REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 343, s. 2021

REQUEST FOR DATA ON DEAF TEACHERS PERMANENTLY EMPLOYED IN THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. The Bureau of Curriculum Development’s Special Curricular Programs Division (BCD-SCPD), is doing a research on Filipino Sign Language (FSL). This aims to establish an evidence-based set of guidelines for the full implementation of FSL in the basic education system that is non-discriminatory, inclusive, and transparent to the deaf.

2. Hence, to be able to gather relevant data that are valuable for this research, this Office requests the SPED Focal Person to submit the total number of Deaf teachers permanently hired in the Elementary and Secondary schools at clmd.region1@deped.gov.ph. (Refer to the attached annexes)

3. For easy reference, the Deaf teacher may accomplish the data needed through the link https://tinyurl.com/datadepereddeafteachers on or before April 30, 2021.

4. For information and compliance.

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DEAF TEACHERS

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TO : ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS

ATTENTION : REGIONAL/DIVISION SUPERVISORS IN-CHARGE OF SPED

FROM : DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction

SUBJECT : Request for Data on Deaf Teachers Permanently Employed in the Elementary and Secondary Schools

DATE: April 14, 2021

In line with the recently released Republic Act No. 11106, otherwise known as the 'Filipino Sign Language Act (FSL Act)', the Department of Education, through the Bureau of Curriculum Development's Special Curricular Programs Division (BCD-SCP), is doing a research on FSL. The said research aims to establish an evidence-based set of guidelines for the full implementation of the FSL in the basic education system that is non-discriminatory, inclusive, and transparent to the Deaf.

Hence, to be able to gather relevant data that are valuable for this research, may we request the Regional Office to submit the total number of Deaf teachers permanently hired in the Elementary and Secondary schools. Annex A (The Total Number of Permanently Hired Deaf Teachers in the Region) and Annex B (Data of Permanently Hired Deaf Teachers per School) are provided for your reference.

Rest assured that the gathered information will be treated with utmost confidentiality and shall be used for research purposes only. Kindly accomplish the said templates on or before April 30, 2021. For easy reference, the Deaf Teacher may accomplish the data needed through the link https://tinyurl.com/datadepeedeadfteachers.

For coordination and inquiries, please contact Mrs. Nica Regine L. Jaucian, SPED Co-lead on Deaf and Hard of Hearing Learners through email at nicaregine.llico@deped.gov.ph or mobile phone 0917-569-5178/0921-027-3438.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is requested.