**ANNEX 1**

**NATIONAL TARGET PROGRAMS**

**I. PHASE 2011-2015**

1. The National Target Program on Health in the period of 2012-2015

2. The National Target Program on Education and Training in the period of 2012-2015

3. The National Target Program on Employment and Vocational Training in the period of 2012-2015

4. The National Target Program on Culture in the period of 2012-2015

**II. PHASE 2016-2020**

**1. The National Target Program on New-style Rural Development:**

a) Overall goals: Build up new-style rural areas so as to lift people’s material and spiritual living standards; put in place proper socio-economic infrastructure; suitable economic structure and production modes; combine agricultural development with that of industry and services; combine rural development with that of urban areas; create a democratic, equal, stable rural society imbued with rich traditional cultural identities; ecological environment is protected; security and public order are maintained.

b) Specific objectives: By 2020, about 50% of the communes throughout the country meet the criteria of a new-style rural commune; all communes meet at least five criteria.

**2. The National Target Program on Sustainable Poverty Reduction:** a) Overall goals: Deliver sustainable poverty reduction and prevent poverty relapse; Contribute to economic growth, ensure social security, improve material and spiritual living standard, and increase income of the poor in the period of 2016-2020.

b) Specific objectives:

- Reduce the rate of poor households nationwide by 1.0% -1.5% per year on average; In particular, reduce the rate of extremely disadvantaged districts and communes by 4% per year according to The National Poverty Line during the period of 2016-2020.

- Improve livelihoods and the quality of life of the poor, increase the income per capita of poor households nationwide by 1.5 times by 2020 in comparison with that at the end of 2015 (in particular, by 2 times for that of poor households in poor districts, communes, and extremely disadvantaged hamlets, and that of poor households in ethnic minority areas ); 20 – 30% of extremely disadvantaged communes and hamlets in ethnic minority and mountainous areas overcome extreme difficulties; provide audio-visual equipment for about 10,000 poor households living on islands away from shores and poor households from ethnic minorities with particularly small population.

**3. Program 135 (Project 2)**

**a) Subproject 1: Infrastructure investment support for extremely disadvantaged communes, border communes, communes in ATK zones, extremely disadvantaged hamlets/villages.**

Objectives: Improve essential infrastructure for production and life of people living in extremely disadvantaged communes, border communes, communes in ATK zones, extremely disadvantaged hamlets/villages.

**b) Subproject 2: Production development support, livelihood diversification and replication of poverty reduction models in extremely disadvantaged communes, border communes, communes in ATK zones, extremely disadvantaged hamlets/villages.**

Objectives: Assist agriculture, forestry and aquaculture development by combining the production of goods with the production planning; exploit local potentials and strengths; help reduce natural disaster risks and adapt to climate change; increase income and improve the life of people in the areas.

Beneficiaries: Workers from poor households, near poor households and fresh poor household graduates; poor households in ethnic minority areas and women of poor households shall be given priority.

**c)** **Capacity building for communities and grassroots officials in extremely disadvantaged communes, border communes, communes in ATK zones, extremely disadvantaged hamlets/villages.**

Objectives: Improve capacity of communities and grassroots officials in extremely disadvantaged communes, border communes, communes in ATK zones, extremely disadvantaged hamlets/villages.

Beneficiaries: Communal supervision boards; officials of hamlets/villages; representatives of communities; prominent members of communities; members of ethnic minorities and women are given priority.

**4. Target Programs during 2016-2020** (The Target Program on Vocational Education, Employment and Occupational Safety; The Target Program on Health – Population, The Target Program on Social Assistance System Development; The Target Program on Local Healthcare System Investment and Development).

**ANNEX 2**

**MDGs’ indicators for Ethnic Minorities in line with SDGs by 2020 and 2025**

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| **No** | **Indicators for Ethnic Minorities** | **By 2020** | **By 2025** |
| **1** | Eradicate Extreme Poverty and Hunger |  |  |
| **1.1** | Poverty rate of Ethnic Minority households (%) | **Strive to reduce** by 3-4% per year | |
| **1.2** | Malnutrition rate (weight/age) of Ethnic Minority children under five (%) | **<14** | **<8** |
| **2** | Achieve Universal Primary Education |  |  |
| **2.1** | Net primary enrolment rate of Ethnic Minority children (%) | **>94** | **>97** |
| **2.2** | Proportion of ethnic minority pupils who reach last grade of primary (%) | **>94** | **>97** |
| **2.3** | Literacy rate of ethnic minority 10-year-olds and above (%) | **>92** | **>98** |
| **3** | Promote Gender Equality and Empower Women |  |  |
| **3.1** | Illiteracy rate of ethnic minority women (%) | **<20** | **<10** |
| **3.2** | Enrolment rate of Ethnic Minority girls in primary, lower and upper secondary education (%) | **>45** | **>50** |
| **3.3** | Proportion of seats held by Ethnic Minority women in People’s Councils at Commune level (%) | **>30** | **>40** |
| **3.4** | Ratio of women/ Ethnic Minority Deputies in National Parliament | **Strive to increase or at least maintain the current ratio** | |
| **4** | Reduce Child Mortality |  |  |
| **4.1** | Under-1 mortality rate/1,000 live births | **<22** | **<19** |
| **4.2** | Under-five mortality rate/1,000 live births | **<27** | **<22** |
| **5** | Improve Maternal Health |  |  |
| **5.1** | Ethnic minority maternal mortality rate/ 100,000 live births (%) | **<100** | **<85** |
| **5.2** | Ratio of Ethnic Minority births attended by skilled medical staff (%) | **>93** | **>97** |
| **5.3** | Ratio of pregnant Ethnic Minority women having at least 3 check-ups during their pregnancy (%) | **>=85** | **>=90** |
| **6** | Combat HIV/AIDS, Malaria and Other Diseases |  |  |
| **6.1** | HIV prevalence among Ethnic Minority population aged 15-24 years (%) | **<=0,3** | **<=0,3** |
| **6.2** | Ethnic Minority incidence associated with malaria/ 1000 people | **<=0,25** | **<=0.15** |
| **6.3** | Ethnic Minority incidence associated with tuberculosis/ 1000 people | **<=90** | **<=70** |
| **7** | Ensure Environmental Sustainability |  |  |
| **7.1** | Rate of Ethnic Minority households having access to clean water (%) | **>=30** | **>=50** |
| **7.2** | Rate of Ethnic Minority households having standard toilets (%) | **>=40** | **>=60** |

**ANNEX 3**

**The list of currently effective Legal documents enforced in ethnic minority areas**

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| **No** | **Name of Documents** |
| 1 | Decision 194/2001/QD-TTg dated 21 December 2001, and Decision 82/2006/QD-TTg dated 14 April 2006 of the Prime Minister on policy-based scholarship and social allowance amounts for ethnic minority pupils and students studying at public schools. |
| 2 | Decision 139/2002/QD-TTg dated 15 October 2002, and Decision 14/2012/QD-TTg dated 01 March 2012 of the Prime Minister on medical examination and treatment for the poor. |
| 3 | [Decision](http://vbpl.vn/bogiaoducdaotao/Pages/vanbanTA.aspx?idLoaiVanBan=21) 146/2005/QĐ-TTg dated 15 June 2005, and [Decision](http://vbpl.vn/bogiaoducdaotao/Pages/vanbanTA.aspx?idLoaiVanBan=21) 57/2007/QD-TTg of the Prime Minister **on the Policy of handing reclaimed farms and forest farms’ production land over to poor ethnic minority households.** |
| 4 | [Decision](http://vbpl.vn/bogiaoducdaotao/Pages/vanbanTA.aspx?idLoaiVanBan=21) 231/2005/QĐ-TTg dated 22 September 2005 of the Prime Minister on Assistance for State-owned agricultural and forestry enterprises, special-use forest management boards and protective forest management boards which employ ethnic minority laborers lawfully residing in the Central Highlands provinces. |
| 5 | [Decision](http://vbpl.vn/bogiaoducdaotao/Pages/vanbanTA.aspx?idLoaiVanBan=21) 244/2005/QD-TTg dated 06 October 2005 of the Prime Minister on benefits and allowances for teachers who are teaching in lower and upper secondary schools, centers for general technical education and vocational orientation, vocational training centers, continuing education centers in mountainous, islands, and remote areas |
| 6 | Decision 267/2005/QD-TTg dated 31 October 2005 of the Prime Minister on the vocational training policy for ethnic minority pupils and students. |
| 7 | Decision 304/2005/QD-TTg dated 23 November 2005 of the Prime Minister on the pilot allotment of forests and contractual assignment of forests for protection to ethnic minority households and communities in hamlets and villages in the Central Highland provinces. |
| 8 | Decision 92/2005/QD-TTg dated 29 April 2005 of the Prime Minister on the benefits for ethnic minority military personnel in Military zone 7&9 who took part in the resistance against America and were demobilized before 10 January 1982 |
| 9 | Decision 56/2006/QD-TTg dated 13 March 2006 of the Prime Minister on time-bound reinforcement of cadres and public employees to key communes and districts in ethnic minority areas |
| 10 | Decree No. 134/2006/ND-CP dated 14 November 2006 and Decree No 49/2015/ND-CP of the Government on the Nomination of students for entrance into universities, colleges and secondary schools under the national education system. |
| 11 | Decision 166/2007/QD-TTg dated 30 October 2007 and Decision 1504/QD-TTg dated 18 August 2010 of the Prime Minister on the promulgation of investment support and benefit policy for households, village communities and organizations participating in the “Forestry Development Project to improve the livelihoods in the Central Highlands”. |
| 12 | Decision 1544/QD-TTg dated 14 November 2007 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the Project on human resources training of health workers for rural mountainous areas in the North, the Central, the Mekong delta river and the Highland via university entrance nomination |
| 13 | Decision 152/2007/QD-TTg dated 14 September 2007 of the Prime Minister on policy-based scholarship for pupils and students studying in educational institutions of the National Education System. |
| 14 | Decree 64/2009/ND-CP dated 30 September 2009 of the Government on preferential policies for health civil servants and public employees in areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties |
| 15 | Decision 70/2009/QD-TTg dated 27 April 2009 of the Prime Minister on   the rotation and reinforcement of key staff to communes in 61 poor districts and the policy on preferential treatment for and mobilization of young intellectuals and technical experts who join taskforces in communes in 61 poor districts according to Resolution No. 30a/2008/NQ-CP |
| 16 | Decision 75/2009/QD-Ttg dated 11 May 2009 of the Prime Minister on bonuses for medical staff working in villages and hamlets. |
| 17 | Decision 71/2009/QD-TTg dated 29 April 2019 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “supporting poor districts in promoting labor export for sustainable poverty reduction in the period of 2009-2020” |
| 18 | Decree 82/2010/ND-CP dated 15 July 2010 of the Vietnamese Government on the teaching and learning of ethnic minority spoken and written languages in schools and Continuing Education Centers |
| 19 | Decree 116/2010/ND-CP dated 24 December 2010 of the Government on policies towards cadres, civil servants and employees in the armed forces working in areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties. |
| 20 | Decision 170/QD-TTg dated 26 January 2011 and Decision 1097/QD-TTg dated 08 July 2011 of the Prime Minister on the pilot appointment of 600 young intellects with university degrees as Vice Chairmen of communes in 62 poor districts |
| 21 | Decision 08/2011/QD-TTg dated 26 January 2011 of the Prime Minister on reinforcement of staff to villages in poor districts to carry out Decree 30a/2008/NQ-CP |
| 22 | Decision 1270/2011/QD-Ttg dated 27 July 2011 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Ethnic Minority Cultural Conservation and Development to 2020”. |
| 23 | Decision 1672/QD-TTg dated 26 September 2011 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Socio-economic development in the regions inhabited by the Mang, La Hu, Cong, Co Lao minority groups” |
| 24 | Decree 45/2012/ND-CP dated 21 May 2012 of the Government on Industrial Promotion |
| 25 | Decision 42/2012/QD-TTg dated 08 October 2012 and Decision 64/2015/QD-TTg dated 17 December 2015 of the Prime Minister on Assistance for organizations who employ ethnic minority people residing in mountainous and extremely disadvantaged areas |
| 26 | Decision 33/2013/QD-TTg dated 04 June 2013 of the Prime Minister on the continuation of the policy on immigrant support for settled farming and living among ethnic minorities until 2015 |
| 27 | Decision 1758/QD-TTg dated 30 September 2013 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the pilot selection of 600 voluntary young intellects to work in communes for the development of rural and mountainous areas in the period of 2013-2020 |
| 28 | Decision 66/2013/QD-TTg dated 11 November 2013 of the Prime Minister on tuition fee support for ethnic minority students at higher education institutions. |
| 29 | Decision 124/QD-TTg dated 16 January 2014 of the Prime Minister on the continuation of grassroots administrations strengthening in the Central Highlands in the 2014-2020 period |
| 30 | Decision 718/2014/QD-TTg dated 15 May 2014 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the Project “Reinforce and strengthen Hmong staffs in grassroots political system in Northwest key communes during 2014-2018” |
| 31 | Decision 823/QD-TTg dated 30 May 2018 of the Prime Minister on Food support for ethnic minorities in Luc Ngan district, Bac Giang province |
| 32 | Decision 48/2014/QD-TTg dated 28 August 2014 of the Prime Minister on assistance for poor households in building houses for storm and flood control and prevention in the Central area |
| 33 | Decree 105/2014/ND-CP dated 15 November 2014 of the Government on detailed regulations and  Guidelines for implementing several articles of the Health Insurance Law No. 46/2014/QH13 dated 13 June 2014 |
| 34 | Decree 39/2015/ND-CP dated 27 April 2015 of the Government on support for ethnic minority women in poor households during childbirth in accordance with Viet Nam’s population policy |
| 35 | Decision 33/2015/QD-TTg dated 10 August 2015 of the Prime Minister on housing assistance for poor households under the poverty criteria in the period of 2011 – 2015 |
| 36 | Decree 75/2015/ND-CP dated 9 September 2015 of the Government on forest protection and development mechanism and policy along with the policy on rapid and sustainable poverty reduction and assistance to ethnic minorities in the period of 2015-2020 |
| 37 | Decision 53/2015/QD-TTg dated 20 October 2015 of the Prime Minister on benefits for on-campus pupils and students at colleges and middle schools who are entitled to policy-based scholarships, personal items, Lunar new year and travel allowance |
| 38 | Decision 1747/QD-TTg dated 13 October 2015 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the program “supporting the application and transfer of scientific and technological advances to promote socio-economic development in rural, mountainous, ethnic minority areas in the period of 2016-2025. |
| 39 | Decision 402/QD-TTg dated 14 March 2016 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Developing a workforce of ethnic civil servants and public employees in the new era” |
| 40 | Decision 1008/QD-TTg dated 02 June 2016 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Improving Vietnamese proficiency for kindergarten and primary school students in ethnic minority areas for 2016 - 2020, with a vision to 2025” |
| 41 | Decree 116/2016/ND-CP dated 18 July 2016 of the Government on allowance for students and schools in extremely disadvantaged communes and villages. |
| 42 | Decision 32/2016/QD-TTg dated 08 August 2016 of the Prime Minister on Legal assistance for the poor, ethnic minority people residing in poor districts, communes and hamlets, villages with exceptional difficulties in the period of 2016-2020 and support for  complicated or typical cases |
| 43 | Decision 1573/QD-TTg dated 09 August 2016 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “building new-style rural areas in Dien Bien province’s ethnic minority and border areas for socio-economic development and national defence and security in the 2016-2020 period.” |
| 44 | Decision 2085/QD-TTg dated 31 October 2016 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the specific support policy for socio-economic development in ethnic minority and mountainous areas in 2017 – 2020 period |
| 45 | Decision 2086/QD-TTg dated 31 October 2016 of the Prime Minister on the socio-economic development of 16 ethnic minorities with particularly small population. |
| 46 | Decision 2561/QD-TTg dated 01 December 2016 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Boosting the roles of prominent individuals in ethnic minority areas” |
| 47 | Decision 633/QD-TTg dated 19 April 2016 of the Prime Minister on newspapers and magazines supply to ethnic minority and extremely disadvantaged areas in 2016. |
| 48 | Decision 586/2011/QD-TTg dated 03 May 2017 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “State budget’s special investment in film showing infrastructure for remote, border, islands, ethnic minority and extremely disadvantaged areas” |
| 49 | Decree 57/2017/ND-CP dated 09 May 2017 of the Government on prioritized enrollment and support for pre-K children, pupils and students of ethnic minorities with particularly small population. |
| 50 | Decision 1163/QD-TTg dated 08 August 2017 on the approval of the project “Promoting the dissemination and education of law, communication and mobilization among people in ethnic minority and mountainous areas in the2017-2020 period”. |
| 51 | Decision 1860/2011/QD-TTg dated 23 November 2017 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “pilot distribution of radios in ethnic minority and mountainous, border and extremely disadvantaged areas” |
| 52 | Decision 1898/2017/QD-TTg dated 28 November 2017 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Supporting Gender Equality in ethnic minority areas for 2018-2025” |
| 53 | Decision 12/2018 /QD-TTg dated 6 March 2018 (replacing Decision 18/2011/QD-TTg and Decision 56/2013/QD-TTg, Item a Paragraph 4 Article 1 Decision 2561/2011/QD-TTg) of the Prime Minister on selection and accreditation criteria and policy for prominent individuals in ethnic minority groups |
| 54 | Decision 755/QD-TTg dated 27 June 2018 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the Target Program on education in ethnic, mountainous and disadvantaged areas for 2016 – 2020. |

**ANNEX 4**

**List of policies and circulars on education and training development in ethnic minority and mountainous areas**

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| **No** | **Names of the legal documents** |
| **I** | Documents on state management of education |
| 1 | Decree 69/2017/ND-CP dated 25 May 2017 of the Government on functions, tasks, authority and organizational structure of the Ministry of Education and Training |
| 2 | Decree 127/2018/ND-CP dated 21 September 2018 of the Government on Responsibility for state management of education |
| **II** | **Policies on development of network and facilities of schools and classrooms, specialized schools in ethnic minority and mountainous areas** |
| 1 | Circular 24/2010/TT-BGDDT dated 02 August 2010 of the Ministry of Education and Training on the Organization and Operation Regulation of ethnic minority semi-boarding schools |
| 2 | Circular 24/2011/TT-BGDDT dated 13 June 2011 of the Minister of Education and Training on the Organization and Operation Regulation of pre-university schools |
| 3 | Decision 1640/QD-TTg dated 21 September of the Prime Minister on the approval of the scheme on strengthening and developing the system of ethnic minority boarding schools for 2011-2015 |
| 4 | Circular 41/2013/TT-BGDDT dated 31 December 2013 of the Minister of Education and Training on amending and supplementing some articles of the Organization and Operation Regulation of pre-university schools along with Circular 24/2011/TT-BGDDT on 13 June 2011 of the Minister of Education and Training, effective since 15 February 2014 |
| 5 | Decision 1625/2014/QD-TTg dated 11 September 2014 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Concretization of classrooms, schools and public houses for teachers in the period of 2014-2015 and roadmap until 2020” |
| 6 | Circular 30/2015/TT-BGDDT dated 11 December 2015 of the Minister of Education and Training on amending and supplementing some articles of the Organization and Operation Regulation of ethnic minority semi-boarding schools along with Circular 24/2010/TT-BGDDT on 02 August 2010 of the Ministry of Education and Training on the Organization and Operation Regulation of ethnic minority semi-boarding schools |
| 7 | Circular 01/2016/TT-BGDDT dated 15 January 2016 of the Ministry of Education and Training on the Organization and Operation Regulation of ethnic minority boarding schools |
| 8 | Decision 775/2018/QD-TTg dated 27 June 2018 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the Education Target Program for mountainous, ethnic minority and disadvantaged areas in the period of 2016-2020 |
| **III** | **Legal documents on policies for ethnic minority learners** |
| 1 | * Decision 1121/1997/QD-TTg dated 13 January 1997 of the Prime Minister on scholarships and social allowances for pupils and students of public schools. |
| 2 | Decision 239/1999/QD-TTg dated 28 December 1999 of the Prime Minister on Amending and supplementing Item a, Article 1 of the Prime Minister’s Decision 1121/1997/QD-TTg dated 23 December 1997 |
| 3 | Decision 194/2001/QĐ-TTg dated 21 December 2001 of the Prime Minister on adjusting the policy-based scholarship and social allowance amounts for ethnic minority pupils and students studying at public schools as prescribed in the Prime Minister’s Decision 1121/1997/QĐ-TTg dated 23 December 1997. |
| 4 | Decision 82/2006/QĐ-TTg dated 14 April 2006 on Adjusting the scholarship amounts for ethnic minority pupils and students studying at ethnic minority boarding schools and pre-university classes, specified in the Prime Minister’s Decision 194/2001/QD-TTg dated 21 December 2001 |
| 5 | Decree 134/2006/ND-CP dated 14 November 2006 of the Government on the Entrance Nomination policy for universities, colleges and middle schools in the national education system. |
| 6 | Joint Circular No. 43/2007/TTLT-BTC-BGDDT dated 02 May 2007 guiding the implementation of Decision 82/2006/QĐ-TTg dated 14 April 2006 of the Prime Minister on adjusting policy-based scholarship and social allowance amounts for ethnic minority pupils and students studying at public schools |
| 7 | Decision 43/2007/QD-BGDDT dated 15 August 2007 of the Ministry of Education and Training on Regulation on Full-time undergraduate education using academic credit system |
| 8 | * Decision 152/2007/QD-TTg dated 14 September 2007 of the Prime Minister on policy-based scholarships for pupils and students studying in educational institutions within the national education system. |
| 9 | Joint Circular 13/2008/TTLT-BGDDT-BLDTBXH-BTC-BNV-UBDT dated 07 April 2008 of MOET, MOLISA, MOF, MOHA and Ethnic Minority Committee, guiding the implementation of several articles of the Government’s Decree 134/2006/ND-CP dated 14 November 2006 on the Entrance Nomination policy for universities, colleges and middle schools of the national education system. |
| 10 | * Joint Circular 23/2008/TTLT-BGDDT-BLDTBXH-BTC dated 28 April 2008 guiding the implementation of Decision 152/2007/QD-TTg dated 14 September 2007 on policy-based scholarships for pupils and students studying in educational institutions within the national education system |
| 11 | Joint Circular 109/2009/TTLT- BGDDT - BTC dated 29 May 2009 of MOF and MOET providing [guidance on financial policies](https://thuvienphapluat.vn/van-ban/EN/Tai-chinh-nha-nuoc/Circular-18-2018-TT-BTC-financial-policies-applicable-to-microfinance-institutions/432330/tieng-anh.aspx) for  students in ethnic minority boarding schools and pre-university classes |
| 12 | Circular 57/2012/TT-BGDDT dated 27 February 2012 of the Ministry of Education and Training on amending and supplementing a number of articles of Decision 43/2007/QD-BGDDT on Regulation on Full-time undergraduate education using academic credit system |
| 13 | Decision 66/2013/QD-TTg dated 11 November 2013 of the Prime Minister on tuition fee support policy for ethnic minority students at higher education institutions |
| 14 | Joint Circular 35/2014/TTLT-BGDDT-BLDTBXH-BTC guiding the implementation of Decision 66/2013/QD-TTg dated 11 November 2013 of the Prime Minister on tuition fee support policy for ethnic minority students at higher education institutions |
| 15 | Decision 53/QD-TTg dated 20 October 2015 on policy for boarding students at college and VET school |
| 16 | Decree 49/2015/ND-CP dated 15 May 2015 of the Government on amending and supplementing a number of articles of Decree 134/2006/ND-CP on 14 November 2006 of the Government on the Entrance Nomination policy for universities, colleges and middle schools of the national education system |
| 17 | Decree 86/2015/ND-CP dated 02 October 2015 of the Government on the collection and management of tuition fees by educational institutions in the national education system and the exemption and deduction of tuition fees and learning allowance from the 2015-2016 school year to the 2020-2021 school year. |
| 18 | Joint Circular 09/2016/TTLT-BGDDT-BTC-BLDTBXH dated 30 March 2016 guiding the implementation of several articles of Decree 86/2015/ND-CP dated 02 October 2015 of the Government on the collection and management of tuition fees by educational institutions in the national education system and the exemption and deduction of tuition fees and learning allowance from the 2015-2016 school year to the 2020-2021 school year. |
| 19 | * Joint Circular 14/2016/TTLT-BGDDT-BLDTBXH-BTC dated 05 May 2016 on amending and supplementing Section III of the Joint circular 23/2008/TTLT-BGDDT-BLDTBXH-BTC dated 28 April 2008 of ministries guiding the implementation of Decision 152/2007/QD-TTg dated 14 September 2007 of the Prime Minister on policy-based scholarships for pupils and students studying in educational institutions within the national education system |
| 20 | Decision 1008/QD-TTG dated 02 June 2016 on the approval of the project “Improving Vietnamese proficiency for kindergarten and primary school students in ethnic minority areas for 2016 - 2020, with a vision to 2025” |
| 21 | Decree 116/2016/ND-TTg dated 18 July 2016 of the Prime Minister on allowance for students and schools in extremely disadvantaged communes and villages. |
| 22 | Circular 26/2016/TT-BGDDT dated 30 December 2016 of the Ministry of Education and Training, on the Regulation on recruitment, training, selection and placement of ethnic minority students in pedagogical universities, colleges and middle schools. |
| 23 | Circular 04/2017/TT-BGDDT dated 25 January 2017 of the Minister of Education and Training on the regulation on the national high school graduation examination and profile-based graduation. |
| 24 | Circular 05/2017/TT-BGDDT dated 25 January 2017 of the Ministry of Education and Training on student recruitment regulation for full-time pedagogical undergraduate programs |
| 25 | Decree 57/2017/ND-CP on prioritized enrollment and support for pre-K children, pupils and students of ethnic minorities with particularly small population. |
| 26 | Decree 06/2018/ND-CP dated 05 January 2018 of the Government on lunch allowances for preschool children and incentive policies for preschool teachers. |
| 27 | Circular 04/2018/TT-BGDDT dated 28 February 2018 on amending and supplementing a number of articles of  Circular 04/2017/TT-BGDDT dated 25 January 2017 on the regulation on the national high school graduation examination and profile-based graduation. |
| 28 | Circular 07/2018/TT-BGDDT dated 01 March 2018 on amending and supplementing Titles and a number of articles of  Circular 05/2017/TT-BGDDT dated 25 January 2017 of the Minister of Education and Training on student recruitment regulation for full-time pedagogical undergraduate programs. |
| **IV** | **Policies towards teachers and educational administrators in ethnic minority and mountainous areas** |
| 1 | Decree 61/2006/ND-CP of 20 June 2006 of the Government on policies towards teachers and educational administrators working in specialized schools or areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties. |
| 2 | Joint Circular 06/2007/TTLT-BGDDT-BNV-BTC dated 27 March 2007 guiding the implementation of the  Government’s Decree 61/2006/ND-CP dated 20 June 2006 |
| 3 | Decree 116/2010/ND-CP dated 20 December 2010 of the Government on policies towards cadres, civil servants and public employees in the armed forces working in areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties. |
| 4 | Joint Circular 08/2011/TTLT-BNV-BTC dated 31 August 2011 on guiding the implementation of a number of Articles of the Government’s Decree 116/2010/ND-CP dated 24 December 2010 of the Government on policies towards cadres, civil servants and public employees in the armed forces working in areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties. |
| 5 | Decree 19/2013/ND-CP dated 23 February 2013 of the Government  on amending and supplementing some articles of Decree 61/2006/ND-CP dated 20 June 2006 of the Government on policies towards teachers and educational administrators working in specialized schools or areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties. |
| 6 | Joint Circular 35/2013/ TTLT-BGDDT-BNV-BTC of MOET, MOHA, MOF on guiding the implementation of the  Decree 19/2013/ND-CP dated 23 February 2013 of the Government  on amending and supplementing some articles of Decree 61/2006/ND-CP dated 20 June 2006 of the Government on policies towards teachers and educational administrators working in specialized schools or areas with exceptional socio-economic difficulties. |
| 7 | Circular 16/2017/TT-BGDDT dated 12 July 2017 guiding the listing of working positions and number of people working in public schools |
| **V** | **Policies on the teaching**  **of spoken and written languages of ethnic minorities** |
| 1 | Directive 38/2004/CT-TTg dated 09 November 2004 of the Prime Minister on enhancing the training and retraining of ethnic minority languages for public employees working in ethnic minority, mountainous areas |
| 2 | Decree 82/2010/ND-CP dated 15 July 2010 on the teaching and learning of spoken and written languages of ethnic minorities for public employees working in ethnic minority, mountainous areas |
| 3 | Joint Circular 50/2011/TTLT-BGDDT-BNV-BTC of MOET- MOHA- MOF dated 03 November 2011 on guiding the implementation of articles 3,4,5,6,7,8&9 of the Decree 82/2010/ND-CP dated 15 July 2010 on the teaching and learning of spoken and written languages of ethnic minorities in schools and continuing education centers. |
| **VI** | **Universal Education, Illiteracy eradication and MDGs’ achievements on Education for Ethnic Minorities** |
| 1 | Decision 89/QĐ-TTg dated 09 January 2013 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Building learning society for 2012-2020” |
| 2 | Decision 692/QĐ-TTg dated 04 May 2013 of the Prime Minister on the approval of the project “Illiteracy eradication by 2020” |
| 3 | Decree 20/2014/ND-CP dated 24 March 2014 of the Government on educational universalization,  illiteracy eradication |