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TO

The Regional Executive Directors

DENR Regions 1-13, CAR and NCR

**FROM** 

The Undersecretary

Finance, Information Systems and Climate Change

SUBJECT

SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS FOR

THE 40% SHARE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS ON

THE PROCEEDS FROM THE DEVELOPMENT AND

DATE

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This refers to the letter dated September 28, 2020 of Mr. Wendel E. Avisado, Secretary of the Department of Budget and Management, citing the *Bayanihan to Recover as One Act* [Republic Act (RA) No. 11494], which was approved by the President on September 11, 2020. This aims to provide recovery interventions and mechanism to accelerate the recovery and bolster the resiliency of the Philippine Economy as a response to the damages brought by the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (CoViD-19) pandemic.

UTILIZATION OF NATIONAL WEALTH

The law partly provides that the Department of Budget and Management and the Bureau of The Treasury shall automatically and completely release any adjusted or remaining shares of local government units (LGUs) in national wealth and National Tax Allotment pursuant to Section 286 of RA No. 7160 or the "Local Government Code of 1991".

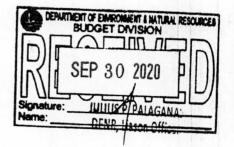
In this regard, you are advised to submit the joint certifications and the necessary documentary requirements to support the release of the remaining shares of LGUs on the proceeds from the development and utilization of national wealth, particularly the collection of forest charges as of September 30, 2020. To facilitate the request for release, please submit the complete documentary requirements as provided in DBM-DOF-DENR-DOE Joint Circular No. 2006-1 dated February 13, 2006.

You may submit the scanned copy of documents through email at <u>denrofficecentralconso@gmail.com</u> as an advance copy for verification/validation on or before November 10, 2020.

For compliance.

ATTY. ANALIZA REBUELTA-TEH, CESO I





## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT

GENERAL SOLANO STREET, SAN MIGUEL, MANILA

SEP 28 2020

#### **SECRETARY ROY A. CIMATU**

Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) Visayas Avenue, Diliman Quezon City 1106



### Dear Secretary Cimatu:

The *Bayanihan to Recover as One Act* (Republic Act [RA] No. 11494), which was approved by the President on September 11, 2020, aims to provide recovery interventions and mechanisms to accelerate the recovery and bolster the resiliency of the Philippine Economy as a response to the damages brought by Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic.

Section 4 (q) of the said law provides, in part, that the Department of Budget and Management and the Bureau of the Treasury shall automatically and completely release any adjusted or remaining shares of local government units (LGUs) in national wealth and National Tax Allotment pursuant to Section 286 of RA No. 7160 or the "Local Government Code of 1991."

In this regard, to enable us to process the release of the remaining shares of LGUs in the proceeds from the development and utilization of the national wealth pursuant to Sections 289 to 294 of RA No. 7160, may we respectfully request for your submission of the joint certifications and necessary documentary requirements covering the collections derived by the national government from forest charges and royalty fees from mineral reservations.

The certification(s) that will be submitted by the DENR will serve as our basis in the release of funds to the beneficiary LGUs.

We hope to receive your feedback or response the soonest time possible.

Thank you and God bless.

Very truly yours,

WENDEL E. AVISADO Secretary