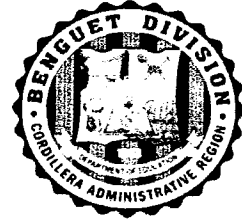




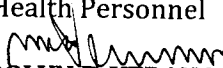
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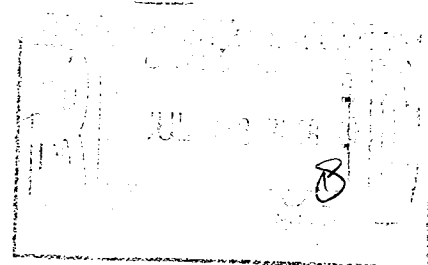
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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To: Public Schools District Supervisors
Coordinating Principals
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
All School Health Personnel

From: 
MARIE CAROLYN B. VERANO, CESO VI
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Subject: **IMPLEMENTATION OF THE POLICY AND GUIDELINES ON HEALTHY FOOD AND BEVERAGE CHOICES IN SCHOOLS AND IN DEPED OFFICES**



1. Attached hereto is DepEd Order No. 13, s. 2017, "Policy and Guidelines on Healthy Food and Beverage Choices in Schools and in DepEd Offices." The Department of Education (DepEd) issued this order for the promotion and development of healthy eating habits among the youth and DepEd employees by making available healthy, nutritious, and affordable menu choices, and for setting food standards.
2. In this regard, all schools shall form a Technical Working Group (TWG) for SY: 2018-2019 to observe and ensure the implementation of these policy and guidelines and the TWG will be composed of:
 - i. School head
 - ii. Teacher-in-charge of canteen
 - iii. Chairperson of canteen cooperative
 - iv. Parent-Teacher Association
3. To include in the functions of the TWG, the inspection of food and beverages being delivered in school from other sources (GO, NGO and other stakeholders):
4. Each school shall submit TWG members' names along with their respective contact numbers to SGOD – School Health and Nutrition Section or through email at mggmatias10@gmail.com on or before July 30, 2018.
5. Wide dissemination and compliance to this memorandum is desired.



The round metal gong of the Cordillera known locally as "gangsa" is a symbol of the upland people's culture that has been passed on from generation to another.
The profile of a person blowing a "tanggujob" represents a community being called for an important matter or action.
The lines that shape the mountains, the rice terraces, clouds and rivers symbolize the connectivity and flow of human interaction in a geographic area such as the Cordillera.
All the symbols combined represent unity and harmony of its people with culture and environment in beating the gong for self-determination.