

REGION III – CENTRAL LUZON SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SCIENCE CITY OF MUNOZ

1 September 2025

### SCHOOLS DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 2025

DISSEMINATION OF REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 255, S. 2025 TITLED "SUBMISSION OF LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION INCIDENTS FOR THE SCHOOL YEARS (SY) 2023-2024 AND 2024-2025

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schoolheads
Guidance Counselors and/or Guidance Designate/Advocate
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 255, s. 2025, titled "Submission of Learner Rights and Protection Incidents for the School Years (SY) 2023-2024 and 2024-2025", this Office, through the School Governance and Operations Division – Learner Rights and Protection (SGOD – LRP), directs all schools to comply on the submission of Learner Rights and Protection Incidents for the following school years in accordance with the schedule below:

School Year 2023-2024 – on or before September 8, 2025 School Year 2024-2025 – on or before November 7, 2025

- 2. In relation to this, an online coordination meeting will be conducted on September 3, 2025, 11:00 a.m. via MS Teams through this link: https://tinyurl.com/LRP-Consolidation-2324-2425. Participants are the School Guidance Counselor and/or Guidance Designate/Advocate.
- 3. In addition, School Guidance Counselor and/or Guidance Designate/Advocate shall submit a copy of the uploaded report through this link: https://forms.office.com/r/jHgiNQUYub on or before September 8, 2025.
- 4. Attached to this Memorandum are the following:
  - a. Enclosure No. 1 Memorandum DM-OUOPS-2025-11-04284; and
  - b. Enclosure No. 2 Regional Memorandum No. 255, s. 2025
- 5. The school-based Consolidation Data Sheet can be download at https://tinyurl.com/4vhn4sxf.
- 6. For questions and clarifications, please communicate with Mr. Allen Jhay C. Luquias, PDO I, through his email address <u>allen.luquias@deped.gov.ph</u> or cellphone number 0917-159-4590.



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7. Immediate and widest dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

JOHANNA W. GERVACIO PhD, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl: as stated Reference: RM No. 255, s. 2025 To be indicated in the Perpetua Index Under the following subjects:

LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION INCIDENT SY 2023-2024 2024-2025

PDO l/LFD/validation and consolidation of bullying incidents  $009/\mathrm{February}\ 18,\ 2025$ 

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Enclosure No. 1 to Schools Division Memorandum No. 268 s. 2025



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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR OPERATIONS

MEMORANDUM
DM-OUOPS-2025

FOR

ATTY. FATIMA LIPP D. PANONTONGAN

Undersecretary and Chief of Staff

Office of the Secretary

FROM

MALCOLM S. GARMA

Assistant Secretary, Officer-In Charge, Office of the Undersecretary for Operations

SUBJECT

REQUEST FOR CLEARANCE TO COLLECT, CONSOLIDATE, AND

VALIDATE REPORTED LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION

**CONCERNS FOR S.Y. 2023-2024** 

DATE

: July 7, 2025

The Office of the Undersecretary for Operations, through the Bureau of Learner Support Services-Learner Rights and Protection Division (BLSS-LRPD), proposes to collect, consolidate, and validate reported learner rights and protection (LRP) concerns from School Year 2023-2024.

The BLSS-LRPD systematically prepares, maintains, and submits data on LRP incidents and conditions affecting learners. To be able to develop, analyze, and interpret LRP data, the BLSS-LRPD must collect, consolidate, and validate information from the schools through the Child Protection Committees. Relatedly, the data that will be collected through this initiative will be utilized to support and validate the information being collected yearly by the Policy and Planning Service-Educational Management Information System Division.

For the consideration of the Undersecretary and Chief of Staff.

Should you find it favorable, we humbly request that you indicate your approval on the space provided below.

For questions and/or concerns, your staff may contact this Office through email at ouops@deped.gov.ph (cc: blss.od@deped.gov.ph and lrpo@deped.gov.ph).

Thank you very much.

Approved
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Further Comments/Remarks



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TO

Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

School Heads

Regional and Division Learner Rights and Protection Focal Persons

All Others Concerned

FROM

MALCOLM S. GARMA

Assistant Secretary, Office of the Undersecretary for Opticalions

SUBJECT :

COLLECTION, CONSOLIDATION, AND VALIDATION OF REPORTED

LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION CONCERNS FOR S.Y. 2023-

DATE

: July 7, 2025

The Bureau of Learner Support Services-Learner Rights and Protection Division (BLSS-LRPD) is mandated to lead in the planning, implementation, coordination, monitoring, and evaluation of programs, projects, and activities related to learner rights and protection at all governance levels of the Department.

As one of its fundamental mandates, the BLSS-LRPD monitors and evaluates (M&E) programs that uphold the rights and protection of learners across all levels of governance. As part of its M&E responsibilities, the BLSS-LRPD systematically prepares, maintains, and submits data on incidents and conditions affecting learners. These data are vital in shaping future policies, programs, advocacy campaigns, and other initiatives aimed at promoting learner welfare

Further, under the different learner rights and protection (LRP) policies! of the Department, as amended by DepEd Order (D.O.) No. 3, s. 2021,2 all schools shall submit data on reported learner rights and protection concerns, which shall then be consolidated and validated by the Schools Division and Regional Offices (SDO and RO).

In light of the foregoing considerations, this Office earnestly calls for the attention and active cooperation of the schools, Schools Division Offices, and Regional Offices in the timely collection, consolidation, and validation of the reported LRP incidents for School Year (S.Y.) 2023-2024, recognizing the critical importance of accurate and complete data submission.

#### Implementation Phases

To ensure the accuracy and completeness of data, the collection, consolidation, and validation process shall be divided into three (3) phases:

D.O. Nos. 40, s. 2012, 55, s. 2013, and 18, s. 2015.

Creation of the Child Protection Unit and the Child Rights in Education Desk in the Department of



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Enclosure No. 2 to Schools Division Memorandum No. 248 s. 2025



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 255, s. 2025

#### SUBMISSION OF LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION INCIDENTS FOR THE SCHOOL YEARS (SY) 2023-2024 AND 2024-2025

To

Schools Division Superintendents Chiefs, School Governance and Operation Division Division Learner Rights and Protection Focal Persons Public and Private Secondary and Elementary School Heads

All Others Concerned

- In line with the Department of Education's commitment to uphold learner protection and promote a safe and nurturing school environment, it is imperative that all reports are accurate, complete, and submitted in a timely manner. The Learner Rights and Protection Division (LRPD) is mandated to collect consolidate, and analyze data on learner rights and protection concerns for policy recommendation and resource allocation on the implementation of the learner rights and protection programs, projects and activities.
- In this regard, the Learner Rights and Protection Division (LRPD) requests all
  public and private secondary and elementary schools to submit the reported learner
  right and protection cases for the school years (SY) 2023-2024 and 2024- 2025.
- The primary objective of gathering data on Learner Rights and Protection is to systematically document, assess, and respond to incidents and concerns affecting the safety, rights and well-being of learners within at the school level.
- Furthermore, the Division Learner Rights and Protection Coordinators are requested to monitor the submission of their respective schools and submit to this Office the summary of submission for SY 2023-2024 on September 15, 2025 while, for SY 2024-2025 on December 20, 2025.

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- For inquiries and clarifications, you may directly coordinate with Dr. Ginno Jhep A. Pacquing, Project Development Officer IV, Education Support Services Division through email address at ginnojhep.pacquing@deped.gov.ph.
- For immediate dissemination and compliance.

RONNIE S. MALLARI, PhD, CESO V

Regional Director

Encl.: Instructional Guide for Submission Reference: DM- OUOPS-2025-11-04284 To be indicated Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

> LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION DATA COLLECTION

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# INSTRUCTIONAL GUIDE FOR THE PROPER SUBMISSION OF LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION INCIDENTS

To ensure the accuracy and completeness of data, the collection, consolidation, and validation process shall be divided into three (3) phases:

Phase	Procedure	Expected Output
Phase 1: Collection and Consolidation	Step 1: The school- CPC d chairperson shall fill in the School-Based Consolidation Data Sheet (Bullying, Abuse, CAR, CICL and Other LRP concerns).	Signed school-based consolidation data sheet.  Accomplished Google
	(https://tinyurl.com/4vhn4sxf)	Forms through the link provided herein.
	Step 2: The school- CPC chairperson shall transfer the data from the School-Based Consolidation Data Sheet to the Google Forms link provided herein.	Consolidated data by the Central Office (Operations Strand-BLSS-LRPD)
	Step 3: The Central Office (Operations Strand-BLSS-LRPD) shall consolidate the data submitted by the schools and disaggregate the number of reported incidents per Regional and Division level. The disaggregated data by governance level shall be released to the field offices for the validation of focal persons from the ROs and SDOs.	using the data submitted by the schools
<b>Phase 2:</b> Validation	Step 4: The focal persons from RO and SDO shall validate the data released by the Central Office (Operations Strand-BLSS-LRPD).	Validated data by the focal persons from RO and SDO
	Step 5: The ROs shall consolidate the validated data.	Consolidated data validated by the focal persons from RO and SDO



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Phase 3: Analysis and Interpretation	Step 6: The focal persons from RO and SDO shall analyze and interpret the data.	Analyzed and interpreted LRP data (Regional level)
	Step 7: The LRPD shall collect and review the analysis and interpretation of LRP data.	Consolidated and complete reports on LRP incidents with analysis and interpretation

All public and private elementary and secondary schools are hereby instructed to observe the following guidelines for Phase I: Data Collection and Consolidation:

- Timeline for the Collection and Consolidation of Data It shall be noted that separate timelines shall be observed for the collection and consolidation of data for S.Y. 2023-2024 and S.Y. 2024-2025. The following schedule shall apply:
  - a. Data Collection for S.Y. 2023-2024 The collection process shall commence upon the issuance of this Memorandum and shall be concluded on September 15, 2025.
  - Data Collection for S.Y. 2024-2025 The collection process shall begin in the fourth quarter of this year and shall close on December 15, 2025. There will be a separate Memorandum for the commencement of the collection process for S.Y. 2024-2025.
- Data to be Collected and Consolidated
  - a. Number of incidents on child abuse, violence, exploitation, neglect, bullying, children-at-risk (CAR), and children in conflict with the law (CICL):
  - b. Number of schools with localized child protection policies, and antibullying policies; and
  - c. Number of schools with established child protection committees (CPC).
- Manner of Data Collection

All public and private elementary and secondary schools shall collect the reported LRP incidents in their respective schools. To ensure the accuracy of data, schools shall observe the following guidelines:

a. Reporting/Listing of LRP incidents should be based on the definition provided under D.O. Nos. 40, s. 2012, 55, s. 2013, and 18, s. 2015. School heads/administrators and guidance counselors/guidance designates are highly encouraged to review the said policies to ensure that the data to be provided are accurate.



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- All LRP concerns to be reported/listed should have documentation (i.e., with incident/narrative reports, intervention plan, intake sheets and other documents showing referral to partner agencies);
- School heads/ administrators and guidance counselors/guidance designates shall be held liable for concealment of LRP incidents.

#### IV. Manner of Data Consolidation

- a. All public and private elementary and secondary schools shall consolidate the data collected using the School-Based Consolidation Data Sheet and submit it to the Central Office (Operations Strand-LRPD) through Google Forms.
- b. The Central Office (Operations Strand-BLSS-LRPD) shall consolidate the submitted data by the schools. The data shall be disaggregated per RO and SDO, which shall then be released to the field offices for validation by the LRPD Focal Persons.

#### V. Manner of Submission

- a. The school shall submit its report to the Central Office (Operations Strand-BLSS-LRPD) by accomplishing the Google Form and attaching the School-Based Consolidation Data Sheet (Bullying, Abuse, CAR, CICL and Other LRP concerns) and the corresponding documentations of the reported LRP incidents (i.e., incident/narrative reports, intervention plan, intake sheets, and other documents showing referral to partner agencies).
- Schools may download the School-Based Consolidation Data Sheet from <a href="https://tinyurl.com/4vhn4sxf">https://tinyurl.com/4vhn4sxf</a>.
- c. Separate Google Form links will be provided for Elementary, Junior High School, and Senior High School levels. Each school is required to accomplish the appropriate form based on the school levels they offer (i.e., School ABC is offering Elementary and Junior High School. Therefore, School ABC shall accomplish the forms for Elementary and Junior High School). Schools may access the designated forms through the following links:
  - i. Kindergarten: https://tinyurl.com/5daeeeb8
  - ii. Elementary: https://tinyurl.com/4npkkfdj
  - iii. Junior High School: https://tinyurl.com/cjrhe99d
  - iv. Senior High School: https://tinyurl.com/yc4xujkw



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