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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR No. 2016-118

TO

ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY/MUNICIPAL MAYORS,

PUNONG BARANGAYS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND

OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT

13TH CEREBRAL PALSY AWARENESS AND PROTECTION

(CPAP) WEEK

Presidential Proclamation No. 588 issued on March 25, 2004 declared September 16-22 of every year as Cerebral Palsy Awareness and Protection Week.

Relative thereto, this year's celebration adopts the theme "Kung sa Cerebral Palsy ay may Kaalaman, Maganda ang Kinabukasan", which aims to promote a barrier free environment which will allow persons with cerebral palsy to enjoy productive lives.

In this regard, all Local Government Units are enjoined to support the observance by conducting fitting activities such as but not limited to the following:

- Hanging of advocacy streamers/tarpaulins in strategic places
- Announcement of the CPAP Week celebration during Flag Raising Ceremony
- Scientific Congress on Cerebral Palsy
- Arts Workshop and Exhibit
- Family Day/Educational Field Trip for Children with Cerebral Palsy
- Medical Mission for persons with cerebral palsy
- Demonstration/Tournament of Boccia sports for persons with cerebral palsy
- Motorcade

The layout/design of the CPAP week streamer can be downloaded from the NCDA website http://www.ncda.gov.ph. For more information you may contact Mr. Rizalio R. Sanchez and/or Mr. Jayme J. Mariño of NCDA thru telephone nos. 951-5013, 932-6422 local 111 and mobile nos. 0920-9062306 and 0920-9022296 respectively or thru email address: council @ncda.gov.ph.

All DILG Regional Directors are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Circular and extend necessary assistance.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

By the Authority of the Secretary:

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Undersecretary for Local Government

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