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17 March 2021

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** The Regional Executive Directors  
Region V, VII, VIII, IX, X, XII, XIII, CAR

**ATTN :** The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officers  
Risk Resiliency Program Focal Persons  
24 Priority Climate-Vulnerable Provinces<sup>1</sup>

**FROM :** The Undersecretary  
Finance, Information Systems and Climate Change

**SUBJECT :** **CONSULTATION MEETING FOR THE RISK RESILIENCY PROGRAM – PROGRAM CONVERGENCE BUDGETING FOR FY 2022**

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This pertains to the climate-responsive investments of Local Government Units under the Risk Resiliency Program - Program Convergence Budgeting (RRP-PCB) of the Cabinet Cluster on Climate Change Adaptation, Mitigation and Disaster Risk Reduction (CCAM-DRR) for FY 2022.

The dual-threat of COVID-19 and climate change has exposed numerous vulnerabilities not only in public health care, but also in emergency response, early warning, and disease forecast. As the threat of the pandemic continues, socio-economic recovery remains uncertain. Now more than ever shall we heed the need for a paradigm shift in our approach in managing multiple crises by pursuing the pathway to a greener and more resilient recovery.

The national and local budget preparation for FY 2022 serves as an opportunity for us to ensure proper allocation of our limited fiscal space on climate- and disaster risk-responsive investments. Through the RRP, National Government Agencies and Local Government Units can pursue convergence budgeting to strengthen the country's actions for climate change adaptation and mitigation, building the adaptive capacity and enhancing the resiliency of climate-vulnerable communities.

In this regard, may we request for a virtual meeting with you on March 26, 2021, Friday at 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM via Zoom to discuss the following agenda items:

1. Proposed theme of the RRP for FY 2022: Towards a Water-Secure and Resilient Philippines;

2. Provision of technical assistance to LGUs on the prioritization and implementation of climate- and disaster risk-responsive investments in anticipation of the roll-out of the Mandanas Ruling; and
3. Proposed improvements on the RRP based on the initial findings of the Performance Monitoring and Assessment (2019-2020) developed by the World Bank-assisted technical assistance team

For confirmation, you may submit the attached confirmation slip to [rrp.secretariat@gmail.com](mailto:rrp.secretariat@gmail.com) on or before 24 March 2021, 5:00 pm. Below is the link for the said meeting:

Link:

<https://zoom.us/j/98467996698?pwd=MEZBaU12MEILV3hiTm04UXRDVnl3dz09>

Meeting ID: 984 6799 6698

Passcode: RRP2022

For consideration.

  
ATTY. ANALIZA REBUelta-TEH

<sup>1</sup> Masbate, Sorsogon, Negros Oriental, Western Samar, Sarangani, Surigao del Norte, Surigao del Sur, Dinagat Islands, Southern Leyte, Eastern Samar, Zamboanga del Norte, Bukidnon, North Cotabato, Sultan Kudarat, Maguindanao, Sulu, Lanao del Sur, Northern Samar, Apayao, Kalinga, Mountain Province, Ifugao, Catanduanes, Siquijor

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PROGRAM CONVERGENCE BUDGETING FOR FY 2022**

26 March 2021

**CONFIRMATION SLIP**

Region/PENRO: \_\_\_\_\_

This is to confirm the attendance of the following:

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