

Republic of the Philippines  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

CHED MEMORANDUM ORDER (CMO)

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SUBJECT: SUSPENSION OF NEW APPLICATION TO OFFER  
MARITIME EDUCATION PROGRAMS

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In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (RA) No. 7722, otherwise known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994," and by virtue of Resolution No. R344-99 of the Commission en banc dated 7 Oct. 1999, and in order for CHED to be able to focus its attention on the monitoring of existing maritime institutions for the full compliance of CHED and Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW '95) requirements, all new application to offer maritime education programs shall be suspended temporarily until SY 2001-2002. It means that new application for maritime education programs may be accepted starting June 2001 for operation in SY 2002-2003.

This CMO shall take effect immediately.

Pasig City, Philippines, October 13, 1999

  
ESTER A. GARCIA  
Chairperson