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Republic of the Philippines Department of Education

REGION IV-A CALABARZON CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS

23 SEP 2022

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 601 s. 2022

AMENDMENT TO DEPED ORDER NO. 047, S. 2016 (Omnibus Policy on Kindergarten Education)

To: OIC Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chief Education Supervisors Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools Heads, Unit/Section All Others Concerned

1. With reference to DO 040, s. 2022, re: **Amendment to DepEd Order No.** 047, s. 2016, *Omnibus Policy on Kindergarten Education*, this Office informs all concerned of the said DepEd Order.

2. Item V. 13. C.i.a.3 is amended as follows:

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3. Attached is the DepEd Order for your reference.

4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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As stated

Reference: DepEd Order No. 040, s. 2022 DepEd Order No. 47, s. 2016

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects: Policy Classrooms Kindergarten Education



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To: Undersecretaries Assistant Secretaries Bureau and Service Directors **Regional Directors** Schools Division Superintendents All Others Concerned

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- 3. All other provisions stated in DepEd Order No. 47, s. 2016 shall remain effective, unless otherwise amended by other DepEd issuances.
- 4. This DepEd Order is approved and shall take effect upon its publication in DepEd website: www.deped.gov.ph.
- 5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Order are directed.



SARA Z. DUTERTE Vice President and Secretary

Reference: DepEd Order No. (47, s. 2016) To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

AMENDMENT

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