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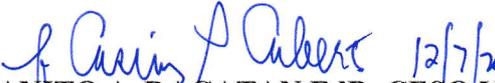
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 011, s.2021

NATIONAL ZERO WASTE MONTH

TO: PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT SUPERVISORS/ OIC-PSDSs
ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY PRINCIPALS/ SCHOOL HEADS
DISTRICT DRRM COORDINATORS/ SCHOOL DRRM COORDINATORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

1. Attached is Regional Memorandum No. 003, s. 2021 dated January 5, 2021 entitled “**NATIONAL ZERO WASTE MONTH**”, for the information and guidance of all concerned.
2. For details, refer to the attached communication.
3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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No. 0003, s. 2021

NATIONAL ZERO WASTE MONTH

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
Solid Waste Management/Eco-friendly/DRRM Coordinators

1. In line with Presidential Proclamation No.760, s. 2014 declaring every month of January as "Zero Waste Month" that compliment on Republic Act 9003 s. 2000 or the "Ecological Solid Waste Management Act 2000", this office supports the promotion of environmental awareness and action among the citizenry and the institutionalization of public participation of national and local integrated, comprehensive and ecological waste management programs.

2. In view thereof, all DepEd Offices and schools are enjoined to support in the celebration of National Zero Waste Month by diligently observing the DepEd Order no. 5 s. 2014, the Ecological Solid Waste Management practices, that:

- a) Every school shall practice waste management principles, such as minimization, specifically resource conservation and recovery, segregation at source, reduction, recycling, re-use and composting, in order to promote awareness and action among the students;
- b) Conduct the following activities in schools:
 - Enforce prohibition of littering and burning of wastes;
 - Institutionalize waste minimization measures and promote avoidance of single-use disposable products and packaging materials such as plastic bags, straws, spoons, forks and disposable laminated paper cups and plates;
 - Establish aerobic or anaerobic system for processing biodegradable wastes;
 - Use recyclables (plastics, bottles, etc.) as seed beds in the nursery or garden;
 - School canteens shall use reusable food containers and avoid selling processed food wrapped in non-recyclable packaging, e.g. candies, cookies, biscuits, etc.;
 - During events and meetings, consumables, such as bottled water, coffee and sugar and creamer in sachets, should be used instead. Food caterers should use reusable food containers;



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- Each school shall designate or assign an area as Functional Materials Recovery Facility that will serve as storage area:
 - discard those that can still be repaired and reused, such as tables, desks and shelves,
 - differentiate recyclables, such as bottles, cans and plastic containers, which will be collected by junkshop partners,
 - temporary storage for the school's residuals (non-recyclable and non-biodegradable discards) such as used rags, rubber and etc.

3. Furthermore, we should think globally and act locally in climate action for our future generation.

4. For clarifications and questions, you may contact Mr. Ranilo L. Edar through his mobile nos. 09297941159/09062978498

5. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.



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