




Republika ng Pilipinas  
**Kagawaran ng Edukasyon**  
 Tanggapan ng Pangalawang Kalihim sa Pangangasiwa

OUA-OUT-091522-002

**MEMORANDUM**  
 September 9, 2022

**FOR :** REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
 SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS  
 REGIONAL AND DIVISION ENGINEERS  
 OTHERS CONCERNED

**FROM :**   
 ATTY. KRISTIAN R. ABLAN, CESO I  
 Undersecretary for Administration

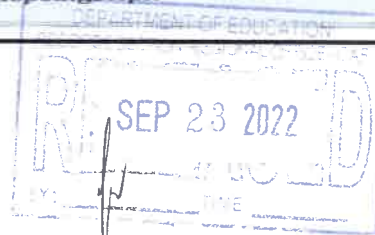
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 Cordillera Administrative Region



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**To :** Schools Division Superintendents  
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 All Division

For information and strict compliance.

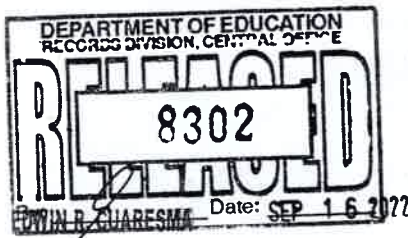
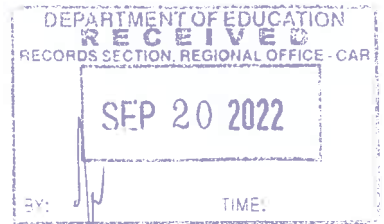
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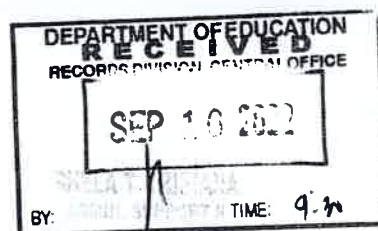
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4. For any concerns, please coordinate with the Education Facilities Division through 8633-7263 or email at [as.efd@deped.gov.ph](mailto:as.efd@deped.gov.ph).
5. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.





**JOINT DEPED-DPWH SPECIAL TASK FORCE  
ON THE VALIDATION AND ASSESSMENT OF INCOMPLETE  
AND ABANDONED SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECTS UNDER  
THE BASIC EDUCATION FACILITIES FUND**

In the objective to close out and complete all remaining incomplete and abandoned school building projects that were funded under the Basic Education Facilities Fund (BEFF), ensuring safety of the structure and its conduciveness to learners and school personnel, a Special Task Force is created to conduct validation and assessment of these identified projects.

The specific objectives of the taskforce are as follow:

1. Conduct joint assessment of the physical conditions of the declared incomplete and abandoned school building projects;
2. Determine the condition of the existing structures whether these are:
  - a. already deteriorated and not anymore feasible for completion and therefore can be demolished so as not to pose any hazard to the school/s;
  - b. structurally sound and can be continued for completion;
3. Provide recommendation for any appropriate action needed in coordination with the concerned DPWH District Engineering Office and DepEd Division Office.

The Task Force is composed of the following:


Chairperson : Undersecretary Kristian Ablan, DepEd  
Co-Chairperson : Assistant Secretary Antonio V. Molano, Jr., DPWH  
Members : DPWH Quality Assurance Unit  
DPWH Bureau of Design  
DPWH Bureau of Construction  
DepEd Education Facilities Division

The Task Force is given until 30 days upon issuance of this Order to complete the tasks enumerated above. A complete report shall be issued by the Task

Force Chairperson and Co-Chairperson to the Vice President and DepEd Secretary Sara Z. Duterte and DPWH Secretary Manuel M. Bonoan.

This order shall take effect immediately.

  
**MANUEL M. BONOAN**  
DPWH Secretary

  
**SARA Z. DUTERTE**  
Vice President and DepEd Secretary

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