

Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education  
Region VII, Central Visayas



## DIVISION OF CEBU PROVINCE

Sudlon, Lahug, Cebu City

November 3, 2015

### DIVISION MEMORANDUM

NO. 439 S. 2015

#### PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS RANDOM DRUG TESTING

**TO: Assistant Superintendent  
Education Supervisors/Coordinators  
District Supervisors/OICs/Caretakers  
Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
Heads, Private Elementary and Secondary Schools**

1. Attached is Regional Memorandum No. 439 s. 2015 informing the field that the Office of Sangguniang Panlalawigan (SP), Province Of Cebu through its SP Resolution No. 15402 – 2015 enjoins all Public and Private School Teachers in Mainland Cebu to submit themselves to a **Random Drug Testing** to be conducted by the Province Of Cebu through the Cebu Provincial Anti-Drug Abuse Commission (CPADAC).
2. For details, please refer to the attached Memorandum and SP Resolution.
3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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**REGION VII, CENTRAL VISAYAS**  
Sudlon, Lahug, Cebu City



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM


No. 439, s. 2015

**PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS RANDOM DRUG TESTING**

To: Schools Division/City Superintendents of:

<b>Bogo City</b>	<b>Cebu Province</b>	<b>Mandaue City</b>	<b>Toledo City</b>
<b>Cebu City</b>	<b>City of Naga</b>	<b>Talisay City</b>	<b>Lapu-Lapu City</b>
<b>Carcar City</b>	<b>Danao City</b>		

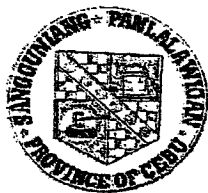
1. The Office of Sangguniang Panlalawigan(SP), Province of Cebu through its SP Resolution No. 1504-2015 enjoins all Public and Private School Teachers in Mainland Cebu to submit themselves to a **Random Drug Testing** to be conducted by the Province of Cebu through the Cebu Provincial Anti-Drug Abuse Commission(CPADAC).
2. For details, please refer to the attached SP Resolution.
3. Wide and immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is highly desired.

  
**JULIET A. JERUTA**  
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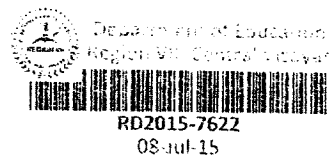
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This is to furnish you copies of SP Resolution Nos. 1495-2015 and 1504-2015 for your information.

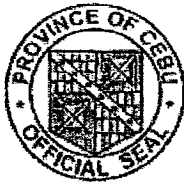
Very truly yours,

  
PULCHRA MARIE E. ACEVEDO  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

Encl: as stated  
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Republic of the Philippines  
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**SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN**  
Cebu Capitol, Cebu City

13<sup>th</sup> SP

21<sup>st</sup>

Session

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 21<sup>ST</sup> REGULAR SESSION HELD BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF CEBU, AT THE SESSION HALL, LEGISLATIVE BUILDING, CAPITOL COMPOUND, CEBU CITY ON JUNE 15, 2015.**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Agnes A. Magpale	Vice Governor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Julian B. Daan	Presiding Officer Pro Tempore
Hon. Arleigh Jay C. Sitoy	Majority Floor Leader
Hon. Jude Thaddeus Durano Sybico	Assistant Majority Floor Leader
Hon. Raul D. Alcoseba	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Peter John D. Calderon	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Christopher R. Baricuatro	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Grecilda P. Sanchez	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Sun J. Shimura	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Miguel Antonio A. Magpale	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Carmen Remedios Durano-Meca	Sanggunian Member (PCL)
Hon. Celestino A. Martinez, III	Sanggunian Member (FABC)

**ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:**

Hon. Joven J. Mondigo, Jr. Sanggunian Member

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Alex S. Bingham	Sanggunian Member
Hon. Thadeo Z. Ouano	Sanggunian Member

**RESOLUTION NO. 1504-2015**

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**AUTHOR : HON. ARLEIGH JAY C. SITOY**  
**CO-AUTHOR: HON. CELESTINO A. MARTINEZ, III**

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**REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (DepEd) REGION VII TO ISSUE A PERTINENT MEMORANDUM ENJOINING BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOL TEACHERS TO SUBMIT THEMSELVES TO A RANDDM DRUG TESTING TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE PROVINCE OF CEBU THROUGH THE CEBU PROVINCIAL ANTI-DRUG ABUSE COMMISSION (CPADAC).**

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Cebu passed a resolution during its June 8 session, enjoining public school teachers to submit themselves to a random drug testing;

WHEREAS, the passage of the resolution was an offshoot of the reported use by teachers of prohibited drugs;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is not only concerned about the impact of the user or addicted teacher's competence in teaching but also their influence over the students who could be swayed into the use of prohibited drugs;

WHEREAS, the resolution passed and approved by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan covered only public schools;

WHEREAS, the possibility of private school teachers using or peddling drugs is not remote;

WHEREAS, Department of Education has supervisory powers not only over public schools but also to private schools as well;

WHEREAS, the Department of Education could discipline teachers by way of a pertinent Memorandum Circular;

WHEREAS, the inclusion of private schools in the suggested Memorandum Circular could stem if not contain the alleged proliferation of drug menace in schools;

WHEREAS, under Local Government Code, it is mandated that the Province of Cebu initiate policy reforms and undertake programs promoting public health and safety, public morals and maintaining peace and order throughout the province;

WHEREAS, random testing of teachers is one program that falls square with the above-mentioned mandate;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Majority Floor Leader/Author, Hon. ARLEIGH JAY C. SITOY, duly seconded by Presiding Officer Pro Tempore, Hon. JULIAN B. DAAN for the approval of the resolution co-authored by Member, Hon. CELESTINO A. MARTINEZ, III, be it


RESOLVED as it is hereby RESOLVED, to request the Department of Education (DepEd) Region VII to issue a pertinent Memorandum enjoining both public and private school teachers to submit themselves to a Random Drug Testing to be conducted by the Province of Cebu through the Cebu Provincial Anti-Drug Abuse Commission (CPADAC).

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the afore-quoted resolution.

APPROVED:

  
AGNES A. MAGPALE  
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

  
PULCHRA MARIE E. ACEVEDO  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

Date: JUN 29 2015