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WRITESHOP ON ADDITIONAL FOUR (4) COMPETENCY-BASED AREAS
OF SPECIALIZATION FOR PUBLIC TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL
HIGH SCHOOLS

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Regional Directors
Secondary Education Division Chiefs
Regional TLE/Tech-Voc Supervisors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Public Technical-Vocational High School Administrators/Principals/Heads

1. The Competency-based Curriculum relative to the eighteen (18) areas of specialization for the Strengthened Technical-Vocational Education Program (STVEP) was implemented this SY 2007-2008. Majority of the 18 areas of specialization are for boys. For SY 2008-2009, the Tech-Voc Education Task Force shall develop additional four (4) areas of specialization, three (3) of which are for girls and one (1) for boys. With this, the students will have a broader range of specializations to choose from.
2. The Task Force, in developing the abovementioned additional areas of specialization, shall tap curriculum specialists from the Bureau of Secondary Education and Technical Educational Skills Development Authority (TESDA). Selected writers from the Tech-Voc schools implementing the component arts and trades shall also be invited as writers.
3. In view of the foregoing objectives, a five-day live-in writeshop on the additional 4 areas of specialization to be integrated in the present Competency-based Curriculum and Instructional Delivery shall be held at the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP), Tagaytay City on February 11-15, 2008.
4. Board and lodging expenses, transportation expenses and honoraria of participants, extra duty allowance of the secretariat, honoraria of resource persons and consultants, and other incidental expenses shall be charged against Tech-Voc funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Secretary

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

CURRICULUM
TECHNICAL EDUCATION

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
WORKSHOPS