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TO : REGIONAL SCOUT DIRECTORS, COUNCIL SCOUT EXECUTIVES,
OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE AND ALL CONCERNED

SUBJECT : WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY (June 5-6, 2015)
"A MASSIVE TREE PLANTING"

The World Environment Day is a widely celebrated global day for positive environmental action. It is the biggest of its kind and takes place all year round with several activities, the culmination of which is every 5th day of June. It is one of the United Nations' primary ways to raise global awareness on environmental issues.

The activity aims to preserve and protect the environment through local initiatives. It seeks to achieve the following:

- Empower Scouts and volunteers as active agents for sustainable protection and preservation of the environment in all Scouting Regions in the Philippines.
- Create awareness among Scouts and volunteers about the World Scout Environment Program (WSEP) as a venue to care for the environment and to mitigate the effects of climate change.
- Promote sustainable protection and preservation of the environment and develop partnership with other agencies (public and Private) within nearby areas and locality;
- Issuance of Certificates and membership ID's for the World Scout Environment Program.

In view of this, all Local Councils are hereby directed to spearhead the conduct of the celebration of the World Environment Day through Tree Planting activities, (BSP, NO Memorandum No. 61, Series of 2012) clean-up drives or through other means necessary and possible, you may coordinate with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) in your respective areas for the Divisions of seedlings or saplings, whichever is applicable.

After Action Reports with pictures and other related documents be submitted to the BSP National Office not later than June 19, 2015, Friday via courier service or electronic mail thru the Program, Research and Development Officer or at boyet.francia@yahoo.com.

For strict compliance.


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