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Department of Education

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AMENDMENT TO DEPED MEMORANDUM NO. 019, S. 2019
(Assignments of Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries
in the Department of Education)

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Minister, Basic, Higher and Technical Education, BARMM
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to the authority of supervision and control over the Department of Education (DepEd) vested in the Secretary by Executive Order No. 292, or the Administrative Code of 1987, and by Republic Act No. 9155, titled *Governance of Basic Education Act of 2001*, the **Assignments of Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries in the Department of Education**, instituted under DepEd Memorandum No. 019, s. 2019 and amended by DepEd Memoranda Nos. 058 and 141, s. 2019, **are further amended as follows:**

- a. The Alternative Learning System (ALS) Program and Task Force is placed under the Curriculum and Instruction (CI) strand. As such, Assistant Secretary G.H. S. Ambat, while continuing to oversee the operational activities of the ALS Program and provide strategic leadership to the ALS Task Force, shall report to Undersecretary Diosdado M. San Antonio as Undersecretary-in charge of the CI strand.
- b. Assistant Secretary Alma Ruby C. Torio is designated as Officer-In-Charge of the Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR), in concurrent capacity as Assistant Secretary for CI. In light of this, the designation of Director Edel B. Carag as Officer-In-Charge of the Office of the Director IV, BLR, is terminated, and she is placed under the office of Undersecretary Tonisito M.C. Umali for appropriate assignment.
- c. The Personnel Division and the Employee Welfare Division are reintegrated under the Bureau of Human Resource and Organizational Development (BHROD). The BHROD, and all its five (5) divisions, is placed under the supervision of Undersecretary Jesus L. R. Mateo.
- d. Undersecretary Mateo is assigned to exercise administrative supervision over the International Cooperation Office (ICO). In terms of the operational activities of ICO, he will exercise oversight of those related to Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organization (SEAMEO), Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), and Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC).

However, Undersecretary Nepomuceno A. Malaluan will exercise oversight of the operational activities of ICO related to the United Nations and all its specialized agencies.

- e. The supervision over field operations is assigned fully to Undersecretary Revsee A. Escobedo.

2. Given the above amendments, the following update on the assignments of undersecretaries and assistant secretaries are clarified:

a. **Undersecretary Diosdado M. San Antonio**

Assistant Secretary Alma Ruby C. Torio

- i. Bureau of Curriculum Development (BCD)
- ii. Bureau of Learning Delivery (BLD)
- iii. Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA)
- iv. Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR)
- v. Teacher Education Council Secretariat (TECS)
- vi. Literacy Coordinating Council Secretariat (LCCS)
- vii. Indigenous Peoples Education Office (IPsEO)

b. **Undersecretary Diosdado M. San Antonio**

Assistant Secretary G.H. S. Ambat

- i. Alternative Learning System (ALS) Program and Task Force

c. **Undersecretary Jesus L. R. Mateo**

- i. Planning Service (PS)
- ii. Bureau of Human Resource and Organizational Development (BHROD)

d. **Undersecretary Revsee A. Escobedo**

- i. Field Operations
- ii. *Palarong Pambansa* Secretariat
- iii. DepEd Employees Associations Coordinating Office (DEACO)

3. All other provisions of DepEd Memoranda Nos. 019, 058, and 141, s. 2019 remain in full force and effect. However, provisions of the said issuances inconsistent with the above amendments are repealed or modified accordingly.

4. Additionally, given recent appointments of DepEd Central Office (CO) Directors by the President, the following new or reaffirmed assignments are instituted:

Director	Offices/Divisions/Units Supervised
a. Atty. Anne Rachel C. Miguel Director IV, BHROD	i. Office of the Director IV ii. Office of the Director III (HR) iii. Office of the Director III (OD) iv. Employee Welfare Division (EWD) v. Human Resource Development Division (HRDD) vi. Organization Effectiveness Division (OED) vii. Personnel Division (PD) viii. School Effectiveness Division (SED)
b. Mr. Armando C. Ruiz Director IV, Finance Service (FS)	i. Office of the Director IV ii. Accounting Division (Accounting) iii. Budget Division (Budget) iv. Employee Accounts Management Division (EAMD)
c. Atty. Rhoan L. Orebia Director IV, Legal Service (LS)	i. Office of the Director IV ii. Investigation Division iii. Legal Division iv. Legal Affairs Help Desk

Director	Offices/Divisions/Units Supervised
d. Mr. June Arvin C. Gudoy Director IV, Public Affairs Service (PAS)	i. Office of the Director IV ii. Communications Division (CD) iii. Publications Division (PD) iv. Public Assistance Action Center (PAAC) v. Multimedia Unit
e. Ms. Leilani L. Galvez Director IV, Internal Audit Service (IAS)	i. Office of the Director IV ii. Management Audit Division (MAD) iii. Operations Audit Division (OAD)
f. Atty. Marcelo H. Bragado, Jr. Director IV, Procurement Management Service (ProcMS)	i. Office of the Director IV ii. Procurement Planning and Management Division (PPMD) iii. Bids and Awards Committees Secretariat Division (BACSEC) iv. Contract Management Division (CMD)

5. Director Miguel retains her function as Board Secretary of the DepEd Provident Fund Board of Trustees. She is likewise assigned to supervise the Central Security and Safety Office, a unit under the Office of the Secretary created by virtue of Office Order OO-OSEC-2016-039.

6. Director Joel S. Erestain is placed under the office of Undersecretary Revsee A. Escobedo for appropriate assignment.

7. All other issuances inconsistent with assignments of DepEd CO Directors above are repealed or modified accordingly.

8. This Memorandum will take effect immediately upon issuance. All affected supervising undersecretaries are directed to coordinate among themselves, facilitate orderly transitions, including those of the affected officers in their respective strands, and submit a summary report thereof to the Secretary.

9. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES
 Secretary

Encl/s.:
None



References:

DepEd Memoranda: (No. 019, No. 058, and No. 141, s. 2019)
Office Order (OO-OSEC-2016-039)

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