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MEMORANDUM

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TO : **BARM EDUCATION SECRETARY
REGIONAL DIRECTORS**

FROM : **DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO**
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction

SUBJECT : **Data on the Implementation of RA 10533, Mother-Tongue
Based Multilingual Education (MTB-MLE) in the K to 12
Basic Education Curriculum**

DATE : 30 September 2019

1. RA 10533 mandates the implementation of Mother-Tongue Based Multilingual Education (MTB-MLE) in the K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum.
2. As this office attempts to strengthen MTB-MLE implementation, there is a need to gather feedback from the field.
3. It is in this light that the following information are needed from all Regional Offices:
 - a. Abstracts of all research projects on MTB-MLE undertaken by teachers and field officials, including Masters' thesis and PhD/EdD Dissertations for the last five years;
 - b. List of schools/SDOs with highly effective MTB-MLE implementation, including identified enabling factors for effectiveness;
 - c. Consolidated and prioritized lists of factors that hinder the implementation of MTB-MLE, and
 - d. Recommendations on how MTB-MLE implementation may be further strengthened.
4. The said data, which will provide bases for evidence-based decision-making in updating the MTB-MLE policy, shall be submitted to ouci@deped.gov.ph not later than 31 October 2019.
5. Strict compliance with this Memorandum is desired.