



MEMORANDUM

FOR : **The Directors**
Policy and Planning Service
Legal Affairs Service
Climate Change Service

The Bureau Directors
Land Management Bureau
Forest Management Bureau
Environmental Management Bureau

The Officer-in-Charge
Mines and Geosciences Bureau

The Administrator
National Mapping and Resource Information Authority

FROM : **The Director**
Legislative Liaison Office

SUBJECT : **INVITATION TO 4TH TWG MEETING AND REQUEST FOR
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS RE: HB 7652 AN ACT
INSTITUTING A NATIONAL LAND USE POLICY, PROVIDING
THE IMPLEMENTING MECHANISMS, CREATING FOR THE
PURPOSE THE NATIONAL LAND USE COMMISSION, AND
APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR FROM THE SPECIAL
COMMITTEE ON LAND USE**

DATE : 20 March 2023

In reference to the electronic mail on 19 March 2023, the Special Committee on Land Use is inviting the department to its 4th Technical Working Group (TWG) meeting to discuss House Bill No. 7652 on the proposed National Land Use Act (NaLUA) on **23 March 2023 at 10:00 A.M. at Speaker Feliciano Belmonte Hall, South Wing Annex.**

The NaLUA Bills are as follows:

- A. HB No. 420, "AN ACT INSTITUTING A NATIONAL LAND USE POLICY, PROVIDING THE IMPLEMENTING MECHANISMS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES," authored by Rep. Joey Sarte Salceda;
- B. HB No. 870, "AN ACT INSTITUTING A NATIONAL LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES," authored by Rep. Michael Romero;

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- N. HB No. 5149, "AN ACT INSTITUTING A NATIONAL LAND USE AND MANAGEMENT POLICY, PROVIDING THE IMPLEMENTING MECHANISM, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR," authored by Rep. Margarita Ignacia B. Nograles;
- O. HB No. 6055, "AN ACT INSTITUTING A NATIONAL LAND USE AND MANAGEMENT POLICY, PROVIDING THE IMPLEMENTING MECHANISM, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR," authored by Rep. Luis Raymund "LRay" F. Villafuerte Jr.;

- P. HB No. 6275, "AN ACT INSTITUTING A NATIONAL LAND USE POLICY, PROVIDING THE IMPLEMENTING MECHANISMS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES," authored by Rep. Marissa "Del Mar" Magsino;
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In this regard, may we request **comments/recommendations** on House Bill No. 7652. Kindly send them on or before **March 21, 2023, at 5 PM** via email at denrilo@denr.gov.ph. Further, kindly inform us of the name/s of the representative/s from your office who will participate in the meeting so we may include him/her/them as resource person/s.

Attached herewith are the invitation letter and agenda. The copies of the bills may be accessed through this link <https://bit.ly/3SH3AgX>.

For information and action, please.


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cc: *Undersecretary for Special Concerns and Legislative Affairs*



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17 March 2023

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Projects

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Chief, Legal Research and Administrative Investigation Section, Land
Management Bureau (LMB)

Dear **Sec. Yulo-Loyzaga**:

Greetings!

The House Special Committee on Land Use will hold its 4th Technical Working Group (TWG) Meeting on the proposed National Land Use Act (NaLUA) on the 23rd of March 2023 at 10:00 A.M. at Speaker Feliciano Belmonte Hall, South Wing Annex.

In line with this, we would like to invite you or your representative/s to share comments and insights on the proposed measure.

We have attached herewith the agenda, and House Bill No. 7652, for your reference.

Moreover, in line with our new security protocol, we will highly appreciate it if you can submit the following details of your Office's representative/s: name, email address, contact number, and photocopy of identification card, on or before 12:00 noon on 21 March 2023 (Tuesday), for us to be able to properly coordinate the visitors' pass and antigen testing of the guests. Further, since it takes thirty (30) minutes for the swab tests to be processed, you are advised to adjust your schedule accordingly to avoid long queues at the testing facilities as we will start the meeting promptly at 10:00A.M. The antigen testing facilities normally open at 7:30 A.M.

For any clarification, please contact the Committee Secretariat, Ms. Glenda A. Daco on mobile number 09171598890 or at the e-mail address above. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

REP. FRANCISCO JOSE "BINGO" F. MATUGAS II, CPA, CESO, LLB
Chairperson

FOR THE CHAIRPERSON

Glenda A. Daco

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OIC-Committee Secretary



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SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON LAND USE

4th TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEETING

A G E N D A

DATE : 23 March 2023 (Thursday)
TIME : 10:00 A.M.
ROOM : Spkr. Feliciano Belmonte Hall, SWA
MODE : Physical

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. RECOGNITION OF HOUSE MEMBERS AND RESOURCE PERSONS

III. OPENING REMARKS OF THE TWG CHAIRPERSON

IV. CONTINUATION OF THE TWG MEETING ON THE WORKING DRAFT OF THE PROPOSED NATIONAL LAND USE ACT (NaLUA)

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IV. OTHER MATTERS

- A. Schedule of Next TWG Meeting

V. ADJOURNMENT

Guests/Resource Persons:

National Agencies

- Civil Service Commission (CSC)
- Commission on Higher Education (CHED)
- Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR)
- Department of Agriculture (DA)
- Department of Budget and Management (DBM)
- Department of Education (DepEd)
- Department of Energy (DOE)
- Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR)
 - Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB)
 - Environmental Management Bureau (EMB)
 - Forest Management Bureau (FMB)
 - Lands Management Bureau (LMB)
 - Mines and Geosciences Bureau (MGB)
 - National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA)
 - National Water Resource Board (NWRB)
- Department of Human Settlements and Urban Development (DHSUD)
 - Human Settlements Adjudication Commission (HSAC)
- Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG)
- Department of Justice
 - Land Registration Authority (LRA)
- Department of Science and Technology (DOST)
 - Philippine Institute of Volcanology and Seismology (PHIVOLCS)
 - Philippine Atmospheric Geophysical and astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA)
- Department of Tourism (DOT)
- Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)
- Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH)
- Department of Transportation (DOTr)
- Department of National Defense (DND)
- Department of Information and Communication Technology (DICT)
- Department of Finance (DOF)
- National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP)
- National Economic Development Authority (NEDA)
- National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRRMC)
- National Historical Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA)
- National Anti-Poverty Commission (NAPC)

Organizations/NGOs

- Kilusang Magbubukid ng Pilipinas
- League of Cities of the Philippines (LCP)
- League of Municipalities of the Philippines (LMP)
- League of Provinces of the Philippines (LPP)
- Philippine Business for Environment Stewardship (PBEST)
- Union of Local Authorities of the Philippines (ULAP)

Academe

- UP School of Urban and Regional Planning (UP SURP)
- De La Salle University (DLSU)

Industry

- Aboitiz Equity Ventures
- Aboitiz Power