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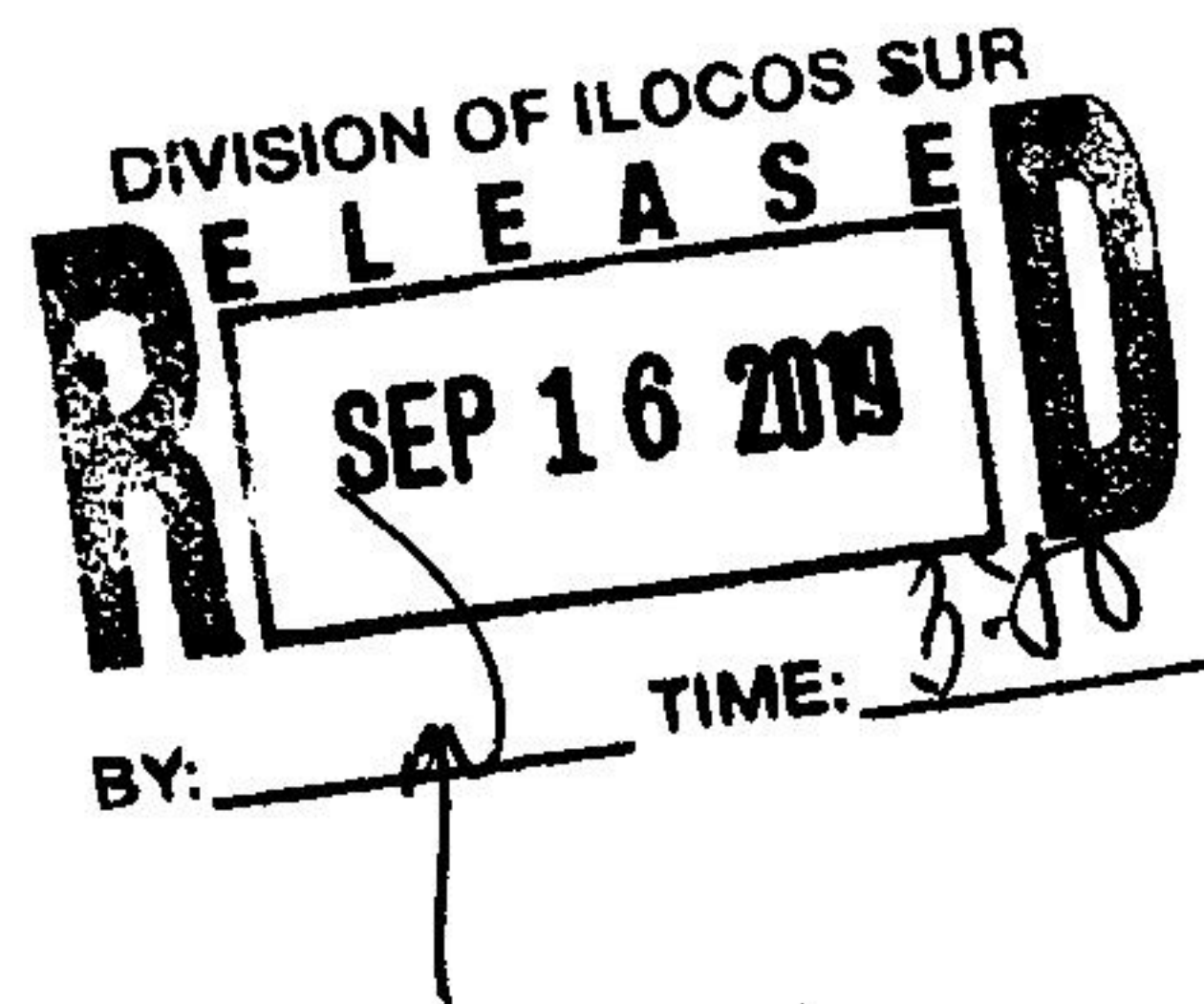
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DIVISION ADVISORY
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GUIDELINES ON REVITALIZING SCOUTING IN SCHOOLS REGIONWIDE

TO: OIC, Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors, CID and SGOD
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads, Public Elementary
and Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

Attached is a Regional Memorandum No. 217, s. 2019 re: ***Guidelines on Revitalizing Scouting in Schools Regionwide*** dated August 29, 2019, for immediate dissemination and strict compliance.



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Schools Division Superintendent



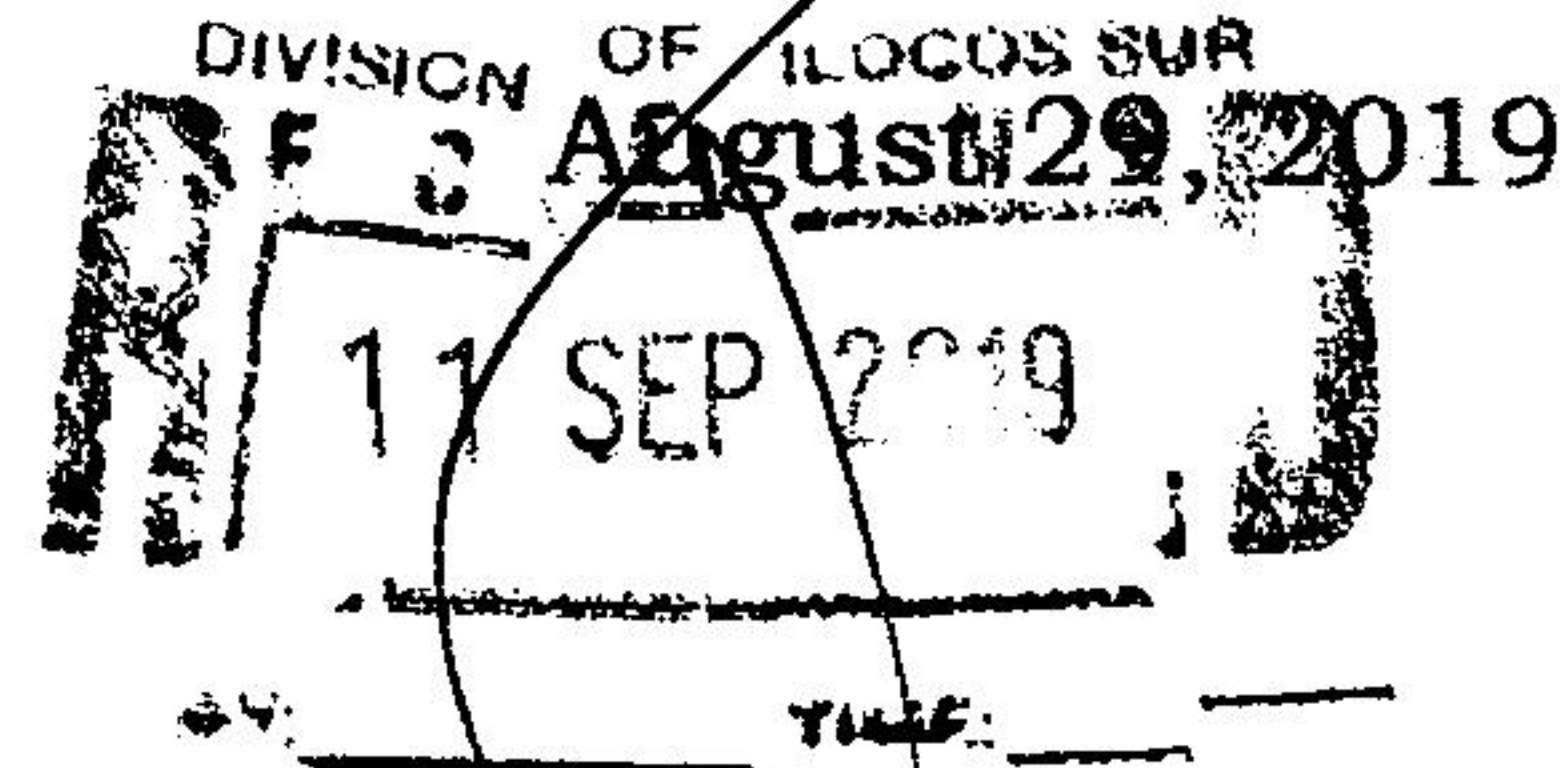


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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To: Schools Division Superintendents
Chief Education Supervisors – School Governance and
Operations Division (SGOD)
School Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. Scouting is an effective co-curricular program in the leadership and value formation of every learner. Its objective is consistent with the Department of Education's mission to develop every learner into well-rounded individual with exemplary character.

2. This Office recognizes the significant role of scouting in molding learners into responsible and responsive citizens of the country and in contributing to the efforts of achieving quality education. As a co-curricular program, scouting helps stem away vices and bad influence of drugs and peers. As such, participation of every learner in scouting program, activities and projects should be highly encouraged and supported in the schools.

3. In support of the Happy Schools Movement (HSM), this Office encourages the revitalization of Scouting Program in schools region wide in various areas of possible partnership and cooperation consistent with the following guidelines:

3.1 Make every teacher a scout leader. Forge partnership with the Boy and Girl Scout Councils for the conduct of trainings, and reduce or cut training fees.

3.2 Integrate scouting in the curriculum and homeroom sessions. Conduct life skills, livelihood and basic life support trainings after school hours.

3.3 Promote and conduct school based scouting activities in every school. Make every Friday a scouting day and encourage the wearing of neckerchiefs in all scouting activities.

3.4 Carry-out a one-day school based camp. Discourage, however, the usage of and bringing of gadgets, i.e, gas stove, dispenser, refrigerator and the like. Discourage catering of meals during outdoor camp/jamborees.

3.5 Discourage popularity contests in scouting activities.

3.6 Involve or immerse scouts in relevant community services. Community service involvement teaches learners compassion and understanding.

3.7 Promote membership in all schools.

4. The following DepEd issuance on Boy or Girl Scouting is reiterated:

4.1 DepEd Order No. 76, s. 2012 Revitalizing Boy Scouting in Schools Nationwide; and

4.2 DepEd Order No. 86, s. 2012 Revitalizing Girl Scouting in Schools Nationwide.

5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

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Regional Director

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