

Republic of the Philippines OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

CHED MEMORANDUM ORDER

No. <u>31</u> Series of 2006

TO

All CHED Regional Office Directors

Presidents/Heads of Public and Private Higher Educations Institution

SUBJECT:

PARTICIPATION OF TERTIARY STUDENTS IN THE TREE

PLANTING PROJECT ENTITLED "PHILIPPINE HIGHWAY

GREEN CHAIN PROJECT"

Date

June 16, 2006

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (RA) 9163 or the National Service Training Program (NSTP) Act of 2001 specifically Section 3 thereof, and in accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (R.A) No. 7722, otherwise known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994", and Memorandum of Commitment by and among the Department of Environment and Natural Resources. Department of Interior and Local Government, Department of Public Works and Highways, other Government Agencies and Non-Government Organizations and Commission on Higher Education, as the National Steering Committee and Technical Working Committees for a joint undertaking of a tree planting project to be dubbed as the "Philippine Highway Green Chain Project", it is requested that tree planting activities be included under the NSTP-CWTS social development concerns and as one of the requirements for "graduation of students in public and private tertiary/higher education institutions.

Wide and immediate dissemination of the CHED Memorandum Order is desired.

Issued this 30 day of June 2006, Pasig City

For the Commission:

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Chairman

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