



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

REGION I



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 0176, s. 2024

NEW NORMATIVE FUNDING FORMULA FOR THE SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES (SMOOE)

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. As per Memorandum OUF-2024-0045 from the Office of the Undersecretary for Finance dated January 29, 2024, a review and formulation of new normative funding formula for the School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (SMOOE) will be conducted to determine a more sufficient allocation for each school.
2. Anent to this, Survey Questionnaire of the School MOOE is being floated via this link: <https://forms.gle/indz4R9yKhdn7WdP8> to be able to gather data from a sample of DepEd schools of different curriculum offerings; delivery mode; and Senior High School track offered on their actual school MOOE expenditures by major expense item regardless of funding source.
3. Responses using the questionnaire will be submitted **on or before February 14, 2024**.
4. For immediate dissemination and compliance.

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Encl.: None
Reference: None

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

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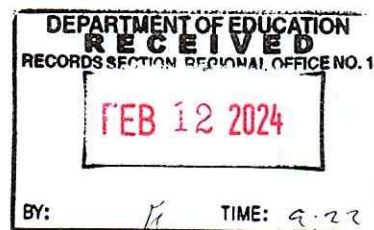
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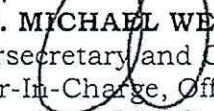


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MEMORANDUM
OUF-2024-0045
January 29, 2024

TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
SCHOOL HEADS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM :  **ATTY. MICHAEL WESLEY T. POA**
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Officer-In-Charge, Office of the Undersecretary for Finance
Chairperson, GAS Composite Team

SUBJECT : REVIEW AND FORMULATION OF NEW NORMATIVE FUNDING
FORMULA FOR THE SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OTHER
OPERATING EXPENSES (SMOOE)



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This is in reference to the review and formulation of new normative funding formula for the School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE) to determine a more sufficient allocation for each school.

The overall objective of the study is to propose a new normative funding formula for School MOOE. The formula should cover allocations or school MOOE for both elementary and secondary education and should take into consideration some of the cost drivers of school MOOE (number of students, number of teachers, etc.) as well as other relevant factors such as school location.

A survey will be conducted to be able to collect data from a sample of DepEd schools of different curriculum offerings (i.e., K - 6, Grade 7 to Grade 10, SHS, K-10, K - 12, Grade 7 - Grade 12); delivery mode (mono grade vs. multigrade); and, Senior High School track offered on their actual school MOOE expenditures by major expense item (water, electricity, communication (internet, telephone), supplies and materials, travel expense, training expense, repair and maintenance, job order for security/utility, etc.) regardless of funding source (i.e., GAA, LGU, PTCA contribution, canteen funds, private donations).

The School MOOE Survey Questionnaire can be accessed through this link:
<https://forms.gle/indz4R9yKhdn7WdP8>

Moreover, after consolidating the results of the survey, a focus group discussion among selected schools might be conducted by the Asian Development Asian (ADB) together with the concerned DepEd office in order to gain deeper insights, perspectives, and understanding of the findings.

We kindly ask the School Heads and/or the Finance Staff of the school to submit their responses using the questionnaire accessible through the link provided **on or before February 14, 2024**. Your prompt attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

For your compliance,