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TEACHERS' TRAINING ON CHILD LABOR AND EDUCATION

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Education Sub-Group (ESG) of the National Child Labor Committee (NCLC) chaired by the Department will conduct a series of Teachers' Training on Child Labor Education. The training will be spearheaded by the Bureau of Elementary Education (BEE), the Bureau of Secondary Education (BSE) and the Bureau of Alternative Learning System (BALS) through the sponsorship of the International Labor Organization - International Program for the Elimination of Child Labor (ILO-IPEC) and the Winrock International. It will be conducted for 3 days.

2. The training aims to:

- a. assist the Philippine government in eliminating child labor in the country in support to the Philippine Time-Bound Program (PTBP);
- b. increase teachers' awareness on child labor issues and concerns;
- c. provide teachers enhancement on teaching approaches and techniques for effective delivery of education services to targeted children; and
- d. craft collaborative re-entry plans that reflect concrete actions on how to be more effective in dealing with child laborers, especially those in the worst forms.

3. Public elementary school teachers, high school teachers and mobile teachers/instructional managers of the Alternative Learning System (ALS) with a total of 105 participants from the Philippine Time-Bound Program areas will participate in the said training. The training schedule, PTBP areas, number of participants, schedule and venue of training are shown in the matrix that follows:

Region	Schedule of Training	Venue of Training	PTBP Areas	No. of Participants
NCR	May 31 to June 2, 2007	RELC, Marikina City	Manila, Quezon City, Pasay City	15
III-Bulacan			Marilao, Sta. Maria, Bocaue	15
V Camarines Norte			Paracale, Jose Panganiban, Labo, Daet	15
VI	1 st Week of July	Ecotech/Nutrition Center	Iloilo	9
VII			Negros Occidental	15
			Cebu	15
			Negros Oriental	15
XI			Davao del Sur	6
			Davao City	

4. Participants should meet the following criteria:
 - a. Has been involved in Child Labor Programs
 - b. Must have access to child laborers
 - c. Is not more than 50 years old
 - d. Is willing to sign the pledge of commitment
5. The concerned regions/divisions are requested to submit the names and places of teaching assignments of the prospective participants on or before May 11, 2007 through fax nos. (02) 637-43-47 (for BEE) (02) 635-51-89 (for BALS) and (02) 632-77-46 (for BSE).
6. Transportation expenses to and from the venue, board and lodging and other expenses incurred by the participants relative to the training shall be reimbursed upon presentation of the necessary documents subject to the usual accounting and auditing procedures. Honoraria of resource speakers and facilitators shall be charged to ILO-IPEC. The first meal will be served at dinner time on May 30, 2007 while the last meal will be served at lunch time on June 2, 2007.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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