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**Department of Education**  
REGION I



Office of the Regional Director

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
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**REITERATION ON THE USE OF DELIVERED SELF-LEARNING MODULES**

**To: All Schools Division Superintendents**

1. In line with DepEd Order No. 18, s. 2020 which provides guidelines for the release and utilization of funds for the provision of learning resources in light of the implementation of the Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan (BE-LCP), this Office reiterates that all Self-Learning Modules (SLMs) procured either by the Central Office (CO), Regional Office (RO) or Schools Division Offices (SDOs) shall be used and be reused.
2. In view of the above, Schools Division Offices are expected to comply with the following:
  - a. The SLMs are non-consummable or are reusable unless declared damaged or heavily worn out already;
  - b. The SLMs are *supplementary learning resources* that can be utilized in various learning modalities;
  - c. For learners under the Alternative Delivery Mode (ADM) Program, the SLMs shall be used as primary learning resources.
  - d. All SLMs shall be properly accounted and safeguarded by the schools to maximize the utilization.
3. In this regard, this Office requests to distribute to schools the copies of the SLMs that remain at SDOs.
4. It shall be noted also that the primary learning resources in the face to face setup are still the existing textbooks, learners' materials (LMs), teachers' guide (TGs), readers, and other DepEd approved reference materials.
5. For clarifications, please call Arlene A. Niro, Chief Education Supervisor, Curriculum and Learning Management Division at (072) 607-8137 loc. 120 or Gina A. Amoyen, Education Program Supervisor-Learning Resources Management Section at (072) 607-8137 loc. 121.
6. For information and immediate dissemination to all concerned.



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