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Department of Education

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MEMORANDUM

TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS

FROM : REYNALDO D. LAGUDA
Assistant Secretary and Chief of Staff

DATE : 7 March 2014

To: SDSs
For your information
& guidance.
Thanks. God bless!
7 March 2014

It has come to our attention that the book entitled "Disaster Management (An Informative Guide to Managing and Surviving Disasters)" was offered to several divisions as supplementary material to be used by students and we have already expressed our disapproval on the use of said book. A copy of the book cover together with the letter of disapproval is attached herewith, for your reference.

We wish to remind you and your respective Schools Division Superintendents that Deped Order No. 44, series of 2013 remains in full force and effect. Only programs and projects of the department with exigent requirements will merit an exemption from the moratorium on procurement of supplementary reading, reference and instructional materials (IMs). Further, we advise you to conduct a comprehensive assessment of any IMs being offered to ensure that they are relevant and appropriate to the programs and projects of Deped.

For your guidance and immediate dissemination of this memorandum to your respective Schools Division Superintendents is desired.

Thank you.

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