



February 19, 2019

Division Memorandum
No. 084 s. 2019

PROHIBITION ON SOLICITATION

To: All Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
Division Office Personnel & Employees
All others concerned

1. In reference to Unnumbered Regional Memorandum dated 13 February, 2019, this office hereby reiterates the prohibition on solicitations or acceptance of gifts.
2. School Heads, teachers and employees are directed to promote high standard ethics in public service in accordance to Republic Act No. 6713 otherwise known as "Code of Conduct and Ethical Standards for Public Officials and Employees", particularly item (d) Section 7 states that:

"Prohibited Acts and Transactions. - In addition to acts and omissions of public officials and employees now prescribed in the Constitution and existing laws, the following shall constitute prohibited acts and transactions of any public official and employee and are hereby declared to be unlawful:

(d) Solicitation or acceptance of gifts. - Public officials and employees shall not solicit or accept, directly or indirectly, any gift, gratuity, favor, entertainment, loan or anything of monetary value from any person in the course of their official duties or in connection with any operation being regulated by, or any transaction which may be affected by the functions of their office.

3. All employees are also reminded the prohibited acts prescribed during the election period such as *giving, accepting, free transportation, food or drinks or things of value, soliciting votes or propaganda for or against any candidate or any political party within the polling place or within 30 meters (COMELEC Resolution No. 10429).*
4. Acts or omissions relative thereto shall be dealt with in accordance with the law without prejudice to compliance of due process.
5. Immediate dissemination and compliance of this memorandum is desired.

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MEMORANDUM

TO : SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
DEPED REGIONAL OFFICE PERSONNEL

SUBJECT : PROHIBITION ON SOLICITATION

DATE : February 13, 2019

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