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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**MISSIONARIES OF THE POOR VOCATION CAMPAIGNS
AND RECRUITMENT PROGRAMS**

**To: OIC, Assistant Superintendents
Education Supervisors/ Coordinators
Secondary School Heads**

1. Attached is a communication from Br. Noel C. Garcia, M.O.P., Vocation Promoter, Missionaries of the Poor, Poblacion, Talisay City, Cebu, which is self-explanatory.
2. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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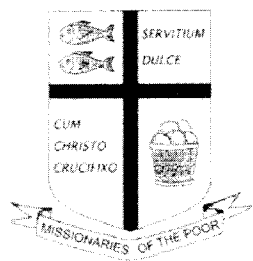
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"Blessed is he who considers the poor: the Lord delivers him in the day of trouble. Psalm 41:1"



OUR MISSION

To spread the Good News by offering primarily the corporal works of mercy of Jesus: feeding the hungry, housing the homeless, caring for street children and sick including AIDS and leprosy patients, visiting prisoners; and secondarily through preaching, music, song, teaching, and sacraments.

OUR DESIRE

To fulfill Christ's will to be present in our world by living a life of poverty, chastity, obedience and free service to the least of our brothers and sisters.

OUR MOTTO

"loving service

July 31, 2013

DR. ARDEN D. MONISIT
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Region VII Central Visayas
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Dear Dr. Monisit,

Blessings!

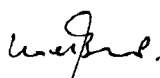
We, the Missionaries of the Poor are a Religious Institute of brothers and priests founded in Kingston, Jamaica by the Very Rev. Fr. Richard Ho Lung in 1981. The Vatican approved and elevated our community to the Diocesan Right in 1998. We have missions in India, the Philippines, Haiti, Uganda, Kenya, the United States and Indonesia. In 1993, upon the kind invitation of His Excellency, Most Rev. Leonardo Z. Legaspi, O.P., D.D., Archbishop of Caceres, we opened our first mission in the Philippines in Naga City, Bicol. In 2004, with the blessings of His Eminence, Ricardo Cardinal Vidal, Archbishop of Cebu, we established our mission in Cebu. And, in 2011, through the invitation of His Eminence, Gaudencio Cardinal Rosales, we established our mission in Manila.

Missionaries of the Poor are dedicated to the service of the abandoned, homeless and destitute. We provide them with permanent shelter as well as their basic needs such as food, clothing and medicines.

In lieu with this, we are planning to introduce our religious community to Secondary Schools through our Vocation campaigns and recruitment programs. With your blessings and support, may we humbly request for an **ENDORSEMENT LETTER**.

We thank you in advance to your gracious response. Be assured of our prayers!

Sincerely yours in Christ,


Br. Noel C. Garcia, M.O.P.
Vocation Promoter

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