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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

NO. 2008-49


**SUBJECT : FIRE SAFETY AWARENESS CAMPAIGN
IN SCHOOLS**

Per Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2006-1, s. 2006, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) and the Department of Education (DepEd) directed the implementation of the Kiddie/Junior Fire Marshal Project whereby fire safety practices shall be taught in all elementary and high schools in the country with the use of twenty-two teaching modules incorporated in various subjects. However, based on the feedback from the field, it appears that such modules have not yet been made available to a considerable number of schools.

Accordingly, the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP) through its city and municipal fire stations shall communicate and coordinate with the school heads or principals in their respective areas of jurisdiction for the purpose of making the teaching modules available for use in the classrooms starting school year 2008-2009. School heads and principals are encouraged to utilize the teaching modules in their respective schools.

Such teaching modules may be downloaded from the DILG website at www.dilg.gov.ph, or copies thereof may be obtained from the Office of the Undersecretary for Public Safety at the 10th Floor, A. Francisco Gold Condominium II, EDSA cor. Mapagmahal Street, Quezon City, with Telephone Nos. 920-7783 and 925-9114.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.


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