ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR: HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES, DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS, AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

SUBJECT: 2019 International Day of Persons with Disabilities

The National Council on Disability Affairs (NCDA) shall lead the observance of International Day of Persons with Disabilities (IDPD) on December 3, 2019 in accordance with UN General Assembly Resolution 47/3 issued on October 14, 1992.

With the theme "Promoting the participation of persons with disabilities and their leadership: taking action on the 2030 Development Agenda", it focuses on the empowerment of persons with disabilities for inclusive, equitable and sustainable development as envisaged in the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which pledges to ‘leave no one behind’ and recognizes disability as a cross-cutting issue, to be considered in the implementation of its 17 Sustainable Development Goals.

To promote public awareness in the observance of the event, all government agencies are enjoined to extend their full support through the following activities:

- Display of the 2019 IDPD official streamer in the agency's premises including Regional and Field Offices (design can be downloaded at the NCDA website at http://www.ncda.gov.ph);
- Seminar-Orientations on the Rights of Persons with disabilities;
- Cultural and Sports Activities for Persons with disabilities; and,
- Participation in IDPD related activities.

For more information, agencies may coordinate with Mr. Rizalio R. Sanchez and/or Mr. Jayme J. Mariño at telephone numbers (02) 8951-5013 and (02) 8932-6422 local 111.

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