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REGIONAL DIRECTORS
BUREAU DIRECTORS
SERVICE DIRECTORS
HEADS OF UPMOs
DISTRICT ENGINEERS
HEADS OF ATTACHED AGENCIES
OTHERS CONCERNED
This Department

For information and guidance, attached is a copy of the **Memorandum from the Executive Secretary** dated November 09, 2023 signed by Executive Secretary Lucas P. Bersamin, with the subject: **"ISSUANCE OF PRESS STATEMENTS OR PRESS RELEASES AND CONDUCT OF PRESS BRIEFINGS"**.

A copy of the said Memorandum may also be downloaded from the DPWH website: <http://dpwhweb>. If an office cannot access the DPWH website, a hard copy may be obtained from the Records Management Division, HRAS, upon request.

For dissemination to all concerned.


MARICHU A. PALAFOX, CESO II
Assistant Secretary for Support Services

Encl: As stated

cc: Office of the Secretary

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**Office of the President
of the Philippines
Malacañang**

MEMORANDUM FROM THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

TO : ALL HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES AND INSTRUMENTALITIES, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR -CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS (GOCCs), AND GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (GFIs)

CC : SECRETARY CHELOY E. VELICARIA-GARAFIL
Presidential Communications Office (PCO)

SUBJECT : ISSUANCE OF PRESS STATEMENTS OR PRESS RELEASES AND CONDUCT OF PRESS BRIEFINGS

DATE : NOV 09 2023

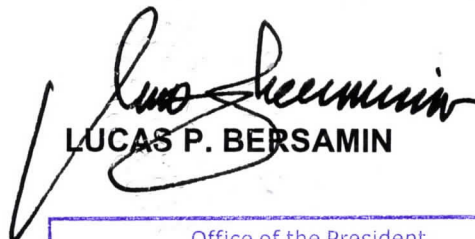
To further ensure consistent, cohesive and unified messaging and communication of the Administration, all departments, agencies and instrumentalities of the National Government, including GOCCs and GFIs are hereby directed to coordinate with the PCO prior to the issuance of statements, press releases and conduct of press briefings on important issues and priority initiatives, programs and projects of the Administration.

All heads of agencies are also directed to inform their respective bureaus or offices in charge of public information or communication, to comply with this Memorandum. These bureaus and offices must closely coordinate with the PCO on this matter.

As may be necessary, the PCO shall issue the appropriate guidelines for the effective implementation of this directive.

For information and strict compliance.

By authority of the President:


LUCAS P. BERSAMIN

