



Republic of the Philippines
Supreme Court
Office of the Court Administrator
Manila

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 108-2007

**TO : ALL JUDGES OF THE FIRST AND SECOND
LEVEL COURTS IN MINDANAO REGION**

**SUBJECT : COMMITMENT OF THE NEWLY CONVICTED
FEMALE INMATES TO THE CORRECTIONAL
INSTITUTION FOR WOMEN (CIW) MINDANAO**

The Department of Justice (DOJ) through its Bureau of Corrections has recently established its Correctional Institution for Women (CIW) Mindanao in compliance with President Macapagal-Arroyo's directive to set up a correctional facility for women in Mindanao which was formally inaugurated last 18 September 2007.

Pursuant thereto, the DOJ has initially transferred the ninety eight (98) female inmates from its CIW Mandaluyong City to this correctional facility in order to properly address the congestion problem thereat, and likewise to enable the female offenders coming from the Mindanao areas to be near their respective families.

In view of all the foregoing, you are hereby **DIRECTED** to **COMMIT** the newly convicted female inmates to the following:

THE SUPERINTENDENT
Correctional Institution for Women (CIW) Mindanao
Davao Prison and Penal Farm
B.E. Dujali, Davao del Norte

Strict compliance is hereby enjoined.

October 25, 2007.


CHRISTOPHER O. LOCK
Court Administrator