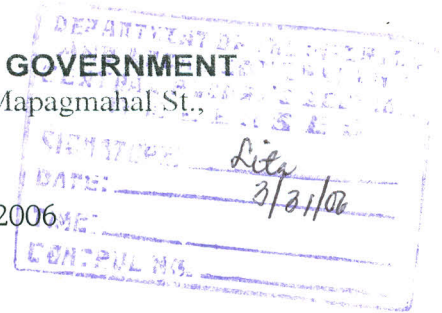




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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 2006-35

TO : ALL LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVES AND DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS, REGIONS I, II, III, IV-A, IV-B, V, CAR AND NCR

SUBJECT : 6TH LUZON ISLAND CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINE COUNCILORS LEAGUE

The Philippine Councilors League will hold their 6th Luzon Island Congress on May 24-26, 2006 at Legend Hotel, Subic Bay Freeport Zone, with the theme: "Pagkakaisa: Susi Sa Pag-Unlad Ng Bansa".

In this connection, all City Mayors and Municipal Mayors in Luzon are hereby encouraged to allow the members of their sanggunian to attend the said activity on official business. The payment of applicable traveling expenses, and a registration fee in the amount of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 7,500.00), per participant, to defray the costs of hotel accommodation, meals and conference materials, may be authorized chargeable against local funds, subject to the availability thereof, and to the usual accounting and auditing requirements and to all pertinent laws, rules and regulations. Provided, that, the traveling expenses and registration fees of local government participants are explicitly provided in the CY 2006 Appropriations of concerned local government units, and provided further, that, such amounts shall not be charged against the 20% Development Fund, or from whatever source that may prejudice on-going poverty alleviation efforts.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

By Authority of the Secretary:


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