

# **GUIDELINES FOR THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FOR THE DEPED INTERNET CONNECTIVITY PROJECT (DICP)**

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**DepED Internet Connectivity Project**

# **DepED Order No 50 s, 2009**

**LAUNCHING THE DEPED INTERNET  
CONNECTIVITY PROJECT & DIRECTING  
ALL PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS TO  
SUBSCRIBE TO INTERNET  
CONNECTIVITY SERVICES**



- 1. All Public High Schools in the Cyber Corridor provinces**
- 2. All the National High Schools situated in the capital of each province outside the Cyber Corridor High Schools.**
- 3. All other Public High Schools not connected to the Internet, and**
- 4. All other Public High Schools connected to the Internet through the Gearing-up Internet Literacy and Access for Student (GILAS) project.**



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<b>4</b>	<b>All other HS not covered by TELCOS but covered by SATCOS</b>



Region	# of HS	DICP				CICT			STATUS OF CONNECTION	
		No. of DICP Schools	with SA	without SA	Released Sub-SARO	No. of CICT Schools	with SA	w/o SA	Connected	Not Connected
IV-A	578	526	48	478	18	52	2	50	258	320
IV-B	340	316	4	312	4	24	0	24	97	243



## Region IV-A: DICP Summary

BATCH	NO. OF SCHOOLS OUTSIDE COVERAGE AREA	NO. OF GILAS CONNECTED SCHOOLS	NO. OF SCHOOLS TO BE CONNECTED
1	75	57	18
2	42	19	23
3	85	8	77
4	376	130	246
TOTAL	578	214	364



## Region IV-B: DICP Summary

BATCH	NO. OF SCHOOLS OUTSIDE COVERAGE AREA	NO. OF GILAS CONNECTED SCHOOLS	NO. OF SCHOOLS TO BE CONNECTED
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# ISSUANCE of SUB-AROs





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TO: Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Region/Division ICT Coordinators  
Heads, Public Secondary Schools  
All Others Concerned

1. The Department has launched the DepED Internet Connectivity Project (DICP) through DepED Order No. 50 series 2009, LAUNCHING THE DEPED INTERNET CONNECTIVITY PROJECT AND DIRECTING ALL PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS TO SUBSCRIBE TO INTERNET CONNECTIVITY SERVICES.
2. Under DepED Order No. 50 series 2009, public secondary schools are directed to subscribe to internet connectivity.
3. Following are the guidelines/steps for the transfer of funds under the DICP;
  - a. Schools (those with official School ID based on the official list of the Basic Education Information System (BEIS) of the Central Office) shall directly subscribe to their local Internet Service Providers in accordance to RA 9184.
  - b. Schools must comply with the following bandwidth requirement: (Committed Information Rate (CIR)

**Within the coverage of the Telecommunication Companies;**

- 1 to 4 computers: 64kbps up to 3.5mbps (shared bandwidth) wired, fixed wireless or USB modem
- 5 or more computers connected in the Local Area Network (LAN): 128 kbps up to 3.5 mbps, wired or fixed wireless.

**Outside the coverage area of any of the TELCO's:**

- Satellite broadband internet service: 64kbps (256kbps uplink and 512 kbps (burst) download.

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- 2. Schools must comply with the following bandwidth requirement: (Committed Information Rate (CIR) per DO No. 50 s, 2009**



- 3. Schools shall submit their new service agreements, completely filled-up with the amount of monthly subscription fees, to their regional offices for consolidation based on set minimum bandwidth requirement.**
- 4. Amount to be released shall be based on the amount specified in the service agreement submitted to the Central Office and must not exceed the amount of Php 48,000.00 per year.**



- 5. Schools are allowed one connection only.**
- 6. Extension/Annexes schools shall be given separate allocation from their mother schools.**
- 7. Once these service agreements are received by the Central Office, a SUB-ARO shall be issued in favor of the school**



## **8. For the release of funds:**

- a. The Budget Division, FMS, Central Office shall immediately transfer the allotment received from the DBM-CO to the respective Implementing Unit based on the listing of recipient secondary schools, thru the issuance of Sub-Allotment Release Orders (SUB-AROs) to :**
  - i. Schools Division Offices (SDOs) for Non-Implementing Units; and**
  - ii. Implementing Units**



**b. Upon receipt of the Sub-ARO, the SDOs or the Implementing Units, shall record such receipt in the Registry of Allotments and Obligations for Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (RAOMO) being maintained by the respective units.**



- c. The cash allocation corresponding to the allotment transferred to the respective units will be issued by the concerned DBM-ROs, subject to the submission of requests for release of Notice of Cash Allocations (NCAs), supported by copies of Sub-AROs for reference.**



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- e. Mother schools which are implementing units and have annexes or extension schools shall process the payment of the internet subscription.**
- f. For non-implementing units, the Division Offices shall facilitate and process payments after submission of billing documents.**



**9. Schools under the iSchools Project of the Commission on Information and Communications Technology (CICT) shall receive their assistance from CICT.**

**10. Allotment under the DICP shall be for the sole use of internet connectivity services.**



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