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MEMORANDUM

TO

ALL BUREAU DIRECTORS

HEADS OF ATTACHED AGENCIES

FROM

THE ASSISTANT SECREATRY

FOR FOREIGN ASSISTED AND SPECIAL PROJECTS

OFFICE (FASPO)

SUBJECT

SUBMISSION OF ACCOMPLISHMENT

REPORTS/POSITION PAPERS AND READING MATERIALS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DESK

DATE

October 28, 2005

Pursuant to Special Order No. 2005-292, the Foreign Assisted and Special Projects Office (FASPO), through the International Affairs Desk is tasked to monitor compliance to the country's obligations under international conventions and commitments.

In view of this, may we request you to submit accomplishment reports and position papers relevant to the international conventions to which your respective offices are concerned and to furnish us copies of related materials. These outputs would help the International Affairs Desk to accomplish its function as embodied in the Special Order.

Following are the International Conventions to which the Philippines is committed as well as the Focal Agencies concerned:

1. United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) IACC Secretariat, EMB DENR

2. Trust Fund for the Montreal Protocol-Ozone Layer

Philippine Ozone Desk-DENR

- -UNEP Environment Program
- -Multilateral Fund
- -SIDA-SEI
- -World Bank

3. Trust Fund for Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal **EMB-DENR**

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4. International Network for Bamboo and Rattan (INBAR)

Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau

5. International Tropical Timber Organization (ITTO)

Forest Management Bureau (FMB)

6. UNEP Regional Trust Fund for the Implementation of Action Plan for the Marine Environment and Coastal Areas Of the East Asian Seas (COBSEA) EMB-DENR

7. Coordinating Committee for Coastal Geoscience Programme in East and Southeast Asia (CCOP) Mines and Geosciences Bureau (MGB),DENR

8. UNEP Environment Fund

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9. Convention on Biological Diversity

PAWB-DENR

10. Convention on International Trade of Endangered Species Of Wild Flora and Fauna (CITES) PAWB-DENR

11. Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals

PAWB-DENR

12. Convention on Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar Convention) PAWB-DENR

13. International Hydrographic Organization

National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA) -Coast and Geodetic Survey Department

We would appreciate to receive the requested documents and reports within fifteen (15) working days from receipt of this memorandum.

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