

June 15, 2001

**LETTER OF PHILIPPINE CEREBRAL PALSY INC. –
AN APPEAL FOR ASSISTANCE**

Following is a reproduction of the letter the Association received from the Phil. Cerebral Palsy Inc. appealing for assistance to their fund-raising activity:

"Dear Sir/Madam:

Greetings!

We are the Philippine Cerebral Palsy Inc.! We're located at Sacred Heart St. formerly Dao St. across YMCA and beside Cardinal Ceramics. We are a non-stock, non-profit, non-government organization.

We have served thousands of cerebral palsy children and adults for 45 continuous years with funding coming solely from donations of caring individual, corporations and foundations. Today, we are giving physical, occupational therapy and special education and computer education to an average of 70 different children and adults daily ALL FOR FREE.

On July 15, 2001, we are having 3K-5K Fun Run to be held at the Ayala Avenue-Makati Avenue-Buendia Avenue-Paseo de Roxas route. Presently, we have enlisted more than 1,000 runners and expect some 5,000 more when we start having press releases. The runners come from all walks of life abled and disabled together, kids, families, workers. We hope to raise funds from the proceeds of the registration and the sponsors.

Cerebral palsy (CP) is a non-progressive condition affecting the immature brain characterized by movement, balance and postural problems. There are several causes leading to CP that may occur before, during or after birth. Visual, hearing, aberrations of perception and speech defect, mental retardation, autistic-like behavior and epilepsy are the most common associated problems although 50-70% have normal or near normal intelligence.

We invite you to be a part of this event for the cerebral palsy children and we thank you for your donations.

I will help out in the (please check):

- ☐ Cash prizes: _____ Php20,000 _____ Php10,000 _____ Php5,000
- ☐ Finishers T-shirts: _____ 1,000 pcs. _____ 500 pcs. _____ 200 pcs.
- ☐ Product/company give aways: specify _____
- ☐ Raffle prizes: _____ Appliances _____ Gift Packs
- ☐ Medals for the Placers
- ☐ Publicity: _____ Radio Ads _____ TV Ads _____ Print Ads
- ☐ Others, please specify _____

We hope that this will be the start of joint efforts to help all the more than 150,000 children and adults in the Philippines who have cerebral palsy. Your support in this Fun Run is your contribution to help us continue what we are doing.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Sincerely yours,

(sgd.)

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