

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

CHED MEMORANDUM ORDER (CMO)

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SUBJECT: PROJECT W.A.T.C.H – AN ADVOCACY MOVEMENT FOR PUNCTUALITY AND HONESTY

To: CHED Regional Directors

Presidents/Heads of Private Colleges and Universities Presidents/Heads of State Colleges and Universities Presidents/Heads of Local Colleges and Universities

- 1. The Commission on Higher Education and the JCI Senate Philippines have entered into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) on the conduct of **Project W.A.T.C.H** (We Are Time Conscious and Honest) an Advocacy Movement for Punctuality and Honesty which was signed last September 24, 2008 in Quezon City, Philippines.
- 2. The Mission of the W.A.T.C.H. Movement is aimed at strengthening the values of punctuality and honesty towards a living legacy. Its Vision is to undertake effective programs, projects, and other activities to enhance the importance of punctuality and honesty as elements of success in our daily lives
- 3. Higher Education institutions are encouraged to undertake the Project W.A.T.C.H. consisting of national competitions, symposia and fora among college students and faculty members/instructors. The core activity in implementing the W.A.T.C.H. Movement will be by way of a series of seminars and orientations for college students, complimenting their existing curriculum to be undertaken with the JCI Senate network and institutional partners nationwide.
- 4. Among the activities are: free regional and national conferences and workshops on time management and planning for students and faculty members/instructors to be conducted by the JCI Senate; conduct of oratorical contests, debates, and balagtasan,

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time games for students and the distribution of time management tools and materials intended to effectively promote W.A.T.C.H. among the students and faculty members/instructors.

- 5. The mechanics of the W.A.T.C.H. activities and contests will be announced through a CHED Memorandum.
- 6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

Issued this 12th day of November 2008 at Quezon City.

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Chairman