



Republika ng Pilipinas
KAGAWARAN NG KATARUNGAN
Department of Justice
Manila

DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR NO. 005

TO : ALL PROSECUTORS IN THE NATIONAL PROSECUTION SERVICE

SUBJECT : FURNISHING THE PHILIPPINE DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH COPIES OF ALL RESOLUTIONS, ORDERS, INFORMATION, AND OTHER PLEADINGS ON DRUG CASES

DATE : JAN 25 2023

Under Section 3, Chapter XI of the Unified Manual in the Investigation and Prosecution of Illegal Drugs Cases (2022), the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA) shall be responsible for the monitoring of drug cases filed and pending before the prosecution offices, trial courts, Court of Appeals, and Supreme Court. The same provision mandates all concerned government agencies involved in the prosecution of illegal drug cases to extend assistance to the PDEA in the monitoring of drug cases.

This Circular is intended to provide more relevant data to PDEA and to strengthen the coordination between PDEA and the National Prosecution Service (NPS), wherein the former shall assist the latter in evidence gathering and case build-up.

This Circular supersedes Department Circular No. 019 issued on 05 June 2014.

Henceforth, you are hereby directed to furnish the PDEA with copies of all resolutions, orders, information, and other pleadings on drug cases, within five (5) days from issuance or receipt of documents through the following addresses:

Office Address: Legal and Prosecution Service
Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA)
2nd Floor NIA Northside Road, Brgy. Pinyahan
Quezon City

Email Address: lbs@pdea.gov.ph

For strict compliance.

JESUS CRISPIN C. REMULLA
Secretary

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All concerned.

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