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**MEMORANDUM FROM THE OIC, DENR**

**To** : **All REDs, PENROS and CENROs**

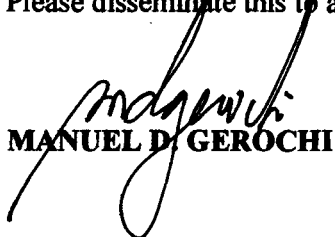
**Subject** : **Appeal of the Embassy of the Federal Republic Germany for the DENR not to register or issue permits for fake STIHL chainsaws.**

**Date** : **FEB 10 2004.**

Attached is a letter dated 06 February 2004 of Mr. Eike Peter Sacksofsky, First Secretary, Head Economic & Commercial Section, Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, appealing to DENR not to register or issue permits for fake STIHL chainsaws. According to Mr. Sacksofsky, imitated and fake STIHL chainsaws with inferior quality, imported from some Southeast Asian countries, are being sold in the Philippine market in violation of the Philippine Intellectual Property Code.

In this regard and in pursuance of the Philippine Intellectual Property Code, you are hereby instructed not to register or issue permits for fake STIHL chainsaws.

Please disseminate this to all legitimate chainsaw importers/dealers/distributors/users.

  
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