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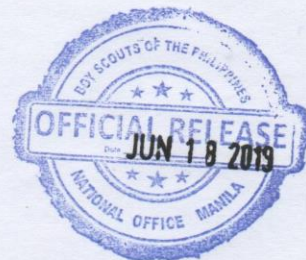
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NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

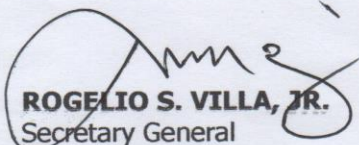
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TO : National Office Directors
Regional Scout Directors
Council Scout Executives
Officers-in-Charge
All Others Concerned

SUBJECT : Letter of Undersecretary Jesus L.R. Mateo of the Department of Education (DepEd) to BSP reconsidering the Attendance of DepEd Officials to the 63rd ANCM



1. We are pleased to announce that the DepEd has reconsidered BSP's request to reconsider its initial decision and it has identified that the participation of DepEd officials/personnel to the 63rd ANCM be **on official business**.
2. Attached is the letter of Usec. Mateo for your reference and guidance.
3. For information, guidance and widest dissemination.


ROGELIO S. VILLA, JR.
Secretary General

Encl. Letter of Usec. Mateo of the DepEd to BSP

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Office of the Undersecretary

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ROGELIO S. VILLA, JR.
Secretary-General
Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP)
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Dear Mr. Villa,

This is in reference to your letter requesting for **reconsideration** of the attendance of DepED participants to the 63rd Annual National Council Meeting (ANCM), scheduled on May 29-31, 2019 at the Camarines Sur Capitol Convention Center, Pili, Camarines Sur.

On a letter to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) dated May 03, 2019, DepED initially recommended the attendance of DepED participants to the BSP event only **on official time**. The initial decision was based on the premise that DepED is currently in the process of developing the policies and mechanisms to guide the employee groups in conducting their programs and activities.


In light of DepED's commitment in strengthening the partnership with BSP, this office grants the request for reconsideration. DepED participants attending the BSP activity identified above shall be allowed to do so on **official business**. Future activities, however, shall be subject to the new guidelines and procedures to be issued by the Department on the conduct of programs and activities by DepED associations and affiliated organizations.

DepED looks forward to a more fruitful partnership with the Boy Scouts of the Philippines in the formation and development of the Filipino learners.

For any concerns and updates, you may contact Atty. Domingo Alidon, DEACO Officer-in-Charge, at deaco@deped.gov.ph or (02) 635-2456.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,


JESUS L.R. MATEO
Undersecretary

