

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

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MARITIME INDUSTRY AUTHORITY



JOINT CHED - MARINA ADVISORY No. 01 Series of 2020

SUBJECT: CONTINUED IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXISTING CURRICULUM UNDER CMO NO. 67, S. 2017 AND CMO NO. 14, S. 2018

Pursuant to Section 63.1.2 of the Joint CHED-MARINA Memorandum Circular No. 1, series of 2019, starting First Semester of Academic Year 2020-2021, MHEIs shall adopt and implement the maritime education program (MEP) standard curriculum which shall be prescribed and made available by the Commission and the Maritime Administration on or before 31 March 2020.

This notwithstanding, the unprecedented strategies to include the implementation of flexible learning approaches amidst the COVID-19 Pandemic which paved the way for the enforcement of community quarantines across the country commencing on 16 March 2020, the said curriculum will be issued on a later date subject to public consultations.

In view thereof, Notice is hereby given that per the Technical Panel for Maritime Education No 13, series of 2020 recommendation and per CHED Commission *En Banc* Resolution No. 481-2020, the continued implementation of the existing curriculum under CMO 67, series of 2017¹ and CMO 14, series of 2018² is approved until such time that the prescribed MEP standard curriculum shall have been issued by the Commission and the Maritime Administration.

Quezon City, Philippines, November 26, 2020.

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¹CMO No. 67 s. 2017 - Policies, Standards and Guidelines for BS Marine Transportation and BS Marine Engineering Programs

²CMO No. 14, s. 2018 - Curriculum Mapping, Course Specifications, and Laboratory Equipment