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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 116, s. 2024

**Reiteration of the Department's Orders on the Guidelines for the Conduct of End-Of-School-Year Rites**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors  
Heads of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. Pursuant to DepED Order No.003, s. 2024 titled "Amendment to DepED Order No. 022, s. 2023, the Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities for the School Year 2023-2024", the EOSY Rites shall be conducted from May 29 to 31, 2024. However, under exceptional circumstances, the schools may conduct the EOSY Rites on June 1, 2024, Saturday only upon consultation with teachers and parents.

2. In connection with this, all public schools must adhere to **DepED Order No. 9, s. 2023**, an order updating the multi-year implementing guidelines on the conduct of the K to 12 Basic Education Program End-of-School-Year Rites and discouraging excessive spending, extravagant attire, or **extraordinary venue** for the conduct of graduation and moving up ceremonies; and **DepED Order No. 8, s. 2005**, an order reiterating the strict observance of school heads in the following items:

a. No non-academic project shall be imposed as a requirement for graduation;

b. Public schools are not allowed to collect any graduation fees or any kind of contribution for graduation rites;

c. PTA/PTCAs may solicit voluntary contributions from their members for graduation ceremonies and celebrations. Teachers and principals should not be involved in the collection of these contributions. PTA/PTCA members should be informed about the use of any contribution for graduation;

d. No extravagant special attire or **extra ordinary venue** for the ceremonies should be required; and

e. Contributions for the annual yearbook shall likewise be on a voluntary basis.

3. For strict compliance.

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