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**Department of Education**  
Region VI – Western Visayas  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE - CAPIZ**

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
NO. **459** S. 2023

**2<sup>ND</sup> HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATORS FORUM OF THE  
COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS**

To: OIC, Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisor  
Curriculum Implementation Division  
OIC, Chief Education Supervisor  
School Governance and Operations Division  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Heads of Public Elementary, Secondary and Integrated Schools  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is OULLA-2023-122 signed by Atty. Omar V. Romero, Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs, with subject “2<sup>nd</sup> Human Rights Educators Forum of the Commission on Human Rights”.
2. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**MIGUEL MAC D. APOSIN EdD, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated  
Reference: As stated  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subject:

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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR LEGAL AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

**MEMORANDUM**

OULLA-2023- 122

**FOR :** UNDERSECRETARIES  
ASSISTANT SECRETARIES  
BUREAU AND SERVICE DIRECTORS  
REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS  
PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL HEADS  
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

**FROM :**   
ATTY. OMAR V. ROMERO  
Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs

**SUBJECT :** 2<sup>nd</sup> Human Rights Educators Forum of the Commission on Human Rights

**DATE :** SEP 08 2023

Pursuant to Section 17, Article XIII of the 1987 Constitution, the Commission on Human Rights (CHR) was created as an independent office mandated to, among others, "(e)stablish a continuing program of research, education, and information to enhance respect for the primacy of human rights." To ensure fulfillment of this mandate, Executive Order (EO) No. 163, s. 1987<sup>1</sup> was thereafter enacted declaring the effectivity of the creation of the CHR under the 1987 Constitution.

Accordingly, to enhance respect for the primacy of human rights, the CHR, through the Human Rights Education and Promotion Office (HREPO), will be conducting the "2<sup>nd</sup> Human Rights Educators Forum," with a theme: "Educating for Dignity, Freedom and Justice for All," which is scheduled on **September 13 to 14, 2023, from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm at Diversion 21 Hotel, Iloilo City.**

In this connection, the **Office of the Regional Director, DepEd-Region VI** is enjoined to **designate at least two (2) representatives from Iloilo City** to represent the Department of Education at the said forum. Meanwhile, all Undersecretaries, Assistant Secretaries, Bureau and Service Directors, Regional Directors, Schools Division Superintendents, and Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads, are encouraged to support the event and the advocacy being promoted by the CHR.

For further information on the event, the HREPO may be reached through Mr. John Michael D. Prado at [johnmprado93@gmail.com](mailto:johnmprado93@gmail.com). Attached herewith is the program of activities for ready reference.

For information and appropriate action.

<sup>1</sup> Declaring the Effectivity of the Creation of the Commission on Human Rights as Provided in the 1987 Constitution, Providing Guidelines in the Operation Thereof and for Other Purposes.

