of interfaith sector to be designated by the school head.

The Board of Advisers shall provide consultancy and advisorial services on matter affecting the operations and activities of the committee.

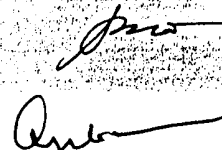
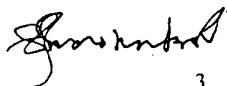
IV. Responsibilities of the Parties

A. NAPOLCOM as project proponent shall:

1. Coordinate with the school officials concerned for the organization of the Student Crime Prevention Committee (SCPC);
2. Conduct lectures or seminar-workshops on crime prevention and criminal justice, drug awareness, Emergency 117 and community involvement to be held in school campuses in coordination with school officials concerned;
3. Provide resource speakers/lecturers on the above-mentioned topics from the NAPOLCOM Speakers' Bureau or any available competent lecturers as may be recommended by NAPOLCOM Regional Offices;
4. Coordinate, supervise and monitor the implementation of crime prevention projects of SCPCs jointly with DepED and/or CHED through the Office of the Student Service (OSS).

B. The DepED shall:

1. Issue an Order directing the organization of SCPCs in all public and private high schools nationwide and providing full support to the crime prevention campaign of the government;



2. Coordinate, supervise and monitor the implementation of crime prevention projects of SCPCs jointly with Napolcom.

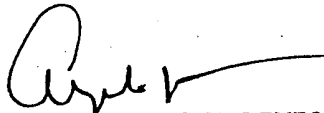
C. *The CHED shall:*

1. Issue an Order directing the organization of SCPCs in colleges and universities nationwide and providing full support to the crime prevention campaign of the government;
2. Coordinate, supervise and monitor the implementation of crime prevention projects of SCPCs jointly with NAPOLCOM through the Office of the Student Service (OSS).

V. Monitoring Mechanism

The National Police Commission through the Crime Prevention and Coordination Service (CPCS), shall monitor the SCPCs in coordination with the Napolcom Regional Offices, the Department of Education and Commission on Higher Education in the region, and the school officials.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto affixed their signature this 1st day of September 2005 in Quezon City.



HON. ANGELO T. REYES
Secretary, DILG and Chairman, NAPOLCOM



USEC. RAMON C. BACANI
Officer-in-Charge, DepED



HON. CARLITO S. PUNO
Acting Chairman, CHED