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Philhealth Circular No. 232 s, 2000

TO:

Regional Health Insurance Office Managers and All Accredited Hospitals in

Regions 9, 10, 11, 12 and all others concerned

FROM:

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President and CEQ

SUBJECT:

Extension of accreditation for the period 1999 to 2000

DATE:

September 27, 2000

The accreditation of hospitals for year 1999 to 2000 in Regions 9,10,11 and to August 31, 2000 as per PhilHealth circular No. 10 s, 2000 dated May 22, 2000 due to unstable peace and order situation in the said areas.

Since the situation in Regions 10 and 11 have improved, renewal of accreditation shall resume in November 2000 while accreditation for hospitals in Regions 9 and 12 are hereby extended up to December 31,2000 subject to the following guidelines:

- 1. Accreditation of hospitals in Regions 10 and 11 are extended up to October 31, 2000.
- 2. Inspection of hospitals for accreditation renewal in Regions 10 and 11 by the RHIOs concerned shall resume immediately, while those for initial and re-accreditation will be done by the Accreditation Department.
- 3. Acceptance of applications for renewal of accreditation in Regions 9 and 12, if there are any, shall continue until the end of the year 2000.
- 4. During the extension period the hospitals shall be expected to take this as an opportunity to complete/correct their deficiencies so that after the extension period, smooth processing of applications and approval of accreditation shall be ensured.
- 5. The RHIOs concerned shall inform the Accreditation Department about the peace and order situation in their area and about the status of applications on a bi-monthly basis during the extension period.

Please be guided accordingly.