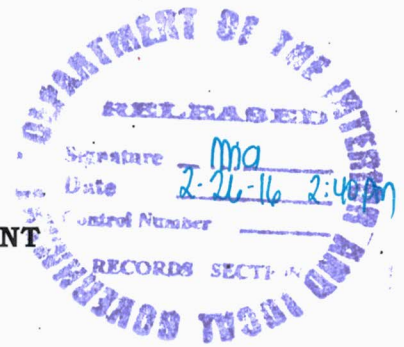




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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR  
No. 2016-28

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TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY AND MUNICIPAL MAYORS,  
PUNONG BARANGAYS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : OBSERVANCE OF 12<sup>th</sup> WOMEN WITH DISABILITIES DAY  
CELEBRATION

Pursuant to Proclamation No. 744 (2004), Every last Monday of March every year is declared as "Women with Disabilities Day". This year we will celebrate the said occasion with the theme "Kapakanan at Karapatan ni Juanang Maykapansanan, Isama sa Plano ng Bayan" on March 28, 2016 which aims to promote and advocate the full participation of women with disabilities and the integration of all their human endeavors in the government's overall national development plan.

In this connection, all Local Government Units are therefore enjoined to support the observance by conducting fitting activities such as but not limited to the following:

- Hanging of advocacy streamers/tarpaulins in strategic places
- Orientation-Workshop cum Communication Planning on Republic Act 10354 also known as "The Responsible Parenthood and Reproductive Health Act of 2012"
- Forum on Reproductive Health Law and Action Research on Gender and Disability Inclusive Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM)

The layout/design of the streamer can be downloaded from the NCDA website <http://www.ncda.gov.ph>. For more information you may contact Mr. Rizalio R. Sanchez and/or Mr. Jayme J. Mariño of NCDA thru telephone nos. 951-5013, 932-6422 local 111 or thru email address: council@ncda.gov.ph.

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

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

By the Authority of the Secretary:

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