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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 2003-207

October 14, 2003

TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : INTER-CITIES CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS

The League of Cities of the Philippines (LCP), in coordination with the National Chess Federation of the Philippines (NCFP), the Philippine Sports Commission (PSC), the Philippine Olympics Committee (POC), the Federation International Des Echecs, and this Department, will hold the Inter-Cities Chess Championships in Mandaluyong City, Metro Manila on November 4-6, 2003.

The said chess tournament is a qualifying match to determine the top three (3) Philippine Cities Teams that will compete with other teams from 40 participating Asian countries during the Dubai Asian Cities Chess Championships Cup (DAC4) on February 26-29, 2004. This international event will be hosted by the Philippines.

In this connection, all City Mayors are hereby enjoined to participate in the Inter-Cities Chess Championships by sending at least one team from their localities to compete in the tournament, and to provide, from out of local funds, an entry fee of Two Thousand and Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 2,500.00) per city team, subject to applicable rules and regulations, to defray technical expenses. The said entry fee shall be payable to the NCFP.

For other details, interested parties are advised to communicate directly with the LCP President, Mayor Francis N. Tolentino, with office address at Unit 1209 Cityland Condominium 10 Tower II, Cor. Valero and dela Costa Streets, Makati City, through Telephone No. 892-66-81, or through their Email Address at secretariat@lcp.ph.

For the information of all concerned.

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