
TO: Education Program Supervisors
   Public School District Supervisors
   Public Elementary and Secondary Principals/School Heads

1. Memorandum Circular No. 25, s. 2017 was issued by the Office of the President of the Philippines entitled “Directing All Government Agencies and Instrumentalities, Including Government-Owned or Controlled Corporations, State Universities and Colleges and Public Schools at All Levels to Display or Exhibit Photographs, Paintings or Other Forms of Visual Representations of Philippine Heroes”.

2. The aims are to strengthen the people’s nationalism, love of country, and respect for the heroes. The Circular directs all government agencies and instrumentalities including public schools at all levels to display or exhibit the photographs, paintings or other forms of visual representations of Philippine Heroes in lieu of all forms of visual representations of elected or appointed government officials.

3. Refer to the attached list of Philippine Heroes as identified by the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP), and their basic profiles as approved by the Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction (OUCI).

4. See the attached Unnumbered Regional Memorandum dated November 08, 2017 for more detailed information.

5. For your information and strict compliance,

   WINNIE E. BATOON, Ed.D.
   Officer-In-Charge
   Office of the City Schools Division Superintendent

Ends: As stated
Reference: Memo Circular No. 25, s. 2017

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

Information Dissemination        SUBJECT ON Philippine Heroes
MEMORANDUM

TO: Schools Division Superintendents
    Asst. Schools Division Superintendents

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

SUBJECT: Dissemination of Memorandum Circular No. 25, s. 2017 from the Office of the President

DATE: November 8, 2017

For the information and guidance of all concerned, attached is a copy of Memorandum Circular No. 25, 2017, issued by the Office of the President entitled “DIRECTING ALL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONALITIES, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS, STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT ALL LEVELS, TO DISPLAY OR EXHIBIT PHOTOGRAPHS, PAINTINGS OR OTHER FORMS OF VISUAL REPRESENTATIONS OF PHILIPPINE HEROES.”

Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

Incls.: As stated.

RACP/mcpp

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION RIO

RELEASED

by: MM

Dates: 11-11-17 Times: 4:07
MEMORANDUM
DM-PPDO-2017

TO: DepEd ARM Regional Secretary
    All Regional Directors
    All Schools Division Superintendents
    All Elementary and Secondary Schools

FROM: JESUS L. MATEO
      Undersecretary

SUBJECT: Office of the President Memorandum Circular No. 25, s. 2017

DATE: 2 November 2017

Attached is a copy of Memorandum Circular No. 25, s. 2017 from the Office of the President of the Philippines entitled "Directing All Government Agencies and Instrumentalities, Including Government-Owned or Controlled Corporations, State Universities and Colleges and Public Schools at All Levels, to Display or Exhibit Photographs, Paintings or Other Forms of Visual Representations of Philippine Heroes".

In the interest of strengthening the people’s nationalism, love of country, and respect for its heroes, the Circular directs all government agencies and instrumentalities, including public schools at all levels to display or exhibit the photographs, paintings or other forms of visual representations of Philippine Heroes in lieu of all forms of visual representations of elected or appointed government officials.

A list of Philippine Heroes, as identified by the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP), and their basic profiles as approved by the Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction (OUCI), is attached for reference as the standard and only visual representations that shall be used in all public schools nationwide.

For your information and strict compliance.
MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 25

DIRECTING ALL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND CONTROLLED OR SUBSIDIZED COLLEGES AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT ALL LEVELS OF VISUAL REPRESENTATIONS OF PHILIPPINE HEROES

WHEREAS, Section 17, Article II of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall give priority to education, science and technology, arts, culture, and sports to foster patriotism and nationalism, accelerate social progress, and promote total human liberation and development;

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the State to promote and popularize the nation's historical and cultural heritage;

NOW, THEREFORE, all government agencies and instrumentalities, including government-owned or -controlled corporations, state universities and colleges and public schools at all levels, are hereby directed to display or exhibit the Philippines' national heroes in appropriate forms of visual representations or depict them in their visual materials and other forms of art or artistic expression;

A list of recognized Philippine Heroes, as identified by the National Historical Commission of the Philippines, is attached as Annex A for reference and guidance.

DONE in the City of Manila, this 5th day of May in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

By authority of the President.
PHILIPPINE HEROES

Jose Rizal
Andres Bonifacio
Emilio Aguinaldo
Apolinaro Mabini
Marcelo H. del Pilar
Juan Luna
Melchor Aquino
Gabriela Silang
Lapu-Lapu
Father Jose Burgos
Father Mariano Gomez
Father Jacinto Zamora
Emilio Jacinto
Jose Abad Santos