

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCESKAGAWARAN NG KAPALIGIRAN AT LIKAS YAMAN



MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Directors

Biodiversity Management Bureau Environmental Management Bureau

Forest Management Bureau Land Management Bureau

The Executive Director

National Mapping and Resource Information Authority

FROM

The OIC Director

Policy and Planning Service

SUBJECT

INTER-AGENCY MEETING FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY

INVESTMENTS ON 05 FEBRUARY 2024 AT THE AT THE BOI PENTHOUSE BOARD ROOM, 385 SEN. GIL PUYAT AVENUE.

MAKATI CITY

DATE

2 9 JAN 2024

This has reference to the invitation from the Board of Investment regarding the Inter-Agency Meeting for Renewable Energy Investments on 05 February 2024 at the BOI Penthouse Board Room, 385 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City.

BACKGROUND

The Executive Order 18 was approved by the Office of the President on 24 February 2023 and was officially launched on 13 July 2023. The first project that was endorsed under the EO was the 1300 MW Floating Solar Power Project of SunAsia Energy Inc. in Laguna de Bay. Since then, the One-Stop Action for Strategic Investments (OSACSI) has already evaluated and endorsed 36 projects for Green Lane services, 28 of which are under the Renewable Energy (RE) sector. As of date, 21 out of the 24 projects that are still being evaluated by OSACSI are under the RE sector as well.

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.

ACTION REQUESTED

In this regard, considering the technicality of the meeting requires, particularly on providing information regarding permitting and licensing process, which can be properly addressed by your Office, we would like to **request your and/or your official representative(s)**' attendance to the inter-agency meeting for Renewable Energy. Please see attached Agenda which indicate the following topics for presentation of the DENR:

- a. Programmatic ECC for Floating Solar Projects;
- b. Programmatic ECC for Offshore Wind Projects; and
- c. Environmental and Tree Cutting Permits.

The above-mentioned Offices are also requested to provide recommendations and after-activity report to the Office of the Undersecretary for Special Concerns and Legislative Affairs, copy furnished the Office of the Undersecretary for Policy, Planning, and International Affairs.

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

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For your preferential action, please.

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cc: The Undersecretary

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