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Department of Justice
Manila

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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 048

TO : Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries
The Prosecutor General
The Chief State Counsel
Heads of Bureaus, Commissions and
Offices attached to the DOJ
Regional/Provincial/City Prosecutors
All concerned

SUBJECT : Unauthorized Calls from Unknown Personality
Introducing Himself as Sec. Jun Evasco

DATE : AUG 03 2017

Attached is a copy of the 20 July 2017 Memorandum from Cabinet Secretary Leoncio B. Evasco, Jr. with the subject "**Unauthorized Calls from Unknown Personality**".

In the said Memorandum there have been reports that an unknown individual has been calling the Philippine Army Field Commanders introducing himself as Sec. Jun Evasco and asking for names and contact numbers of other Field Commanders within the area and other confidential information.

In this connection, all bureaus and offices are hereby reminded to immediately dismiss calls of this nature and to report the matter to the Office of the Secretary.

For information and guidance.

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Secretary

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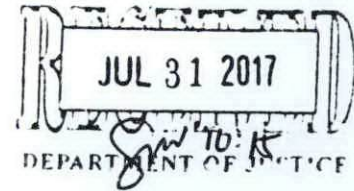


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MEMORANDUM FROM THE CABINET SECRETARY

TO : The Secretaries

**Department of National Defense
Department of Interior and Local Government
National Security Adviser
(Attn: DG, NICA)
Department of Justice
(Attn: Director, National Bureau of Investigation)
Department of Transportation
(Attn: Philippine Coast Guard)**

SUBJECT : UNAUTHORIZED CALLS FROM UNKNOWN PERSONALITY

DATE : 20 July 2017

The Office of the Cabinet Secretary has been receiving reports that an unknown individual has been calling Philippine Army Field Commanders – introducing himself as Sec. Jun Evasco. Accordingly, said individual asked for names and contact numbers of other Field Commanders within the area and other confidential information. This has caused alarm not only to my office and myself but also to the entire Office of the President.

As you very well know, it is not my style of work to call up units or officials in the AFP or PNP and ask for confidential information. As I see it, this is a scheme meant to destroy not only my credibility but above all to discredit the Duterte Administration where I am identified with. I strongly believe that this is part of the grand scheme to destabilize the Duterte Administration.

Given this situation, I am humbly requesting your department to inform your respective bureaus and field offices to immediately dismiss calls of this nature and to take active counter-intelligence measures to thwart any plan of destroying this administration. Along this line, I am authorizing LTC RANULFO A SEVILLA (INF) GSC PA, my Acting Security Officer, to coordinate directly with your department and bureaus on matters relative hereto.

Again, my expression of thanks for our partnership as we all work together to make the vision of PRRD a reality.

LEONCIO B. EVASCO, JR.
Cabinet Secretary