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CREATING A TEEP TEXTBOOK PROCUREMENT TASKFORCE DEFINING ITS FUNCTIONS AND ORGANIZATION

To

Undersecretaries/Assistant Secretaries

Bureau/Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

All Others Concerned

In the interest of the service and to ensure that the procurement of textbooks and teachers; manuals financed under TEEP is done efficiently and economically and that they are delivered promptly to recipient schools beginning School Year 1999-2000, a TEEP Textbook Procurement Task Force (hereinafter called "Task Force") is hereby created.

The TEEP Textbook Procurement Task Force will be composed of the following:

Team Leader

Ms. Ester Dijamco, PISU

Co-Team Leader

Ms. Mila Talinio, IMCS

Members

Mr. Ricardo Faderon, PISU

Ms. Socorro Pilor, IMCS

Mr. Adonis Barraquias, PISU

Mr. Norman Cabangal, IMCS

Mr. Celso Martinez, IMCS

Ms. Melinda Cruz, PISU

Mr. Rommel Isip, PISU

The said Task Force will be under the direction and supervision of TEEP project management.

The functions of said Task Force are as follows:

- 1. prepare annual textbooks/teachers' manuals procurement plan together with the Task Force's work plans and implementation schedules;
- 2. describe the textbook procurement process and define/delineate the roles and responsibilities of Central Office PISU and IMCS;

- 3. cause the procurement and distribution of textbooks and teachers' manuals to schools in 26 TEEP provinces in accordance with Government and World Bank procurement guidelines and procedures, work plans, and timetables; and
- 4. resolve, or take leadership in resolving, any textbooks procurement/distributionrelated problems or issues that may be presented to it by Central Office PISU, IMCS, division offices, or suppliers, for resolution from time to time.

The Task Force will submit to TEEP project management for approval a list of shortterm technical reviewers and evaluators needed in the evaluation of suppliers' bids. Non-PISU members of the Task Force shall be entitled to a monthly honoraria in accordance with NCC-75. Honoraria and evaluator's fees shall be charged against TEEP funds. The Task Force shall be under the administrative supervision by the TEEP Deputy Project Manager.

The Task Force will draw upon the expertise and administrative and financial support of Central Office PISU, IMCS, BEE, and CMT to enable it to discharge its functions effectively.

For the guidance of all concerned.

Andrew B. GONZALES, FSC
Secretary

April

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

> COMMITTEES **PROCUREMENT PROJECTS TEXTBOOKS**