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GUIDELINES IN THE ORGANIZATION OF SUBSIDIZED TRAININGS
AND PRESS CONFERENCES IN THE ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY
AND TERTIARY LEVELS UNDER R.A. 7679

To: Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries
Bureau Directors, Center Directors,
Regional Directors, and Schools Superintendents
Heads of Chartered State Colleges and Universities
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities
Heads of Community Colleges and Vocational
and Technical Schools

1. In order to maximize the participation of campus student publication writers and teacher-advisers in the elementary, secondary and tertiary levels training activities and press conferences, and in the utilization of funds to subsidize the above activities under R.A. 7679, otherwise known as the Campus Journalism Act of 1991, the guidelines included to this Order shall be adhered to:

2. Student writers in each level - elementary, secondary and tertiary - are encouraged to organize themselves into regional as well as national associations so that they can avail of training activities and participation in press conferences.

3. The DECS Technical Service, in coordination with the regional and division offices, shall monitor and provide technical assistance to training activities and participation in press conferences.

4. Dissemination of this Order to all concerned is hereby directed.


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Secretary

Referencer: DECS Order No. 40, s. 1992
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(Inclosure to DECS Order No. 9, s. 1994)

Guidelines in the Organization and Conduct of Trainings
and Press Conferences Under R.A. 7079

I. On Training Activities

- a. At the elementary level, training activities for teacher-advisers will be organized and conducted at the division level. Subsidy funds provided under R.A. 7079 will be released to the schools superintendents through the regional director upon submission to, and approval by the DECS of the training activity proposal.
- b. At the secondary level, training of teacher-advisers will be organized and conducted at the regional level. Subsidy funds provided under R.A. 7079 will be released to the regional director upon submission of, and approval by DECS of the training activity proposal.
- c. At the tertiary level, workshops or seminars for campus writers will be organized at the regional level under the coordination of the regional office. Subsidy funds will be released to the regional director upon submission of, and approval by DECS of the workshop/seminar proposal.

II. Press Conferences

- a. At the elementary level, press conferences will be organized and conducted at the regional level beginning with the school year 1994-1995. Beginning with the school year 1995-1996 and every school year thereafter, the National Elementary Schools Press Conference may be conducted following the holding of the regional press conferences. Subsidy funds will be released to the regional director for this purpose.
- b. At the secondary level, the traditional regional and national press conferences will continue to be conducted. Funds to subsidize the conferences will be released to the regional director.
- c. At the tertiary level, student campus writers from all public and private tertiary institutions may organize regional level conferences under the coordination of the DECS regional office. Request for financial subsidy will be made through the regional director. Such funds will be released to the regional director for proper disbursement upon approval by DECS of the activity proposal.