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SUBJECT

: Creation of a Records Management Improvement Committee.

In compliance to the provisions of Department of Education, Culture and Sports (DECS) Order No. 13-B, Series of 1988, there is hereby created a Records Management Improvement Committee (RMIC) to serve as an Advisory Body on matters pertaining to all phases of Records Management, particularly in the development of the records disposition schedule and such other matters towards the improvement of its systems and procedures.

The Committee shall be composed of the following:

Chief, Administrative Service

- Chairman

Chief, Records and Documents

Division

- Vice-Chairman

Chief, Records Division, Land

Management Bureau

- Member

Representative of the Legal

Service

- Member

Representative of the Planning

and Policy Service

- Member

Representative of the HEA

- Member

Representative of the Management

Division

- Member

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The Committee shall perform the following functions:

- 1. Formulate new policies and guidelines in the creation of communications/administrative issuances;
- 2. Formulate policies and guidelines for the identification and preservation of records of permanent value and the sale/destruction of valueless records;
- 3. Establish a Records Disposition Program to solve problems of space, time and money;
- 4. Creats sub-committees to be composed of qualified employees representing each of the various units maintaining records to conduct inventory and appraisal of their respective file;
- 5. Formulate and recommend Records Retention and Disposal Schedule to include inventory, evaluation and determination of time and utility values and retention periods of records; and
- 6. Coordinate with the Records Management and Archives Office, DECS and COA concerning records management matters.

The RMIC shall meet/convene regularly or whenever necessary upon the call of the Chairman and submit recommendations to the Secretary in support of its objective/functions.

All expenses to be incurred by the abovementioned officials in the performance of their duties/responsibilities shall be chargeable against agency fund, subject to accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect immediately.

UGENCIO S, FACTORAN, JR. Secretary