



MEMORANDUM

FOR : The OIC-Asst. Sec. for Climate Change and Concurrent Director,
Biodiversity Management Bureau

The Directors
Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau
Environmental Management Bureau
Forest Management Bureau
Land Management Bureau
Mines and Geosciences Bureau

FROM : The OIC-Director, Policy and Planning Service

SUBJECT : **SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGs)
ACCELERATED ACTION PLATFORM: INVITATION TO
REGISTER NEW/ADDITIONAL PH
COMMITMENTS/INITIATIVES TO ACCELERATE SDG
IMPLEMENTATION**

DATE : 22 DEC 2020

This refers to the letter from DFA Asst. Sec. Noralyn Jubaira-Baja regarding the SDG Accelerated Action Platform.

The UN DESA, Division for SDGs is requesting Governments to register and showcase new commitments or initiatives to accelerate SDG implementation as part of the Decade of Action and Deliver in their online platform (<https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdgactions>). The said platform currently captures more than 300 SDG Acceleration Actions to bolster SDG implementation, including efforts to recover from the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Currently, the Philippines has three submissions: Youth Co: Lab from UNDP Philippines; DICT-Pipol Konek (Free WiF-Fi for all); and a CSO initiative on Innovation for Social Impact Partnership. The DFA recommends that agencies register new/additional PH commitments/initiatives to accelerate SDG Implementation through the online portal above.

In this regard, may we request for information on any new or existing initiatives under your bureau for submission and registration as an SDG Acceleration Action. The criteria for these proposed SDG Acceleration Actions may be found in the following link (<https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdgactions/about>).

We would appreciate receiving your inputs on this matter on or before **28 December 2020** for consolidation and registration on the platform. Attached are the briefer and the information required for your reference.

For your information and appropriate action, please.


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