

## Republic of the Philippines

## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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## MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

NO. 2014-138

TO

ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY/MUNICIPALORIES

MAYORS, PUNONG BARANGAYS, DILG REGIONAL

DIRECTORS AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT

DEAF AWARENESS WEEK CELEBRATION

The country will be celebrating the Deaf Awareness Week (DAW) on November 10 to 16 with this year year's theme "Healthy Ear: Advocacy and Responsibility" pursuant to Presidential Proclamation NO. 829 entitled "Declaring the Period from November 10-16 of Every Year as "Deaf Awareness Week".

In this regard, we enjoin all Local Government Units to support the observance of the above-mentioned celebration by conducting fitting activities such as but not limited to the following:

- 1. Hanging of streamers in conspicuous places;
- 2. Seminar-Workshop on Photography for the Deaf;
- 3. Art Workshop;
- 4. Basic Sign Language Orientation;
- 5. Trade Fair of Products of the Deaf and other PWDs;
- 6. Forum on Employment for Persons with Disabilities;
- 7. Orientation-Forum on Justice and Rights of PWDs; and
- 8. Medical Mission (hearing test)

For related inquiries, all concerned may coordinate with Ms. Carmen B. Zubiaga, Acting Executive Director, National Council on Disability Affairs at Telephone Nos. (02) 932-4348 and 957-5013.

All DILG Regional Directors are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Circular and extend necessary assistance thereof.

For information and guidance of all concerned.

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