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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

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AMENDMENT TO DEPED ORDER NO. 20, S. 2017
(Guidelines on the Implementation of the Educational Service Contracting
and Teachers' Salary Subsidy Programs in Junior High School
for School Year 2017-2018)

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Regional Secretary, ARMM
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) issued the Guidelines on the Implementation of the Educational Service Contracting and Teachers Salary Subsidy Programs in Junior High School for School Year 2017-2018 through DepEd Order No. 20, s. 2017. However, Item VII.D. Amount of ESC Grant of the enclosure is hereby amended as follows:

From

Table 2. Amounts of the ESC grant for SY 2017-2018 (in PHP per student per SY)

| Grade Level | Schools in National Capital Region (NCR) | Schools Outside NCR |
|-------------|--|---------------------|
| Grade 7 | P11,000.00 | P8,500.00 |
| Grade 8 | P11,000.00 | P8,500.00 |
| Grade 9 | P11,000.00 | P8,500.00 |
| Grade 10 | P10,000.00 | P7,500.00 |

To

Table 2. Amounts of the ESC grant for SY 2017-2018 (in PHP per student per SY)

| Grade Level | Location of ESC-participating JHS | | |
|-------------|--|--|---------------------|
| | Schools in National Capital Region (NCR) | Highly Urbanized Cities (HUCS) Outside NCR | All Other Locations |
| Grade 7 | P13,000.00 | P11,000.00 | P9,000.00 |
| Grade 8 | P11,000.00 | P8,500.00 | P8,500.00 |
| Grade 9 | P11,000.00 | P8,500.00 | P8,500.00 |
| Grade 10 | P10,000.00 | P7,500.00 | P7,500.00 |

2. The increase in the subsidy amounts is intended to lessen the amount of top-up fees shouldered by students and their families. The additional tier in the location of the school is to align the ESC subsidy scheme with that of the Senior High School Voucher Program (SHS VP). Both the increase and tiering were approved by the State Assistance Council (SAC) through a referendum. Both apply only to the subsidies of Grade 7 grantees for SY 2017-2018. The amount of

subsidy for Grades 8-10 grantees shall still be the same as in the previous school year.

3. All other provisions of DO 20, s. 2017 shall remain in full force and effect.
4. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Order is directed.


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Secretary

Reference:

DepEd Order: (No. 20, 2017)

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0013/January 8/17, 2018

Table 1: Allocation of BSC funds per grade level

| Grade Level | Subsidy | Other |
|-------------|------------|------------|
| Grade 7 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |
| Grade 8 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |
| Grade 9 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |
| Grade 10 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |

Table 2: Allocation of BSC funds per region

| Grade Level | Subsidy in National Capital Region (NCR) | Subsidy in Other Regions | All Other Locations |
|-------------|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Grade 7 | 11,000,000 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |
| Grade 8 | 11,000,000 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |
| Grade 9 | 11,000,000 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |
| Grade 10 | 11,000,000 | 11,000,000 | 19,000,000 |

The amount of the subsidy to be allocated to schools is based on the amount of top-up fees collected by students and their families. The amount set in the budget of the school is to cover the BSC subsidy, which is the same as that of the Senior High School. The amount of the subsidy to be allocated to schools is based on the amount of top-up fees collected by students and their families. The amount set in the budget of the school is to cover the BSC subsidy, which is the same as that of the Senior High School.