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**Department of Education**  
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

December 15, 2021

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. **000876**, s. 2021

**OPERATIONAL PLAN ON THE CONDUCT OF FIELD TESTING  
AND MOCK ELECTIONS**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
All Regional Office Employees  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is OUA Memo 00-1221-0073 Memorandum dated 09 December 2021 with the subject: **Operational Plan on the Conduct of Field Testing and Mock Elections.**
2. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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Enclosure: As stated

Reference: As stated

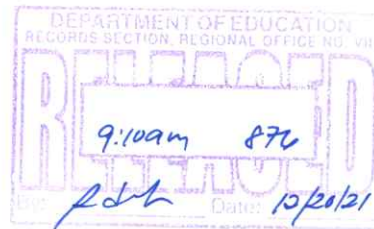
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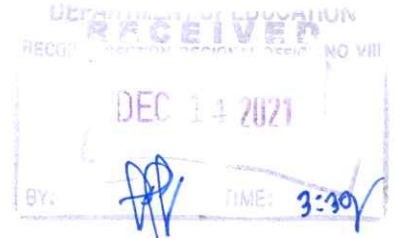
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**OUA MEMO 00-1221-0073**  
**MEMORANDUM**  
09 December 2021

**For: Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau/Service Directors  
Regional Directors and BARMM Education Minister  
Schools Division Superintendents  
School Heads and All Others Concerned**

**Subject: OPERATIONAL PLAN ON THE CONDUCT OF  
FIELD TESTING AND MOCK ELECTIONS**

For the information and guidance of all concerned, attached is the PowerPoint presentation of the Commission on Elections' (COMELEC) Operational Plan relative to the conduct of Field Testing on 14 December 2021 and Mock Elections on 29 December 2021.

The conduct of Mock Elections is one of the requirements for the issuance of Certificate by the Technical Evaluation Committee. This certification is done through an established international entity that the Automated Election System (AES), including its hardware and software components, is operating properly, securely, and accurately.

Please note that this activity has the following objectives:

1. To test and ensure adequate security, accuracy, functional capability and integrity of the following in connection with the 09 May 2022 National and Local Elections (NLE):
  - a. Vote Counting Machines (VCMs),
  - b. Transmission devices, and
  - c. Consolidation and Canvassing System (CCS).
2. To simulate the procedures relative to the conduct of election from deployment to voting to consolidation and transmission of results;
3. To further develop public confidence and acceptance of the AES; and
4. To validate the effectiveness of the planned health and safety protocol to be implemented in the 09 May 2021 NLE.

For widest dissemination.

  
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