DIVISION MEMORANDUM
NO. 157, S. 2017

TO : Chiefs of SGOD and CID
     Education Program Supervisors
     Public Schools District Supervisors
     All Public Elementary School Heads
     All Public Secondary School Heads
     All Private Elementary School Heads
     All Private Secondary School Heads

FROM : DEE D. SILVA, CESO VI
       Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT : REITERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
          EDUCATION ANTI-BULLYING POLICY

DATE : March 6, 2017

1. Pursuant to the attached copies of DepEd Memorandum No. 5, s. 2017 and
   Regional Memorandum No. 067, s. 2017, re: Reiteration of the Department of
   Education Anti-Bullying Policy, all public and private elementary and
   secondary schools and learning centers are hereby reminded to adopt then
   DepEd Anti-Bullying Policy and to implement bullying protection and
   intervention programs.

2. Sanctions for non-compliance thereof are stated in Section 14 of DepEd Order
   No. 55, s. 2013 (Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No.
   10627 otherwise known as the Anti-Bullying Act of 2013.

3. For dissemination and compliance.
REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 067, s. 2017

TO : ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ELEMENTARY
AND SECONDARY SCHOOL HEADS

FROM : ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO III
Director IV C

SUBJECT : REITERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
ANTI-BULLYING POLICY

Pursuant to the attached copy of DepEd Memorandum No. 5, s. 2017 (Reiteration of the Department of Education Anti-Bullying Policy), all Schools Division Superintendents and all public and private kindergarten, elementary, and secondary schools and learning centers are hereby reminded to adopt the DepEd Anti-Bullying Policy and to implement bullying protection and intervention programs.

Sanctions for non-compliance thereof are stated in Section 14 of DepEd Order No. 55, s. 2013 (Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 10627 Otherwise Known as The Anti-Bullying Act of 2013).

Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.

References: DepEd Memorandum No. 5, s. 2017
DepEd Order No. 55, s. 2013

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DepEd MEMORANDUM
No. 5, s. 2017

REITERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ANTI-BULLYING POLICY

To: Regional Directors
   Schools Division Superintendents
   Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Heads
   All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) reiterates DepEd Order (DO) No. 55, s. 2013 entitled Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 10627 Otherwise Known as The Anti-Bullying Act of 2013, to emphasize the strict implementation and adoption of the DepEd Anti-Bullying Policy.

2. All public and private kindergarten, elementary, and secondary schools and learning centers are reminded to adopt this policy to address bullying at the school level and to implement bullying protection and intervention programs. These measures shall be regularly updated and monitored.

3. As part of the DepEd’s thrust to protect all Filipino learners, education stakeholders and DepEd personnel are also enjoined to adopt this policy. Their duties and responsibilities are enumerated in Sections 8 to 9 of DO 55, s. 2013 and Sections 4 to 9 of DO 40, s. 2012.

4. Strict compliance with this policy is imposed. Sanctions for non-compliance of public and private schools or school personnel are stated in Section 14 of DO 55, s. 2013.

5. For more information, all concerned may contact the Office of the Undersecretary for Legal Affairs, Department of Education (DepEd) Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telephone nos. (02) 633-7205 and (02) 633-7259 or through email address: alberto.muyog@deped.gov.ph.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

LEONOR MAGDOLIS BRIONES
Secretary

Reference:
DepEd Order (No. 55, s. 2013)

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