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Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

The Standards Bureau received a report from a concerned citizen regarding your group's conduct of fund raising campaign through crowdfunding using social media platforms. However, based on the Bureau's database of issued solicitation permit for nationwide fund raising campaign, you have not been issued with permit by the Department.

In line with this, please be guided that according to Presidential Decree No. 1564 of 1978 (Solicitation Permit Law), any person, corporations, organization or association desiring or conducting solicitation activities for public and charitable purposes should secure a solicitation permit from DSWD. Further, DSWD Memorandum Circular 17 Series of 2014 states that any person, corporation, organizations or association that are desiring to solicit or receive contributions from the public for charitable or public welfare purposes shall first secure an authority to solicit by submitting all requirements to the concerned DSWD Office. Violations of the aforementioned laws/policies have corresponding penalties.

For more details of the implementing policies and requirements of public solicitation, attached is a copy of the DSWD Memorandum Circular No. 17 series of 2014.

For queries/clarifications, you may contact us at telephone numbers (02) 8931-3181, 8951-7125 or email us at srb@dswd.gov.ph / sb@dswd.gov.ph.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



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