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Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DAVAO DEL NORTE

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**MONITORING AND EVALUATION OF SCHOOL AND DISTRICT-BASED TRAINING
UNDER CAMPUS JOURNALISM PROGRAM**

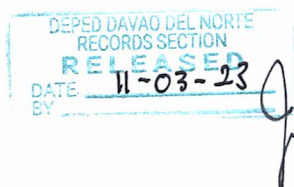
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1. **Republic Act No. 7079**, also known as the *Campus Journalism Act of 1991*, in its Declaration of Policy, stipulates that, “*the State shall uphold and protect the freedom of the press even at the campus level and to promote the development and growth of campus journalism as a means of strengthening ethical values, encouraging critical and creative thinking, and developing moral character and personal discipline of the Filipino youth. In furtherance of this policy, the State shall undertake various programs and projects aimed at improving the journalistic skills of students concerned and promoting responsible and free journalism*”.
2. Given the provisions of RA No. 7079, the Schools Division of Davao del Norte has strengthened its advocacy on press freedom at campus levels throughout the years as evident by its performances in the different levels of journalistic competitions and school paper publications.
3. Concurrently, schools and districts of the Division are conducting their school and district-based training on journalistic writing and school papering. With this, Education Program Supervisors of the Campus Journalism Program are instructed to conduct monitoring and evaluation of the said activities.
4. Travel expenses of the Education Program Supervisors in the Campus Journalism Program shall be chargeable against Division MOOE and other sources of funds for Campus Journalism subject for usual accounting and auditing.
5. Everyone is highly encouraged to continually support and recognize the value of equality and diversity of all personnel while complying with the directives set forth by this office.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

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