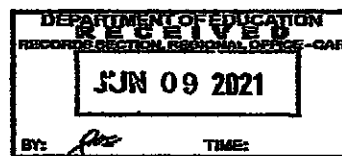




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TO : Minister, **MBTHE-BARMM**
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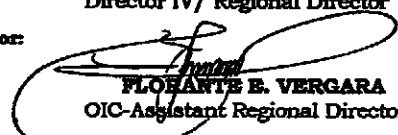
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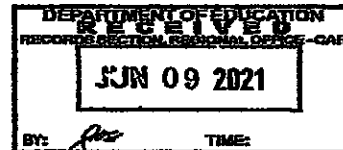
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