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MANILA BULLETIN SKETCHFEST

Attached is a letter dated June 19, 2023 of Mark Dy, Brand and Marketing Manager, Manila Bulletin Publishing Corporation, inviting elementary and high school students in NCR to participate in the *Sketchfest* an annual on the spot poster making competition that promotes the advocacy of art.

Participation of public and private schools shall be subject to the **no disruption of classes policy** stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith* and the **no collection policy** as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project of Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law).

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OASOPS No. 2023-125

MEMORANDUM

TO : **ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS**
ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : 
Atty. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO
Undersecretary for Operations


FRANCIS CESAR B. BRINGAS
Assistant Secretary for Operations

SUBJECT : **Invitation to the Manila Bulletin Sketchfest 2023**

DATE : June 26, 2023

This Office respectfully endorses the attached email letter from Mr. Mark Dy, Brand and Marketing Manager, Manila Bulletin, dated June 19, 2023, regarding their invitation to the Manila Bulletin Sketchfest 2023, which will be held on September 30, 2023 at the SM Mall of Asia, Manila.

For further inquiries and concerns regarding the **voluntary event**, kindly contact Mr. Mark Dy through email at markdy.mbpc@gmail.com or numbers at (02) 8527-8121 loc. 408 or at 09178323233. For further information, kindly see attached files.

For wide dissemination and appropriate action.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Department of Education

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Office of the Secretary <osec@deped.gov.ph>

Manila Bulletin Sketchfest 2023 Letter of Request fro the Office of the Vice President

1 message

Mark Dy <markdy.mbpc@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 19, 2023 at 4:40 PM

To: Office of the Secretary <osec@deped.gov.ph>

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June 19, 2023

Hon. Sara Z. Duterte
Vice President of the Republic of the Philippines and
Department of Education Secretary

Dear Hon. Duterte,

Greetings!

The *Manila Bulletin Sketchfest series* is now on its 12th year!

SM Mall of Asia, Manila – September 30, 2022

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This year, for the second time post-pandemic, Sketchfest returns face to face, with the theme "**We Are All Created Equal**" which promotes unity, diversity, and the rights of all people.

Sketchfest was also designed to promote different artistic disciplines and cater to different age groups with its various categories and levels. The On-the- Spot Category promotes the drawing medium and is open to Kiddie, Junior, and Senior levels; the Digital Category promotes digital art and is open to all ages; while the Exhibition Category promotes the painted medium and is open to more experienced artists 16 years old above. Aspiring artists can win as much as Php 50,000 worth of prizes or a roundtrip ticket for two to any domestic destination.

In line with this, we would like to seek help of your good office to help us invite Elementary and High School students around the Philippines to showcase their artistic talent and join the competition and the culminating event on September 30, 2023 at the SM Mall of Asia, as you did in previous years.

For your reference, attached is the poster material which contains the complete event details, contest mechanics, and prizes.

Attached, as well, are issued memoranda from previous years.

Should you have any questions or clarifications, you may get in touch with us through (02)8527-8121 loc. 408, (0917)8323233, or at markdy.mbpc@gmail.com.

Thank you very much and we hope for your favorable response and continued support.

Sincerely yours,

(Original Signed)

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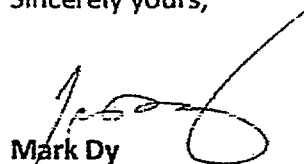
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