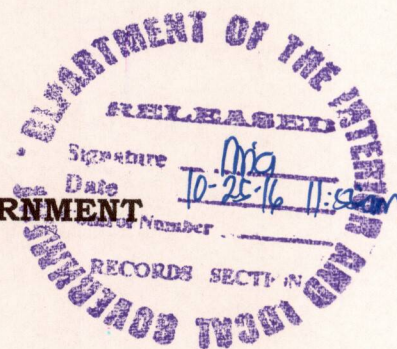


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**TO :** ALL CITY AND MUNICIPAL MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND THE REGIONAL GOVERNOR OF ARMM

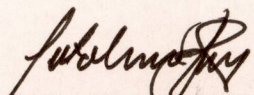
**SUBJECT :** LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACTIONS ON PEACEFUL AND SAFE OBSERVANCE OF UNDAS 2016

In order to ensure that the forthcoming Undas 2016 is observed peacefully and safely, considering the immense number of people that shall travel to and from the different regions in the country, all City and Municipal Mayors are hereby directed to:

1. Convene the Local Peace and Order Council to formulate a contingency plan on peace and order and public safety;
2. Cause the mobilization and deployment of law enforcers, barangay tanods, and medical personnel in:
  - a. The vicinity of public and private cemeteries and memorial parks to ensure peace and order and public safety;
  - b. Local and national roads to provide assistance and intensify visibility to the travelling public and motorists, and intensify effective traffic management; and
  - c. Critical areas within the city or municipality to prevent the entry and exit of lawless elements and to apprehend individual/s violating rules to ensure safe observance of Undas 2016;
3. See to it that cleanliness and orderliness in cemeteries and other public places before, during and after Undas 2016 are maintained; and
4. Implement other necessary measures towards a peaceful and meaningful observance of Undas 2016.

All DILG Regional Directors and the Regional Governor of the ARMM are directed to cause the immediate and widest dissemination of this Memorandum Circular within their jurisdictions, and to ensure that the same is effectively communicated to all concerned local authorities.

For compliance

  
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