



**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**

NO. 2015-140

**TO :** ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS, THE ARMM REGIONAL GOVERNOR, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS, AND OTHERS CONCERNED

**SUBJECT :** 119<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE MARTYRDOM OF DR. JOSE RIZAL

On December 30, 2015 marks the 119<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Martyrdom of Dr. Jose Rizal. In the observance of the said anniversary, all Local Chief Executives are enjoined to conduct simple but meaningful activities such as flag-raising and wreath-laying rites, display of Philippine flag in LGU offices, civic parade, and other related activities in their respective localities.

The national government thru the National Historical Commission of the Philippines will be spearheading a commemorative program at the Rizal National Monument, Rizal Park, Manila on 30 December 2015 at 7:00 o'clock in the morning.

All DILG officials and personnel, including local officials of various Local Government Units (LGUs) are enjoined to participate in the said program.

All DILG Regional Directors and the ARMM Regional Governor are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Circular to all local governments within their respective jurisdictions.

  
**MEL SENEN S. SARMIENTO**  
 Secretary

