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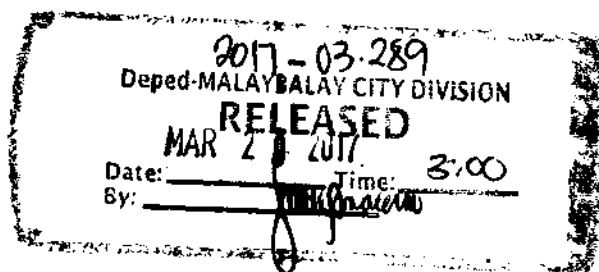
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 158, s. 2017

TO : Chief Education Supervisors & Staff- SGOD & CID
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

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

DATE : March 20, 2017



SUBJECT : DISSEMINATION OF DEPED MEMORANDUM NO.46, S. 2017 RE: GUIDELINES ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF PENCILS FROM THE ONE MILLION LAPIS CAMPAIGN

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 46, s. 2017 re: **Guidelines on the Distribution of Pencils Collected from the One Million Lapis Campaign**, this office hereby informs the field of the result in the launched One Million Lapis Campaign on November 2016 as one of the major activities of the National Children's Month.
2. As of January 31, 2017, the Council for the Welfare of Children (CWC) has turned-over to DepEd a total of 2,768,880 pencils from private/business establishments, government agencies, government owned and controlled corporations, non-government organizations and the academe.
3. The DepEd External Partnerships Services (EPS) has sourced the following data on the number of pupils from public schools belonging to the 4th to 6th class municipalities, these pupils shall be the recipients of six pencils each.
4. For information and dissemination.

Enclosed: As stated
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DepEd MEMORANDUM
No. **46** s. 2017

**GUIDELINES ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF PENCILS COLLECTED
FROM THE ONE MILLION LAPIS CAMPAIGN**

To: Regional Secretary, ARMM
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public Elementary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. The Council for the Welfare of Children (CWC) launched the **One Million Lapis Campaign** in November 2016 as one of the major activities of the National Children's Month. The project aims to collect one million pencils to be distributed to underprivileged Grades 1 to 3 pupils in public elementary schools from the 4th to 6th class municipalities in the Philippines. The campaign also envisions to set a record for the longest line of pencils in the Guinness Book of World Records.

2. In support to this project, the Department of Education (DepEd) issued DepEd Memorandum No. 169, s. 2016 entitled *One Million Lapis Campaign* to encourage all DepEd offices, including the central office (CO) and all regional and schools division offices, as well as all public and private schools to participate in the campaign. Moreover, DepEd has designated a Regional Partnership Focal Person (RPFP) in every regional office (RO) to lead in the dissemination of the campaign and to monitor the collection of pencils.

3. As of January 31, 2017, the CWC has turned-over to DepEd a total of 2,768,880 pencils collected from donors from private/business establishments, government agencies, government owned and controlled corporations, nongovernment organizations, and the academe. The breakdown is provided in Enclosure No. 1.

4. The DepEd External Partnerships Service (EPS) has sourced the following data on the number of pupils from public schools belonging to the 4th to 6th class municipalities. These pupils shall be the recipients of pencils collected from the campaign:

Region	Number of Pupils			Total per Region
	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	
I	14,912	16,104	16,272	47,288
II	14,472	14,798	14,575	43,845
III	222,574	239,062	239,078	700,714
IV-A	23,920	24,447	24,726	73,093
IV-B	14,352	15,356	15,568	45,276
V	30,834	31,593	33,494	95,921
VI	27,962	29,499	30,232	87,693
VII	34,074	34,777	35,802	104,653
VIII	43,716	48,833	49,336	141,885

Region	Number of Pupils			Total per Region
	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	
IX	19,440	21,517	22,576	63,533
X	29,344	29,309	29,344	87,997
XI	3,778	3,794	4,297	11,869
XII	2,012	2,079	2,043	6,134
Caraga	20,102	20,893	20,672	61,667
ARMM	43,551	40,369	34,914	118,834
CAR	13,428	14,409	14,247	42,084
Total	558,471	586,839	587,176	1,732,486

5. The list of recipient schools and number of students per grade level is contained in Enclosure No. 2.

6. The RPPF shall:

- a. report to the EPS the total number of pencils collected in their respective regions using the Monitoring Form provided in Enclosure No. 3;
- b. validate with the EPS the list of recipient schools in their regions and the number of Grades 1-3 pupils in each school;
- c. take the lead in the distribution of pencils collected from the campaign; and
- d. ensure that the pencils will be distributed to the appropriate recipient schools and pupils.

7. Pupil-recipients shall receive six pencils each.

8. Since the pencils collected in the RO are stored in their respective offices, each RO shall be responsible in the distribution of pencils to their recipient learners based on the given list. The DepEd CO shall add the number of pencils needed in order to comply with their requirements, if necessary. In case some ROs will have excess pencils, they may opt to distribute them to other recipients in their respective regions.

9. The pencils collected from the campaign shall be delivered or picked up from the CO to the ROs from March to May 2017.

10. The ceremonial turnover of pencils to the ROs shall be held during the Regional Kick-Off of the *Brigada Eskwela* in May 2017, in time for the opening of classes in June 2017.

11. The RPPFs shall submit the following documents to the EPS upon completion of the distribution of pencils on or before **July 7, 2017**:

- a. Acknowledgement Receipt signed by the regional director;
- b. List of recipient schools and date of turn-over/delivery of pencils to schools; and
- c. Photos of the turnover ceremony, delivery of pencils, and distribution of pencils to the pupils.

12. The said documents shall be addressed to **Dr. Margarita Consolacion C. Ballesteros**, Director IV, External Partnerships Service, Ground Floor, Teodora Alonzo Building, Department of Education (DepEd) Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telefax nos. (02) 637-6462 to 63 or through email address: onemillionlapis@gmail.com.

13. The timeline for this project is indicated as follows:

Activity	Timeline
Confirmation of number of pencils collected	February 2017
Verification of list of recipient schools and pupils per grade level	
Delivery/pick up of pencils to/by ROs	March-May 2017
Official turnover of pencils to ROs	May 2017- <i>Brigada Eskwela</i> Regional Kick-Off
Delivery of pencils to recipient schools	May-June 2017
Submission of documents/reports	June-July 2017

14. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES
Secretary

Encs.:

As stated

Reference:

DepEd Memorandum (No. 169, s. 2016)

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

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