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Region XI Division of Digos City

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Division Memorandum

No. 327, s. 2016

To:

School Principals/Administrators

Private Senior High School Providers

`From:

DEE D. SILVA, DPA, CESO VI,

Schools Division Superintendent

Subject:

Clarification and Additional Information to DepED Order No. 46, s. 2015

Date:

June 29, 2016

Attached herewith are the Unnumbered Regional Memorandum dated June 17, 2016 and the Department Order (DepEd) Order No. 38, s. 2016, providing Clarification and Additional Information to DepEd Order No. 46, s. 2015, entitled "Detailed Guidance on the Implementation of the Senior High School (SHS) Voucher Program".

For information and guidance.

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MEMORANDUM

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Schools Division Superintendents

SUBJECT

CLARIFICATION AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO DEPED ORDER

NO. 46, s. 2015

DATE

June 17, 2016

- 1. Attached is the Department of Education (DepEd) Order No. 38, s. 2016, providing Clarifications and Additional Information to Deped Order No. 46, s. 2015 entitled Detailed Guidelines on the Implementation of the Senior High School (SHS) Voucher Program.
- 2. Immediate dissemination and strict compliance of this Memorandum is desired.

ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO IV

Regional Director

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DepEd ORDER No. 38 s. 2016

CLARIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO DEPED ORDER NO. 46, S. 2015

(Detailed Guidelines on the Implementation of the Senior High School (SHS) Voucher Program)

Undersecretaries To:

Assistant Secretaries

Bureau and Service Directors

Regional Secretary, ARMM

Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Heads

All Others Concerned

Further to DepEd Order (DO) No. 46, s. 2015 entitled Detailed Guidelines on the Implementation of the Senior High School (SHS) Voucher Program, the Department of Education (DepEd) issues this Order to provide the following clarifications and additional information:

a. School Requirements for Participation:

- i. SHS Voucher Program (VP) logo on student ID cards; and
- ii. Opening of bank accounts.

b. Processing of Vouchers and Payments:

- i. Updating of SHS VP Participating School Profile;
- ii. Registration of Qualified Voucher Recipients (QVRs) and Voucher Applications;
- Updating of Voucher Program Beneficiaries (VPBs) Status; and iii.
- Creating Billing Statements.
- 2. The details of the clarifications and additional information are provided in the enclosure.
- This Order supersedes the abovementioned provisions in DO 46, s. 2015 (Items 4 and 5 of Section IV-B and Items A-D of Section VI).
- 4. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Order is directed.

BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC

Secretary

Encl.:

As stated

Reference:

DepEd Order: (No. 46, s. 2015)

To be indicated in the <u>Perpetual Index</u> under the following subjects:

CHANGE
FUNDS
LEARNERS
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PROGRAMS
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SECONDARY EDUCATION
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CLARIFICATIONS ON THE GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (SHS) VOUCHER PROGRAM

A. School Requirements for Participation

1. SHS VP logo on the student ID cards

Attaching the SHS VP logo on student ID cards of QVRs is NO LONGER REQUIRED.

2. Opening of bank accounts

All SHS VP participating schools are required to open a bank account with Land Bank of the Philippines (LBP) where the voucher payments will be transferred. The basis for the opening of bank accounts shall be the SHS permits issued to non-DepEd schools.

Schools with existing LBP accounts still need to open a separate account intended for voucher payments.

Below are the requirements for schools with no existing LBP account.

- a. SEC Certificate of Registration
- b. Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws
- c. Duly notarized Board Resolution or Secretary's Certificate containing the following:
 - i. Authority to open an account with LBP
 - ii. Officers authorized to sign and nature and extent of such authority
 - iii. List of Officers/Board of Directors/Stockholders
 - iv. Certification that the resolution remains effective and subsisting and has not been amended, revoked, or superseded
- d. Latest General Information Sheet (GIS)
- e. Two (2) recent ID photos and at least one (1) valid photo-bearing government-issued ID of signatory/ies
- f. Copy of DepEd SHS permit
- g. Franchise Agreement (if applicable)

Below are the requirements for schools with existing LBP account/s.

- a. Duly notarized Board Resolution or Secretary's Certificate
- b. Two (2) recent ID photos and at least one (1) valid photo-bearing government-issued ID of signatory/ies

The bank account name should bear the name of the school indicated in the SHS permit with the suffix "SHS VP."

For other concerns related to the opening of LBP account, schools may directly coordinate with any LBP branch within their vicinity. For branch locations, pl ease visit https://www.landbank.com/branch-locator.

B. Processing of Vouchers and Payments

All SHS VP participating schools are required to use the following information systems as pre-requisites in the processing of voucher payments:

- Enhanced Basic Education Information System (EBEIS);
- Learner Information System (LIS); and
- Voucher Management System (VMS).

An SHS VP participating school shall use single sign-on in accessing all three information systems. User accounts can be requested from the Schools Division Office (SDO) through the Schools Governance and Operations Division (SGOD)-Planning and Research Unit or the Division IT Officer. For the directory of SDOs, please visithttp://www.deped.gov.ph/directory/division-offices.

After logging on to the EBEIS at http://ebeis.deped.gov.ph, schools may access the LIS and the VMS through the user account dashboard.

Below are the steps in the creation and submission of billing statements.

- 1. Update school profile in the EBEIS.
- 2. Encode learner's profile in the LIS.

Procedures on encoding and data processing for SHS learners in private schools, state universities and colleges (SUCs), and local universities and colleges (LUCs) in the LIS are detailed in DepEd Order No. 34, s. 2016 (Annex A).

Online instructional videos and materials on the LIS can be accessed at http://tinyurl.com/LIS-support.

- 3. Create billing statement in the VMS.
 - a. In the "View School Profile" tab, encode or update the following school details:
 - i. Official E-mail Address
 - ii. Semestral Period
 - iii. School Fees per Track and Strand Offered
 - iv. LBP Bank Account Information
 - v. Signatory
 - vi. Contact Person

- b. In the "View List" tab, check the list of QVRs enrolled in the school for the semester, which is automatically generated from the LIS. In case there are errors in the list, corrections shall be made in the LIS.
- c. In the "Billing Statement" tab, select the QVRs to be included in the billing statement. Review the list and confirm that the names are valid Voucher Program Beneficiaries (VPBs) enrolled in the school for the semester. Please note that in case there are duplicate entries of learners in different schools, the billing statements of schools concerned shall be subject to validation prior to processing of payment.
- d. Print the billing statement in four (4) copies to be signed by the designated School Official.
- e. Prepare the following supporting documents:
 - i. SHS VP Certificate of School Fees the form may be downloaded in the VMS "Downloads" section (Annex B); and
 - ii. STI1 (Savings Account) or IMI1 (Current Account) printout from LBP as of June 2016.
 - iii. Official receipts of voucher payments received in the previous School Year (if applicable)
- f. Submit the following folders to the Private Education Assistance Committee (PEAC) Regional Secretariat:

Folder	Folder		
No.	Title	Documents	Copies
	Billing		
Folder 0	Statement	SHS VP Billing Statement	4 Copies
		STI1/IMI1 (As of June 2016)	
Folder 1	PEAC NS	SHS VP Certificate of School Fees	1 Copy Each
		STI1/IMI1 (As of June 2016)	
		Official receipts of voucher payments	
	DepEd	received in the previous School Year	
Folder 2	Central	(if applicable)	1 Copy Each
		STI1/IMI1 (As of June 2016)	
Folder 3	PEAC RS	SHS VP Certificate of School Fees	1 Copy Each
	School	STI1/IMI1 (As of June 2016)	
Folder 4	Сору	SHS VP Certificate of School Fees	1 Copy Each

g. Billings shall be processed on a first come, first served basis. The indicative processing time is two months from submission, assuming that the documents submitted are complete and in order.

The table below shows the indicative billing process timeline for schools that open in June.

Month*	Activity
June	Encoding and updating ofschool profile in the
	EBEIS and learner's profile in the LIS
July-August	Creation of first semester billing statement in
	the VMS
September-October	Release of first tranche of voucher payment
November	Updating of learner's profile in the LIS
November-December	Creation of second semester billing statement
	in the VMS
January-February	Release of second tranche of voucher payment

^{*}For schools that follow a different academic calendar, the submission of billing statements shall be no more than two months after school opening.