



## **2016 MISS UNIVERSE PAGEANT IN THE PHILIPPINES**

Memorandum Circular No. 2017-15  
January 27, 2017

### **1.0 Background**

The Philippines will host the 2016 Miss Universe Pageant on January 30, 2017 where it will bring international prestige, publicity, goodwill and economic benefit to the country. The event is a great opportunity for the Philippines to show the country's natural attractions, modern infrastructure facilities and above all, the warmth of the Filipino people.

### **2.0 Purpose**

The purpose of the policy is to enjoin all DILG Offices, ARMM Regional Government and local government units, to support the hosting of the 2016 Miss Universe Pageant in the Philippines

### **3.0 Scope/Coverage**

All Provincial Governors, City and Municipal Mayors, DILG Regional Directors, ARMM Regional Governor, and all others concerned.

### **4.0 Policy Content and Guidelines**

- 4.1 All heads of DILG Offices, ARMM Regional Government, and LGUs, are hereby enjoined to extend full support for the hosting of the Pageant, in coordination with the DOT.
- 4.2 The DOT may call upon any such department, bureau, office, agency or instrumentality of the government, including GOCCs and SUCs, LGUs, and non-government organizations (NGOs) for assistance as the circumstances and exigencies may require.
- 4.3 Officials concerned shall adopt such measures as may be necessary to ensure that there will be no disruption of work and services in their respective offices.
- 4.4 Except for such reasonable resources required in providing support for the hosting of the Pageant, no public funds shall be expended for the hosting of the 2016 Miss Universe Pageant.

### **5.0 References**

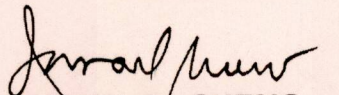
- 5.1 Letter from Director Marianito M. Dimaandal, the Office of the President of the Philippines, Malacañang
- 5.2 Memorandum Circular No.13, Office of the President

### **6.0 Effectivity**

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately.



**7.0 Approving Authority**

  
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**8.0 Feedback**



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