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Undersecretary for Finance

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Undersecretary and Chief of Staff

SUBJECT :

GUIDELINES IN THE UTILIZATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDS TO

SUPPORT THE PILOT IMPLEMENTATION OF LIMITED FACE-TO-

FACE CLASSES

DATE

October 30, 2021

This memorandum is issued to establish the guidelines on the release and utilization of the supplemental funds to be downloaded for the pilot implementation of Limited Face to Face Classes.

A. Background and Rationale

With the President's approval of the implementation of the Pilot Face-to-Face classes on September 20, 2021, the Department of Education (DepEd) with the Department of Health (DOH) issued the Joint Memorandum Circular No. 1 s. 2021 on the Operational Guidelines on the Implementation of

Limited Face-to-Face Learning Modality (Annex A) which provides guidance on the mechanism and standards for the resumption of classes. To further detail the role of DepEd in the pilot study, DepEd issued DepEd Memorandum No. 71, s. 2021 on Preparations for the Pilot Face-to-Face, Expansion, and Transition to the New Normal containing the School Safety Assessment Tool (SSAT), list of schools initially identified by the DOH, and other preparatory provisions.

The implementation of the pilot face-to-face classes is within the Shared Responsibility Framework in the JMC No.1 s. 2021 which has the common elements: a) Health and Safety of Learners, b) Learning Opportunities, c) School Operations, and d) Engagement of the Entire Society illustrated below:

SHARED RESPONSIBILITY DepEd & DOH Other WELL-BEING INCLUDING THE SAFE **TEACHING &** Concerned LGU/ MOST AND Government Community **OPERATIONS LEARNING** MARGINALIZED Agencies **PROTECTION POLICY - FINANCING** Schools & Families

Figure 1. Based on UNESCO-UNICEF - World Bank Framework for Reopening Schools and DepEd Shared Responsibility Principle

In support of the implementation of the Pilot Implementation of Face-to-Face classes, the DepEd shall provide supplemental funds to the pilot schools. This is in line with the implementation of the Department's Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan (BE-LCP) issued through DepEd Order No. 12, s. 2020 which contains provision on Financing on Section E Operationalization of the BE-LCP. This memorandum also aligns with DepEd Order No. 14, s. 2020 on Guidelines on the Required Health Standards in Basic Education Offices and Schools (Annex B).

B. Coverage/Beneficiaries

The pilot implementation of Face-to-Face classes will commence on November 15, 2021 and shall reach its conclusion on January 31, 2022. The pilot implementation of limited face-to-face classes shall be comprised of public and private schools. The identified schools must have the Local Government Units' (LGUs) concurrence, be located in low-risk areas (Level 2) and pass the School Safety Assessment Tool (SSAT). Learners from Kinder to Grade 3 for elementary and Grade 12 for Senior High School (Laboratory) shall be the target learners.

In line with this, attached is the list of pilot public schools (see Annex C) who will participate in the pilot Face to Face that will require additional funds to ensure the safe return of the learners,

personnel, and other stakeholders to schools, and ensure smooth implementation of the pilot Face to Face implementation. Said requirements will be a shared responsibility of DepEd, DOH, the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), and other relevant stakeholders.

C. Objective/Purpose of the Fund

To augment the School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE) and support the Pilot study, the Department of Education will release supplemental funds per participating public school as a support fund to cover the financial requirements of specific provisions under the following issuances:

- 1. DepEd and DOH Joint Memorandum Circular No. 01, series of 2021 dated September 27, 2021 (Annex A); and
- 2. DepEd Department Order No. 14, series of 2021 dated June 25, 2020 entitled Guidelines on the Required Health Standards in Basic Education Offices and Schools (Annex B)

D. Eligible Expenses

The provisions under C.1 and C.2 (issuances mentioned above) will serve as guide and listing as to the eligible expenses that can be charged to the downloaded supplemental funds covered by this memo.

E. Non-Eligible Activities and Expenses

- 1. Procurement of capital outlay items or any item costing P15,000.00 and above;
- 2. Hiring of Contract of Service/Job Order; and
- 3. Usual expenses charged to School MOOE such as payment of utilities based on DepEd Order 008, series of 2019

F. Release of Funds

To facilitate the release and utilization of the funds, the Central Office shall send through email an advance copy of the signed Sub-Allotment Release Orders to the concerned Regional and Schools Division Office Budget Officers.

The Regional Directors, Schools Division Superintendents, and concerned School Heads shall ensure that the expenses charged against the specific allocation for the pilot study are in accordance with the following existing policies and guidelines:

 If release of funds from the SDOs shall be in a form of cash advance, relevant provisions of DO No. 29 s. 2019 (Procedural Guidelines on the Management of Cash Advances for School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses and Program Funds of NonImplementing Units Pursuant to CO, DBM, and DepEd Joint Circular No. 2019-1) shall be observed.

- The cash advance shall be subject to the rules and regulations on the granting, utilization, and liquidation of cash advances as provided for under Commission on Audit (COA) Circular No. 97-002 dated February 10, 1997, as amended by COA Circular No. 2006-005 July 13, 2006.
- 3. The downloaded funds shall be liquidated/reported by the receiving school in accordance with accounting rules and regulations and shall submit its report to its respective School Division Offices for review, recording and consolidation. The consolidated report shall then be endorsed to the concerned Regional Office and onward submission to the Central Office.

All resources generated from both the available annual programmed appropriations and those that may be sourced from other means (i.e. Special Education Fund, Brigada Eskwela contributions, Alumni Associations contributions/donations, Bilateral or Multilateral support, etc.) may be used or tapped by the Regional and School Division Offices, and selected piloted schools in addition to this downloaded supplemental budget.

G. Monitoring and Evaluation

A monitoring and evaluation mechanism for the implementation and utilization of the resources shall be developed following the approval of this memorandum. A separate issuance on this matter shall be issued by the DepEd - Central Office.

For inquiries and clarifications, please contact Planning Service at <u>ps.od@deped.gov.ph</u> and/or the Office of the Undersecretary for Finance at <u>usec.financebpm@deped.gov.ph</u>.

For information and guidance.

Noted:

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Secretary

Enclosures:

Annex A - DepEd and DOH Joint Memorandum Circular No. 01, series of 2021 dated September 27, 2021

Annex B - DepEd Department Order No. 14, series of 2021 dated June 25, 2020 entitled Guidelines on tl

Required Health Standards in Basic Education Offices and Schools

Annex C - List of School Division Offices and Recipient Schools and their respective allocations

Annex C. List of Pilot Schools of Face to Face Classes and Allocation per School

i 10 iV-A 5 V 9			SCHOOL NAME	SCHOOL ID	ALLOCATION (in PhP)
III 10 IV-A 5 V 9	Ilocos Norte	1	Dumaineg Elementary School	100050	100,000
III 10 IV-A 5 V 9	Alaminos City	2	Longos Elementary School	107998	100,000
III 10 IV-A 5 V 9	llocos Norte	_	San Isidro Elementary School	100055	100,000
III 10 IV-A 5 V 9	llocos Norte	4	Dumaineg National High School	300017	100,000
V 9	llocos Norte	5 6	Cacafean Elementary School Godogod Elementary School	100143 150011	100,000
V 9	llocos Norte	7	Buanga Elementary School	100237	100,000
V 9	llocos Norte		Bicbica Primary School	100236	100,000
V 9	ilocos Norte		Alao-ao Elementary School	100044	100,000
V 9	Ilocos Norte		Paddagan Elementary School	100054	100,000
IV-A 5			Sub-total, Region I		1,000,000
IV-A 5	Zambales		San Marcelino National High School	301030	100,000
IV-A 5	Zambales		Burgos Elementary School	160523	100,000
IV-A 5	Zambales		Owagg-Nebloc Elementary School	101788	100,000
IV-A 5	Zambates		Moraza Elementary School	281505	100,000
V 9	Zambales		Belbel Elementary School Maguisguis Integrated School	281504 500479	100,000
V 9	Zambales Zambales		Nacolcol Integrated School	501223	100,000
V 9	Zambales		Palis Integrated School	281503	100,000
V 9	Zambales		Baliwet Elementary School	106943	100,000
V 9	Zambales		Banawen Elementary School	160520	100,000
V 9			Sub-total, Region III		1,000,000
V 9	Quezon		Lagmak Elementary School	108709	100,000
V 9	Quezon		Lumutan Elementary School	108711	100,000
VI 3	Quezon		Dinigman Elementary School	108707	100,000
VI 3	Quezon		Pablo D. Maningas National High School	301315	100,000
VI 3	Quezon	25	Tamulaya Elementary School	109050	100,000 500,000
VI 3	Manhota City	26	Sub-total, Region IV-A Sinalongan Elementary School	113711	100,000
VI 3	Masbate City Masbate City	27	Gutusan Elementary School	231501	100,000
VI 3	Masbate City		Mary Perpetua E. Brioso National High	309908	100,000
VI 3	Mosbato		School	00000	
VI 3	Ligao City	29	Tandarura ES	111830	100,000
VI 3	Ligao City	30	Balanac Elementary School	111837	100,000
	Sorsogon City		Buenavista Elementary School	114525	100,000
	Ligao City		Malama Elementary School (Bagacay Extension)	231008	100,000
	Ligao City	33	Tupas Elementary School	111833	100,000
	Ligao City	34	Tiongson ES	111832	100,000
		1 0 5	Sub-total, Region V	470E40	900,000 100,000
	Antique		Mayabay Elementary School Igsoro Integrated School	178516 502199	100,000
VII 8	Antique Aklan	36 37	Lasema Integrated School	501182	100,000
VII 8	ANGEL	 3 /	Sub-total, Region VI	001102	300,000
VII 8	Cebu Province	38	Basak Elementary School	119604	100,000
VII 8	Cebu Province	39	Mahanlud Elementary School	119444	100,000
VII 8	Cebu Province		Cabagdalan Elementary School	119021	100,000
VII 8	Cebu Province	41	Luyongbaybay Elementary School	187017	100,000
	Cebu Province	42	Cañang-Marcelo Luna National High School	312426	100,000
	Cebu Province	43	Busay National High School	302926	100,000
	Cebu Province	44	Pilar National High School	303073 119113	100,000
	Bogo City	45	Siocon Elementary School Sub-total, Region VII	115113	800,000
	l out-	AIA.	Palo I Central School	121743	100,000
	Leyte Leyte	46	Bato Central School	121061	100,000
	Leyte	48	Dolho Elementary School	121064	100,000
	Calbayog City	49	Dawo Integrated School	500674	100,000
	Calbayog City		Macatingog Integrated School	500239	100,000
	Calbayog City	51	Macawat Elementary School	124068	100,000
VH3 10	Calbayog City	52	Pilar National Agricultural High School	303648	100,000
	Samar (Western)		Motiong Central Elementary School	123642 123721	100,000
	Samar (Western)	54	San Sebastian Central Elementary School		100,000
	Samar (Western)	55	Clarencio Calagos Memorial School of Fisheries Sub-total, Region VIII	303599	1,000,000

Annex C. List of Pilot Schools of Face to Face Classes and Aliocation per School

REGION	NO. OF SCHOOLS PER REGION	SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE	SCHOOL NAME		SCHOOL ID	ALLOCATION (in PhP)
		Zamboanga Sibugay	56	Siloh Elementary School	125839	100,000
		Zamboanga Sibugay	57	San Vicente Elementary School	125777	100,000
		Pagadian City	58	Manga National High School	303904	100,000
		Pagadian City		Manga Elementary School	126065	100,000
IX	8	Pagadian City	60	Lala Elementary School	126073	100,000
		Zamboanga del Sur	61	Sominot National High School	303817	100,000
		Zamboanga del Sur	62	Kumalarang National High School	303784	100,000
		Zamboanga del Sur	63	Guipos National High School	303778	100,000
				Sub-total, Region IX		800,000
		Lanao del Norte	64	Dalama Central Elementary School	126977	100,000
		Lanao del Norte		Babalaya Elementary School	126938	100,000
		Lanao del Norte		Napo Elementary School	127096	100,00
		Lanao del Norte		Masibay Integrated School	501600	100,000
		Lanao del Norte		Tambacon integrated School	500431	100,000
X	10	Lanao del Norte		Marcela T. Mabanta National High School	304011	100,000
	l	Bukidnon		Bagalangit Elementary School	126621	100,000
	ļ	Bukidnon		Ocasion Elementary School	126787	100,000
		El Salvador City	72	San Francisco de Asis Elementary School	127669	100,000
		Bukidnon	73	Camp 14 Elementary School	126514	100,000
				Sub-total, Region X		1,000,000
ХI		Davao de Oro		Jacinto Elementary School - Lower Penansalan Extension	204008	100,000
		Davao de Oro	75	Maugat Elementary School	204021	100,000
	8	Davao de Oro		Manurigao Integrated School - Digaynon Extension	500533	100,000
		Davao de Oro		Maubog Elementary School - Parasan Extension	128550	100,000
		Davao Del Sur	78	Tacub Elementary School	128919	100,000
		Davao Dei Sur		Nodilla Elementary School	128912	100,00
		Davao Del Sur	80	Clib Primary School	205018	100,00
		Davao de Oro	81	Bares ES - Pagsabangan Extension	128523	100,00
				Sub-total, Region XI		800,000
		Kidapawan City		Paco National High School	304668	100,00
		North Cotabato		Bato Elementary School	130108	100,00
XII	5	Koronadal City		Neimida Elementary School	131411	100,000
All	"	South Cotabato		Ned National High School	304551	100,000
		General Santos City	86	Aspang Elementary School	131292	100,00
				Sub-total, Region XII		500,000
XIII		Siargao	87	Sapac National High School (JHS w/SHS)	304785	100,00
	1	Surigeo City	88	Nonoc National High School	304804	100,00
	!	Surigao City		San Jose Elementary School	132259	100,00
	1	Surigao del Norte		Cawilan National High School	317810	100,00
	1	Surigao del Norte		Lakandula National High School	304838	100,00
	14	Surigao del Norte	92	Lasicam-Perral National High School	317804	100,00
		Surigao del Norte	93	Balite National High School	304814	100,00
	1	Surigao del Norte	94	Alegria Stand Alone Senior High School	340416	100,00
		Surigao City	95	Capalayan National High School	304802	100,00
		Surigao City		Sugbay Elementary School	132260	100,00
		Siargao		Anajawan Elementary School	132145	100,00
		Siargao		Dao Primary School	132151	100,00
		Siargao		Mabuhay Elementary School	132189	100,00
		Siargao	100	Cabawa Elementary School	132124	100,00
				Sub-total, Region XIII		1,400,00
	 	T	1	Grand Total	l .	10,000,000

List of Schools as of Nov. 8, 2021, edited Nov. 9, 2021 Bam