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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** **REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**  
DENR Region No. 9, Pagadian City

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**REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**  
DENR Region No. 12, Koronadal City

**DIRECTOR AND/OR REPRESENTATIVE**  
Biodiversity Management Bureau

**FROM :** **THE UNDERSECRETARY**  
Enforcement, Mining and Muslim Affairs

**SUBJECT :** **FOLLOW-UP MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF THE**  
**MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**AND ENERGY (MENRE) OF THE BANGSAMORO**  
**AUTONOMOUS REGION OF MUSLIM MINDANAO (BARMM)**

**DATE :** February 5, 2021

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This refers to the letter dated January 26, 2021 of the Hon. Abdulraof A. Macacua, Executive Secretary and Concurrent Minister of MENRE-BARMM regarding their request for a follow-up meeting with the DENR-National to discuss further clarificatory concerns and to include the Turtle Islands Wildlife Sanctuary and proposed Lake Buluan Natural Biotic Area.

In view hereof, please attend the meeting on February 24, 2021 (Wednesday) at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of MENRE-BARMM, Bangsamoro Government Center, Governor Gutierrez Ave., RH-7, Cotabato City.

Your attendance in the said meeting is highly enjoined.

For information and compliance. Thank you.

**JIM O'SAMPULNA, CESO I**  


Cc: Minister Abdulraof A. Macacua  
MENRE-BARMM, Cotabato City

Head Executive Assistant

Undersecretary for Field Operations  
and Environment



**Republic of the Philippines**  
**BANGSAMORO AUTONOMOUS REGION IN MUSLIM MINDANAO**  
**Ministry of Environment, Natural Resources and Energy**  
**OFFICE OF THE MINISTER**  
 Bangsamoro Government Center, Governor Gutierrez Ave., RH-7, Cotabato City  
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*Feb. 24, 2021*

MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY  
 Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao

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**USEC. JIM O. SAMPULNA**  
 Undersecretary  
 Enforcement, Mining and Muslim Affairs  
 Department of Environment and Natural Resources  
 Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City

**FOREST MANAGEMENT SERVICES**  
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Dear Undersecretary Sampulna,

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 MENRE - BARMM

Assalamo alaikum warahmatullahi wabarakatuho!

In line with our first letter that was sent to you dated 9 January 2021 which also focused on the turn-over of various documents and DENR programs implemented in the BARMM Region. We would also like to include the Turtle Islands Wildlife Sanctuary and proposed Lake Buluan Natural Biotic Area in our follow-up meeting with your team to discuss further clarificatory concerns.

Along with our review team that was formed by our ministry, we would be glad to meet you again at your most convenient time in Cotabato City.

Thank you for continuously supporting the realization of the peace agreement and being a main partner in achieving a sustainable peace and development in the Bangsamoro Region.

Sincerely yours,

*[Signature]*  
**ABDULRAOF A. MACACUA**  
 Executive Secretary and Concurrent Minister