



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF PAMPANGA

September 12, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 545, s. 2025

**REITERATION OF THE STRICT COMPLIANCE OF THE
"NO COLLECTION POLICY" IN SCHOOLS**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public/Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. This serves as a strict reminder and order of compliance to the DepEd Memorandum No 41 s. 2024 released last August 2, 2024, titled "Reiteration of the **"NO COLLECTION POLICY"** in Schools, which is also stipulated in the Republic Act No. (RA) 4206, the "Implementation of No Collection Policy in All Public Elementary and Secondary Schools," **prohibiting the collection of fees from learners during the enrolment period and at any time during the school year.**
2. Pursuant to Section 1, RA 4206, as amended by RA 5546, it is hereby reiterated that **"the sale of tickets and/or the collection of contributions in any form whatsoever, by any person for any project or purpose, whether voluntary or otherwise, from school children, students and teachers of public and private schools, colleges and universities is hereby prohibited:** Provided, however, that this prohibition shall not cover membership fees of school children and students the Red Cross, the Girl Scouts of the Philippines and the Boy Scouts of the Philippines: Provided, finally, that this Prohibition shall not cover the contributions of parents and other donors for the support of barrio high schools."
3. Section 2, RA 4206, as amended, provides that non-compliance with the prohibition shall be penalized with a fine or imprisonment for not more than one month, or both, in the discretion of the court.



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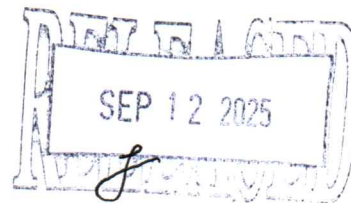


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4. All DepEd personnel are advised of DO No. 49, s. 2022, titled Amendments to DepEd Order No. 047, s. 2022 (Promotion of Professionalism in the Implementation and Delivery of Basic Education and Programs and Services). This directive serves as reminder to DepEd personnel to refrain from unwarranted solicitations and collection of contributions.
5. This Order hereby underscores the policy that sales of tickets and/or forms of contributions, voluntary or otherwise, are prohibited except for the instances provided under RA 4206, as amended.
6. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum is directed.

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