



Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Region IX, Zamboanga Peninsula
Airport Road, Tiguma, Pagadian City



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 75, s. 2017

RENEWAL OF GOVERNMENT RECOGNITION

TO: Schools Division Superintendents
Heads, Private Schools
All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education issued DepEd Order No. 88, s. 2010 which pertains to the Revised Manual of Regulations for Private Schools in Basic Education as well as DepEd Order No. 11, s. 2011 which is the Amendments of the 2010 Revised Manual of Regulations for Private Schools in Basic Education, respectively. These DepEd Orders serve as the basis and guide in the private education operation nationwide.
2. In addition, Section 29 of DepEd Order No. 88, s. 2010 states that the government recognition issued for the specific year level or course shall be indefinite period provided that the requirements of law, rules and standards will be satisfied.
3. However, due to the term and tenure of the Board of Trustees under provision of Security and Exchange Commission as well the intention of DepEd to protect the welfare of the school children for whatever encumbrances that may occur in the future, DepEd Regional Office 9 established a policy that government recognition shall only be valid for fifty years of operation based on the date of issuance of the said document
4. Thus, all private schools government recognition issued fifty years and beyond must apply for renewal of their government recognition. Such renewal or updating of permit and recognition will then serve as basis for granting the request of a Certificate of Good Standing.
5. A Penalty of Eighty Pesos only (P80.00) per year of overdue Government Recognition will be charged and paid to the Cashier of the Regional Office.
6. Immediate dissemination and compliance of this Memorandum is hereby enjoined.

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Regional Director

Inls.: As Stated.

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