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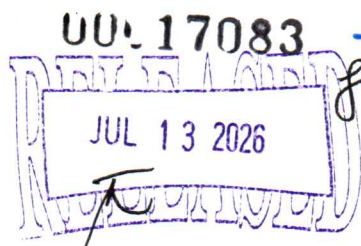
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 412, s. 2026

TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF DEWORMING MEDICATION IN SCHOOLS

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Division Chiefs
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
School Health Personnel
All Others Concerned

1. In view of the recent issues circulating regarding the implementation of the School-Based Deworming Program and pending further guidance from the appropriate authorities, the administration of deworming medication in all public schools under the Schools Division Office of Pampanga is hereby temporarily suspended, effective immediately and until further notice.
2. This temporary suspension is a precautionary measure to ensure the safety and well-being of all learners while the matter is being clarified by the concerned agencies.
3. All school heads and school health personnel are directed to immediately suspend all scheduled deworming activities and to inform teachers, parents, and other stakeholders accordingly. Schools shall await further instructions from this Office regarding the resumption of the program.
4. All concerned are enjoined to refrain from disseminating unverified information and to rely only on official issuances from the Department of Education and the Department of Health.
5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum is directed.



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