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MEMORANDUM

FOR/TO:

All Regional Executive Directors

FROM

The OIC Director

Policy and Planning Service

SUBJECT

REQUEST FOR REVIEW OF SECONDARY DATA ON ABANDONED. UNDEVELOPED. UNDERUTILIZED

FISHPONDS

DATE

0 4 MAY 2022

Pursuant to Special order No. 2021-274 or the Creation of the DENR Technical Working Group (TWG) for the Reversion of Abandoned, Undeveloped and Underutilized (AUU) Fishponds and Other Related mangrove conservation and Rehabilitation Policies, one of the actions needed to inform the next steps of the TWG is the harmonization of existing data on AUU Fishponds.

To validate and cross-check existing data on AUU Fishponds, we would like to request your offices to review and provide us with the available secondary data in your offices regarding AUU Fishponds turned over by DENR to BFAR in Land Classification Maps or in zonification maps. Please also provide the status, if any, on these areas. (Are the areas still under the jurisdiction of BFAR or have already been turned over to DENR?)

We would appreciate receiving an initial copy of your existing data on the above, as well as any initial findings on or before 13 May 2022. You may send a copy of your response via email at <u>psddivision@gmail.com</u>.

ELO C. NOBLE

For your information and appropriate action, please.

Cc: The Assistant Secretary, PPFASP

The Bureau Directors, (FMB, BMB, ERDB, and LMB)

The Administrator, NAMRIA

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SPECIAL ORDER No. 2021- 274

SUBJECT:

CREATION OF THE DENR TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP FOR THE REVERSION OF THE ABANDONED, UNDEVELOPED AND UNDERUTILIZED (AUU) FISHPONDS AND OTHER RELATED MANGROVE CONSERVATION AND REHABILITATION POLICIES

In the interest of the service and in support to the NCI-SRD Joint Resolution No. 06 Series of 2020, also known as the Creation of the Inter-Agency Technical Working Group (TWG) under Section 14 of the Joint DA-DENR-DILG Administrative Order (JAO) No. 01., Series of 2008 to address policy issues on the Abandoned, Undeveloped and Underutilized (AUU) Fishponds in relation to Fishpond Lease Agreement (FLA), the DENR National and Regional TWG, is hereby created to consist of the following:

A. National TWG

CHAIR

The Assistant Secretary

Policy, Planning and Foreign-Assisted Projects

ALTERNATE:

The Director

Policy and Planning Service

MEMBERS:

Deputy Administrator, National Mapping and Resource

Information Authority

The Director, Legal Affairs Service
The Director, Forest Management Bureau
The Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau

The Director, Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau

The Director, Land Management Bureau

Representative, Office of the Undersecretary for Field

Operations and Environment

B. Regional TWG

CHAIR

The Regional Executive Director

ALTERNATE:

The Assistant Regional Director, Technical Services

MEMBERS:

Division Chief, Conservation and Development Division

Division Chief, Survey and Mapping Division

Division Chief, License, Patents and Deeds Division

The PENR Officer
The CENR Officer

Roles and responsibilities of the National Secretariat:

- 1. Coordinate meetings, prepare correspondences and keep record of minutes of meetings and reports on the work of the TWG;
- 2. Perform secretariat functions during the TWG meetings;
- 3. Assist in the coordination with and between the IATWG and other partners for the timely accomplishment of the TWG targets;
- 4. Monitor the progress and accomplishments of the TWG as well as the implementation of the activities as agreed during the IATWG meetings;
- 5. Assist in the inclusion of the target activities and corresponding financial requirements to the Work and Financial Plan of the Department; and
- 6. Perform other functions as may be assigned by the TWG Chairperson and/or higher authorities.

Both the national and regional TWG may invite representative/s from the academe and/or Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) during consultation meetings and validation activities. The same shall also represent DENR in the IATWG created under NCI-SRD Resolution No. 06 Series of 2020.

All expenses to be incurred in line with the implementation of this Order shall be charged against each respective office, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

ATTY. FENESTO D. ADOBO, JR. CESO I
Undersecretary for Legal, Administration, Human
Resources, and Legislative Affairs

