

JUVENILE JUSTICE AND WELFARE COUNCIL

Department of Justice
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COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 16

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PAO Standard Office Procedures in Extending Legal Assistance to CICL Under R.A. 9344 and Other Related Laws

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9344, otherwise known as the "Juvenile Justice and Welfare Act of 2006", prescribed the roles and functions of the Public Attorney's Office in the administration of juvenile justice;

WHEREAS, the Rules and Regulations Implementing RA No. 9344 mandated the Juvenile Justice and Welfare Council (JJWC) to formulate and recommend guidelines and policies pursuant to the implementation of the law;

WHEREAS, the Public Attorney's Office was designated by the JJWC to draft the guidelines for public attorneys;

WHEREAS, the guidelines for public attorneys has been developed in order to provide standard procedures in extending legal assistance to CICL;


WHEREAS, the Standard Office Procedures in Extending Legal Assistance to CICL Under R.A. 9344 and Other Related Laws was submitted to the Council members for adoption;


NOW THEREFORE, in view of the above premises, the Council resolves, and it is hereby resolved, to formally adopt the PAO Standard Office Procedures in Extending Legal Assistance to CICL Under R.A. 9344 and Other Related Laws.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of the *PAO Standard Office Procedures in Extending Legal Assistance to CICL Under R.A. 9344 and Other Related Laws* shall be furnished to concerned offices for reference.

Adopted this 20th December 2007 at Quezon City, Philippines.


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