

## Republic of the Philippines

## Department of Education

REGION VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CALBAYOG CITY

December 3, 2024

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 648\_\_\_, s. 2024

## REITERATION OF DEPED ORDER NO. 052, S. 2022

TO

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chief Education Supervisor (CID & SGOD)

District Advisors

**Public Schools District Supervisors** 

Public & Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

- 1. Pursuant to Memorandum OM-OUOPS-2024-01-09345 and Regional Memorandum ESSD-2024-1508 re: Reiteration of DepED Order No. 052, s. 2022, this Office through the School Governance and Operations Division (SGOD) hereby reminds the field on the strict compliance with the provision stipulated in Section 4 (c) of the said Order which states "celebrations in schools and in DepED offices as far as practicable, should be simple yet meaningful. Christmas party themes should not result to expenses that will become a burden on parents, students, and DepED personnel." Further, Section 4 (d) emphasizes that "contributions for celebrations in schools and offices, whether in cash or in kind, should be strictly voluntary."
- 2. Moreover, this policy emphasizes inclusivity and respect for the diverse beliefs and economic situations of all DepED employees and students.
- Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are earnestly desired.

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OIC-Assp Schools Division Superintendent
Office In-Charge

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