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VALUES-BASED WATER AND SANITATION EDUCATION IN SOUTH EAST ASIAN
COUNTRIES UNHABITAT AND SEAMEO COLLABORATIVE PROJECT

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. The Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organization (SEAMEO) Regional Tropical Medicine (TROPMED) Network, in partnership with the member countries of SEAMEO will implement a collaborative project on values-based water and sanitation education. This project is part of the water education component of the Water for Asian Cities Programme which supports efforts towards meeting the Millennium Development Goals on water and sanitation.
2. The objective of this project is to develop a partnership towards building capacity in the SEAMEO member countries on values-based water and sanitation education.
3. The proposal is to implement the first component of the collaborative project which is the "Development and Field Testing of the Water and Sanitation Assessment Protocol". The field testing is envisioned to be undertaken in eight countries of SEA region. The QEE schools and the cluster of schools around this QEE schools will be the ones involved. The QEE focal persons and the participants of the November 2005 workshop will be the specific partners of SEAMEO TROPMED Network. It is planned to be implemented in a period of six (6) to eight (8) months.
4. In this workshop, the Philippines was represented by Dr. Victoria Q. Fuentes, Schools Division Superintendent, Division of City Schools, Quezon City and Dr. Maria Luisa S. Quiñones, Schools Division Superintendent, Division of City Schools, Manila.
5. Expenses for country implementation will be borne through SEAMEO TROPMED Network.
6. For more information, please contact Prof. Dr. Sorchai Looareesuwan, Secretary General/Coordinator; TROPMED Central Office, 420/6 Rajvithi Road, Bangkok 10400, Thailand; tel. nos. +66(0) 2354-9145, 2354-9146, 2644-4331, 2644-5135; fax no. +66(0) 2354-9144; e-mail: fnvpn@diamond.mahidol.ac.th, tmseameo@diamond.mahidol.ac.th
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Secretary

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