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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**

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

**SUBJECT : 2016 2<sup>nd</sup> YOUTH ENVIRONMENTAL SUMMIT**

Pursuant to AD Ref Resolution No. 27, series of 2016, of the National Youth Commission, Office of the President, the conduct of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Youth Environment Summit (YES), is endorsed, to be held on June 22-24, 2016 at Teacher’s Camp, Baguio City, through the Alliance for Green Philippines Inc.

The summit with the theme: “Mainstreaming Climate Change Mitigation and Disaster Risk Reduction in Youth Programs and in Barangay Governance Towards Building Resilient Communities”, aims to enhance the leadership and communication skills of the participants and make them Green Ambassadors who will initiate activities and projects in their respective localities that would help mitigate the impact of climate change.

Relative thereto, all Local Chief Executives are hereby encouraged to send selected young officers and employees, preferably those engaged in disaster preparedness, environment protection and community development and outreach, on official business.

Travelling expenses and a registration fee may be authorized chargeable against local funds subject to the availability thereof and to all pertinent laws, rules and regulations provided that the travelling expenses and registration fee shall not be charged against the 20% component of the Internal Revenue Allotment or from whatever source that may prejudice on-going poverty alleviation efforts.

For further inquiries, all concerned may coordinate with Alliance for Green Philippines, Inc., Lores Country Plaza, ML Quezon Street, Barangay San Roque, Antipolo City, or through Telephone No. (02) 579 1200, or through email at greenphilippines.info@gmail.com.

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.

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