



DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES
KAGAWARAN NG KAPALIGIRAN AT LIKAS NA YAMAN



MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Director
Forest Management Bureau
Environmental Management Bureau
Biodiversity Management Bureau

FROM : The OIC Director
Policy and Planning Service

**SUBJECT: INVITATION TO THE 3RD EXECUTIVE ORDER NO.18
CONSTITUTING GREEN LANES FOR STRATEGIC INVESTMENTS
TWG MEETING**

DATE : 7 JUN 2024

This is in reference to the letter from the Mr. Ernesto C. Delos Reyes Jr., Director-In-Charge, One-Stop Action Center for Strategic Investments (OSACSI), dated 03 June 2024, requesting for representatives to attend the 3rd Executive Order No. 18 Technical Working Group Meeting on 10 June 2024, 3:00 PM, at the BOI Penthouse Board Room, 385 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, to be presided by BOI Managing Head Undersecretary Ceferino S. Rodolfo.

As of now, the OSACSI has certified 66 strategic investments amounting to over Php 2.047 trillion, predominantly in Renewable Energy (RE) Projects. While agencies have demonstrated efficiency in processing RE project applications, investors continue to face challenges such as Tree Cutting Permits, Right of Way issues, and other tenurial concerns, which the OSACSI is committed to resolving.

In this regard, we kindly request representatives of at least Division Chief level to attend the TWG Meeting to address pertinent matters within your office's purview. Please confirm the name of your representatives via email at psddivision@gmail.com for subsequent confirmation with the office of OSACSI.

For your information and appropriate action.


CHERYL LOISE T. LEAL

MEMO NO. 2024 - 517

3 June 2024.

HON. MARIA ANTONIA YULO-LOYZAGA
Secretary
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

ATTN: DIRECTOR CHERYL LOISE T. LEAL
Policy and Planning Service

Dear **Secretary Loyzaga**

Greetings from the One-Stop Action Center for Strategic Investments!

The Board of Investments – One Stop Action Center for Strategic Investments wishes to thank you for your unwavering support on the implementation of Executive Order No. 18: Constituting Green Lanes for Strategic Investments.

As of date, we have already certified a total of 66 strategic investments worth over Php 2.047 Trillion, most of which are Renewable Energy Projects. OSACSI has been proactive in coordinating with concerned government agencies as well as local government units in facilitating the applications of Green Lane endorsed projects. While agencies have been efficient in processing the applications of RE projects, there are still some challenges being encountered by investors that OSACSI aims to address including but not limited to Tree Cutting Permit, Right of Way and other Tenurial issues.

With increased interest from investors to go into RE projects, the challenges in the permitting and licensing process are best addressed by concerned agencies.

In this regard, may we kindly invite you and/or your representative/s of at least Director or Division Chief level as the DOE Green Lane Focal Person/s to the 3rd EO 18 Technical Working Group Meeting on **10 June 2024, 3:00 PM**, at the BOI Penthouse Board Room, 385 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City. The meeting will be presided by BOI Managing Head Undersecretary Ceferino S. Rodolfo.

Attached for your reference is the proposed program and agenda for the meeting.

For your confirmation and/or clarification, you may reach out to the following account officers:

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We are looking forward to your attendance and participation in this meeting. Together, we can help promote ease of doing business in the Philippines!

Let's Make It Happen!

Sincerely,



ERNESTO C. DE LOS REYES JR.
Director-In-Charge
One-Stop Action Center for Strategic Investments

**3rd EO 18 Technical Working Group Meeting
10 June 2024, 3:00 PM
BOI Penthouse Board Room**

MEETING AGENDA

Topic

- 1. Approval of the Minutes of the 2nd EO 18 TWG Meeting**
 - Copy of Minutes has been provided to TWG Members
- 2. Discussion of the Action Items from the 2nd EO 18 TWG Meeting**
 - Issuance of DILG MC on the creation/designation of Green Lane Units among LGUs
 - DICT will release a Department Order on the streamlining of internal processes particularly those involved in the DICT Endorsement for BOI Registration
 - Updating of DICT's eGov SuperApp to include Green Lane Applications
- 3. Updates on Green Lane Operations**
 - Number of Projects Certified
 - Number of Applications awaiting complete submission
 - Issues and Concerns Facilitated
 - Challenges on RE Projects (i.e., Tree Cutting Permit, LGU Endorsement, Right of Way, and other Tenurial Issues)
- 4. Updates on the EO 18 Implementing Rules and Regulations**
 - Comments from the TWG Members
 - Date of Approval of TWG Members (i.e., DTI, ARTA, DILG, NEDA)
 - Awaiting approval from DOF
- 5. Discussion on Issuance of Provisional Permit by OSACSI**
- 6. Proposal of a Joint Memorandum Circular among IPUNet Members**