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DepEd ORDER  
No. 96, s. 2010

**ADDENDUM TO DEPED ORDER NO. 112, S. 2009**  
**(List of Approved Supplementary Reading and Reference Materials)**

To: Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau Directors  
Directors of Services, Centers and Heads of Units  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Resident COA Auditors  
All Others Concerned

1. This Department issued the DepEd Order No. 112, s. 2009 entitled "List of Approved Supplementary Reading and Reference Materials". Item no. 2.b, last sentence reads *The enclosed non-exclusive list shall be regularly updated in accordance with the evaluation standards and criteria set by DepEd Instructional Materials Council Secretariat (IMCS).*
2. To update the above-mentioned list, the IMCS coordinated with the National Library of the Philippines (NLP), which has issued a certification identifying thirty-four (34) internationally recognized publishing companies (copy enclosed). These NLP certified international publishers have satisfied one of the requirements, that is, having a pool of experts tasked to review, evaluate, and edit the works of their contributors, writers/authors. Thus, their supplementary reading and reference materials for possible use in public schools do not need to undergo the DepEd's content evaluation process.
3. All relevant positions of existing DepEd Orders, Memoranda and other administrative issuances inconsistent with this Order are hereby modified or amended accordingly.
4. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Order is directed.

**BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC**  
Secretary

Encl.: As stated  
Reference: DepEd Order: (No. 112, s. 2009)  
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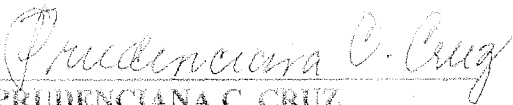


The same recognized companies are also into publishing elementary and secondary reference materials.

These internationally recognized publishers have their own experts who are tasked to review, edit or evaluate the works of their contributors. Evaluation or review of their publications by local experts therefore is not needed or necessary.

This certification is being issued upon the request of the Department of Education in connection with its policy to exempt from the content evaluation process materials developed by internationally-recognized publishers.

Certified true and correct:



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