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Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION XI  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF PANABO CITY

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**Office of the Schools Division Superintendent**

January 24, 2025

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**  
OSDS-2025- 0013

**RENAMING OF DOÑA CARMEN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO  
NARRA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION OF  
DAVAO DEL NORTE**

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief of the Curriculum Implementation Division  
Chief of the Schools Governance and Operations Division  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
School Heads, Public Elementary Schools  
School Heads, Public Secondary and Senior High Schools  
All Others Concerned

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1. Attached is Regional Memorandum No. 001, s. 2025 announcing the renaming of Doña Carmen National High School to Narra National High School of the Schools Division of Davao del Norte.

2. All communication to the said school shall be addressed as follows:

**NARRA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL**  
(Formerly Doña Carmen National High School)  
Barangay Gabuyan, Kapalang, Davao del Norte

3. For your information.

  
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Schools Division Superintendent

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January 21, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. 001, s. 2025

**RENAMING OF DOÑA CARMEN NATIONAL SCHOOL TO NARRA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DAVAO DEL NORTE**

To: Assistant Regional Director  
Schools Division Superintendents  
Chief Education Supervisor of the Policy, Planning  
and Research Division  
All Others Concerned

1. This Office hereby announces the renaming of DOÑA CARMEN NATIONAL SCHOOL to **NARRA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL** effective School Year 2025-2026.

2. The National Historical Commission of the Philippines interposes no objection to Ordinance No. 1152, s. of 2020 of the Municipality of Kapalang, Province of Davao Del Norte, renaming Doña Carmen Soriano National High School to Narra National High School of Barangay of Gabuyan, Kapalang, Davao Del Norte.

3. Section 99 (d) of Republic Act No. 7160 (Local Government Code of 1991) authorizes the Local Sanggunian to change the name of schools through an ordinance with the Local School Board as the recommending body. In addition, all public schools may be named or renamed by the President through a proclamation or by Congress through legislation.

4. To avoid any confusion in mail matters and the management of records, the concerned school and Schools Division Office is directed to ensure that the former name of the school be placed underneath its new name together with the name of the barangay. The new signage shall appear as follows:

**NARRA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL**  
(Formerly Doña Carmen National High School)  
Barangay Gabuyan, Kapalang, Davao Del Norte

5. Effective immediately all records, documents and transactions shall now bear the name NARRA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL.

6. School documents, records (academic or non-academic), school stationary, letterhead, etc. shall indicate the information stipulated in **Item No. 4**.

7. The Schools Division Superintendent of Davao Del Norte and the Chief Education Supervisor of the Policy Planning and Research Division (PPRD) are directed to ensure that appropriate technical assistance, services and benefits shall be afforded to the concerned school relative to its change of name.



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8. For information, guidance and immediate implementation.

ALLAN G. FARNAZO  
Director IV

Enclosed: As stated.

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

POLICY      PUBLIC SCHOOLS      RENAMING

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