

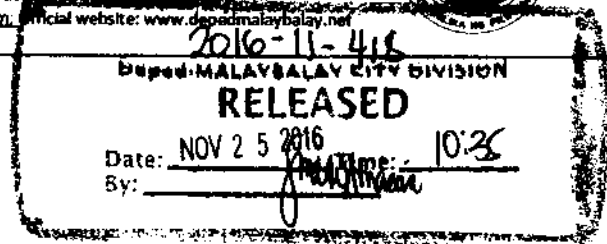


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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 640 s. 2016

**TO: Chief Education Supervisors and Staff, CID and SGOD
School Heads (Elem. & Secondary), teachers, and students/learners
Section/Unit Heads and Staff
All Others Concerned**

FROM: EDILBERTO L. OPLENARIA, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

**RE: OBSERVANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10054
OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE MOTORCYCLE HELMET ACT OF 2009**

1. Pursuant to the herein DepEd Memorandum No. 198, s. 2016 re: *Reiterating the Provisions of Republic Act (RA) No. 10054 otherwise known as Motorcycle Helmet Act of 2009*, you are hereby informed about the observed and reported students, learners, and employees of DepEd who ride on motorcycles or *habal-habal* without wearing the standard protective helmets.

2. Based on these observations and reports, this Office directs adherence of the important provisions contained in DepEd Memorandum No. 190, s. 2010 entitled *Dissemination of RA No. 10054, also known as the Motorcycle Helmet Act of 2009*. As provided in paragraph 2, this policy shall be observed in order to secure and safeguard the driver and passengers of motorcycles from ruinous and extremely injurious effects of fatal or life threatening accidents and crashes.

3. Further, it is reiterated that all DepEd personnel and students are **STRICTLY** required to comply with the use of standard protective motorcycle helmet as provided under RA 10054. Specifically, Section 3 of said law states:

Section 3. Mandatory Use of Motorcycle Helmets. – All motorcycle riders including drivers and back riders, shall at all times wear standard protective motorcycle helmets while driving, whether long or short drives, in any type of road and highway.

Standard protective motorcycle helmets are appropriate types of helmets for motorcycle riders that comply with the specifications issued by the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI).



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4. You are required to strictly follow the policies stipulated in the abovementioned law effective immediately. Chief Education Supervisors, Section/Unit Heads, and School Heads are instructed to orient the concerned employees, teachers, and students/learners on the adherence of these policies in their respective office/schools. Failure to adhere to these policies shall be reported immediately to this Office in writing for further appropriate action.

5. For immediate dissemination and strict compliance.

Encl.:

As stated

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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

DepEd MEMORANDUM
No. **198**, s. 2016

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**REITERATING THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10054 OTHERWISE
KNOWN AS MOTORCYCLE HELMET ACT OF 2009**

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Secretary, ARMM
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Heads
All Others Concerned

1. It has been observed and reported that many students, learners, and employees of the Department of Education (DepEd) ride on motorcycles or *habal-habal* without wearing the standard protective helmets.
2. In this connection, the DepEd reiterates the provisions contained in DepEd Memorandum (DM) No. 190, s. 2010 entitled *Dissemination of Republic Act 10054* also known as the **Motorcycle Helmet Act of 2009**. This is to secure and safeguard the driver and passengers of motorcycles from ruinous and extremely injurious effects of fatal or life threatening accidents and crashes.
3. All DepEd personnel and students are strictly required to comply with the use of standard protective motorcycle helmet as provided under RA 10054. Specifically, Section 3 of said law states:

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Standard protective motorcycle helmets are appropriate types of helmets for motorcycle riders that comply with the specifications issued by the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI).
4. Regional directors and school division superintendents are directed to issue their respective guidelines to ensure that the policies stipulated in the abovementioned law are being strictly followed by all students and personnel who are drivers and motorcycle riders.
5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES
Secretary

Reference:

DepEd Memorandum (No. 190, s. 2010)

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