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MEMORANDUM FROM THE SECRETARY

TO : THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS, PENROs
AND CENROs OF OFFICES CONCERNED

SUBJECT : **EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 369, ESTABLISHING THE
NATIONAL PROGRAM FOR ELIMINATING
LYMPHATIC FILARIASIS AND DECLARING THE
MONTH OF NOVEMBER OF EVERY YEAR AS MASS
TREATMENT FOR FILARIASIS IN ESTABLISHED
ENDEMIC AREAS**

DATE : NOV 12 2004

On 15 July 2004, President Arroyo issued the subject Executive Order as part of the governments' efforts to eliminate filariasis in identified provinces where the disease is endemic (*list attached*). Under Section 6 of this EO, DENR has been tasked to provide assistance in the training, advocacy, and social mobilization in endemic communities to ensure high filariasis mass treatment coverage.

Your areas of jurisdiction are among the abovementioned provinces. For this reason, you are instructed to designate representative/s who will coordinate with the Provincial/Municipal/City Health Officer or the Local Government Unit on activities lined up for the program.

For your appropriate action.


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