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SPECIAL ORDER  
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SUBJECT : Presentation of Annual Likas-Yaman Awards to Coincide with the Anniversary Celebration of the Ministry.

Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 1546 declaring the period May 17-23 as Natural Resources Consciousness Week, and further to S.O. No. 84 creating a Task Force to administer the activities in connection with the Ministry's Fifth Anniversary celebration, the Committee on Awards has initiated a novel incentive program referred to as the "Likas-Yaman Awards" program aimed at rewarding employees who have made outstanding contribution in the effective and efficient management of the country's natural resources.

To implement this supportive program, an over-all Committee on Awards is hereby created composed of the following :

Asst. Minister Arnold B. Caolli - Chairman  
Executive Director Celso R. Roque - Vice Chairman  
Director Edmundo V. Cortes - Member  
Director Juanito C. Fernandez - Member  
Director Ramon Cassanova - Member  
Director Felix Gonzales - Member  
Director Filisberto Pollisco - Member  
Executive Director Elizabeth Samson - Member  
Executive Director Leonardo Angeles - Member  
General Manager Benito Bengson - Member  
Deputy Director Rogelio Mauricio - Member

The over-all Committee on Awards shall perform the following functions :

1. to institute the Likas-Yaman Awards program as a yearly activity of all units concerned;
2. to formulate the general guidelines in the selection of Likas-Yaman awardees;

3. to determine the various categories and compositions of the awards to be given yearly;
4. to take charge in the screening and final selection of the awardees; and,
5. to perform all other functions in the effective implementation of the program.

In view thereof, all Bureau Directors and attached-agency Heads are enjoined to create immediately their respective Awards Committee to undertake the necessary steps in ensuring the proper implementation of said program.

Expenses incidental to the carrying out of the Likas-Yaman Awards Program shall be chargeable against the appropriation of the units concerned, subject to the usual auditing and accounting procedures.

This Order takes effect immediately.

  
JOSE J. LEIDO, JR.  
Minister