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**NEOCATECHUMENAL WAY ACTIVITIES**

Attached is a communication letter from Allan A. Diaz, Head Responsible, Neocatechumenal Way, V & G, Tacloban City, requesting approval for the conduct of Neocatechumenal way activities to Junior High and Senior High School students.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

More information may be inquired from:

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Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.



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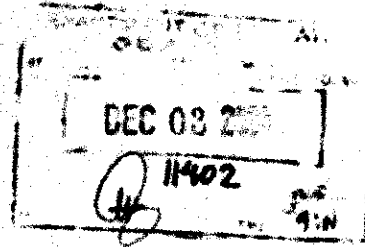
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**DR. EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV**  
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Dear Madame:

Peace and joy in Jesus Christ!

We recall with gratitude the support your office had extended to us, the Neocatechumenal Way communities of the Archdiocese of Palo and its suffragan dioceses (Borongan, Calbayog, Catarman and Naval) in allowing our young people to proclaim and be witnesses of God's love and mercy among fellow youth enrolled in some secondary school in the Region from 2017-2019. This missionary effort was undertaken in response to Pope Francis' call to spread the Good News of salvation to everyone.

Our youth today continue to face serious and often psychologically and debilitating challenges in life that push a good number of them to either commit suicide or engage in other destructive activities such as drug addiction, alcoholism, pornography, etc.


In front of this situation, we in the Neocatechumenal Way recognize the need and urgency to revive this missionary activity that in the past had made a remarkable impact on the lives of young people in selected secondary schools.

Please be assured that we will coordinate closely with the officials of the schools where we plan to carry out this outreach activity.


Attached is a copy of our proposed activities for your reference.

God who always rewards every cheerful giver bestow upon you and your loved ones His abundant blessings. May our Blessed Mother keep you under her mantle of protection forever.

Very truly yours,

  
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**ACTION TAKEN**

Approved  
 Disapproved

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