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OFFICE MEMORANDUM
 No. **079** s. 2026

**UTILIZATION OF MADRASAH EDUCATION PROGRAM (MEP) FUND
 FOR INTERNET EXPENSES**

TO: REY M. DALUMPINES – EPS, CID
JOSHUA MARCO A. BUAYAN – AO II, Personnel

1. Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 036, s. 2025 titled **“Guidelines on the Payment of Communication/Internet Expenses for Officials and Employees of the Department of Education”** this memorandum authorizes payment of internet expenses for official purposes in the amount of P 1,000.00 (One Thousand Pesos Only) each per month this Fiscal Year 2026 through the Madrasah Education Program (MEP) fund per **Sub-Allotment Release Order No.: RO-9-SIB-26-02-0027** for the smooth implementation of all programs under Madrasah Education.
2. Internet services are crucial for remote learning, communication, and coordination, particularly in our ongoing educational initiatives such as the Madrasah Education Program as this expense is justified as it directly supports official duties and is in accordance with DepEd guidelines for communication-related costs, ensuring compliance with DepEd and COA standards.
3. Please be guided accordingly.

VIRGILIO P. BATAN JR., CESO V
 Schools Division Superintendent *[Signature]*

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