MEMORANDUM FROM THE DIRECTOR
No. 51, series 2015

For: Presidents/Heads of Public and Private Colleges and Universities in the National Capital Region

Subject: Declaring November 17 & 20, 2015 as School Holidays During the APEC Leaders’ Meeting

Date: September 18, 2015

Per Memorandum from the CHED Executive Director dated September 9, 2015 and in view of the scheduled APEC Economic Leaders’ Meeting on November 18-19, 2015, which was declared as Special Non-Working Days in National Capital Region per Proclamation No. 1072, series of 2015, the Commission on Higher Education is declaring November 17 & 20, 2015 as “school holidays” to contribute to the security of the APEC Leaders and avoid road infractions/traffic alterations.

In view of this, all higher education institutions in the National Capital Region are hereby enjoined to give their students alternative activities and assignments to keep them off campus and roads on the said dates.

Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is hereby desired.

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Director IV
Proclamation No. 1072, s. 2015

Signed on July 13, 2015

MALACAÑAN PALACE
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 1072

DECLARING 18 AND 19 NOVEMBER 2015 AS SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAYS IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR)

WHEREAS, the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) is a regional economic forum established to leverage the growing interdependence of the Asia-Pacific;

WHEREAS, APEC 2015 is being hosted by the Philippines;

WHEREAS, the APEC Economic Leaders' Meeting (AELM), to be attended by twenty-one (21) world leaders, is scheduled to be held on the 18th and 19th of November 2015 in Metro Manila;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAQUITO N. OCHOA, JR., Executive Secretary, by authority of His Excellency, BENIGNO S. AQUINO III, do hereby declare the 18th and 19th of November 2015, as special (non-working) days in the National Capital Region.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

DONE, in the City of Manila, this 13th day of July, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Fifteen.

By authority of the President:

(Sgd.) PAQUITO N. OCHOA, JR.
Executive Secretary