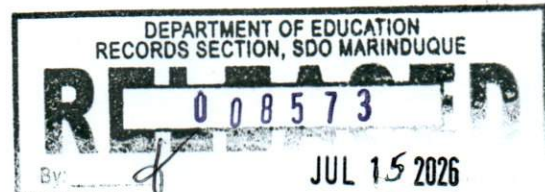




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SCHOOLS DIVISION OF MARINDUQUE



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

MEMORANDUM

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TO: Asst. Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Heads of Public Elementary, Secondary and Integrated Schools
All Others Concerned

FROM: **LYNN G. MENDOZA, EdD**
OIC, Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT: **REITERATION ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF
DEPED ORDER NO. 13, S. 2017 (POLICY GUIDELINES ON
HEALTHY FOOD AND BEVERAGE CHOICES IN SCHOOLS
AND IN DEPED OFFICES)**

DATE: July 14, 2026

1. This Office through the School Governance and Operations Division – School Health and Nutrition Section reiterates schools' compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order 13, s. 2017 or the Policy Guidelines on Healthy Food and Beverage Choices in Schools and in DepEd Offices. School managers are reminded to keenly evaluate food products being sold in their school canteens using the cut-off points for the food product categorization standards labeled as Green, Yellow and Red.
2. Accordingly, schools are advised to refer to the sample list of foods and drinks allowed and not allowed as being specified for each category, consistent with Section Vj(i) of the said issuance.
3. Be it also established that this Office, DOES NOT ENDORSE any food company to offer their products to be sold in school canteens.
4. Wide and immediate dissemination of the contents of this Memorandum is desired.

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