

Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 2008-48

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TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : VICE MAYORS' LEAGUE OF THE PHILIPPINES 17th NATIONAL CONVENTION

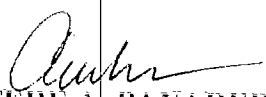
The Vice Mayors' League of the Philippines will hold their 17th National Convention on April 17-19, 2008 at the Manila Hotel, with the theme, 'Excellence in Local Legislation through Information and Communications Technology'.

In this connection, all City Mayors and Municipal Mayors are hereby encouraged to allow their Vice Mayors, to attend the said convention on official business. The payment of applicable traveling expenses, and a registration fee in the amount of Twelve Thousand Pesos (PhP 12,000.00), per participant, to defray the costs of hotel accommodation, meals and assembly materials per participant, exclusive of annual dues 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 shall not be charged against the 20% component of the Internal Revenue Allotment or from whatever source that may prejudice on-going poverty alleviation efforts.

Upon the request of the VMLP, all members who have not yet paid their term-membership fees are hereby reminded to pay such fees, a one-time payment for the whole term, in the amount of Ten Thousand Pesos (Php 10,000.00).

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

By the Authority of the Secretary:


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