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MEMORANDUM

TO : All Regional Executive Directors
DENR Regions I to XIII (except NCR)

ATTENTION : The Regional Convergence Initiative-Technical Working Group
(RCI-TWG)

FROM : The Undersecretary
Policy, Planning and International Affairs
& Permanent Alternate Representative
National Steering Committee
DA-DAR-DENR-DILG NCI-SRD

SUBJECT : **REQUEST FOR SUBMISSION OF NEWS AND/OR
FEATURE ARTICLES HIGHLIGHTING PANDEMIC
RESPONSES WITHIN THE CONVERGENCE AREAS
AND/OR ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE NCI-SRD
COVERING THE PERIOD FROM JULY TO OCTOBER
2021**

DATE : SEP 15 2021


This refers to the attached letter from Undersecretary Waldo R. Carpio, Special Concerns, Department of Agriculture, Permanent Alternate Representative, National Steering Committee, DA-DAR-DENR-DILG NCI-SRD, requesting the Regional Convergence Initiative-Technical Working Groups (RCI-TWGs) to submit a news and/or feature articles highlighting pandemic responses within the convergence areas and/or activities related to the NCI-SRD covering the period of July to October 2021.

The requested articles/news will be published to show the success stories and accomplishments of the different RCI-TWGs to the public. Submitted articles/news should be proofread and ready for publication.

In this regard, please submit the requested article/news **on or before 29 October 2021** through ncisrd@da.gov.ph. For inquiries, please contact Mr. Justine Devela via ncisrd@da.gov.ph.

For your appropriate action.


ATTY. JONAS R. LEONES

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ATTY. JONAS R. LEONES, CESO I
 Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs
 Department of Environment and Natural Resources
 Visayas Avenue, Quezon City

Dear **Undersecretary Leones:**

The bi-annual NCI-SRD Digest, the official newsletter of the **NCI-SRD**, is an essential tool to strengthen the information, education and communication campaign of the organization. It is an avenue to present the success stories and accomplishments of the **different Regional Convergence Initiative Technical Working Group (RCI TWG)** to the general public.

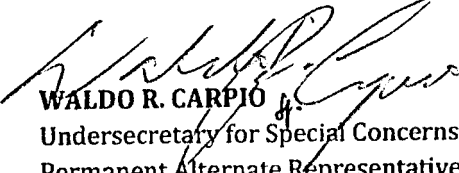
In this regard, may we **request your good office to facilitate the submission of the RCI TWGs on news and/or feature articles highlighting pandemic responses within the convergence areas and/or activities related to the NCI-SRD covering the period of July to October 2021.** The following specifications should also be observed:

1. A maximum of 1000 words per article;
2. Photos should have appropriate captions;
3. Microsoft Word format;
4. With high resolution photos (at least 240 dpi) as separate attachments; and
5. Author and source of article should be indicated.

Submitted articles shall be proofread and publication-ready. **Kindly submit your articles on or before 29 October 2021 through ncisrd@da.gov.ph.** For further clarifications and other concerns, your staff may contact **Mr. Justine Devela** of the NCI-SRD National Secretariat via email at ncisrd@da.gov.ph.

Thank you for your continued support to the NCI-SRD.

Truly yours,


WALDO R. CARPIO
 Undersecretary for Special Concerns and
 Permanent Alternate Representative,
 National Steering Committee
 DA-DAR-DENR-DILG NCI-SRD