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*Ministry of Natural Resources*  
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SUBJECT : ORGANIZATION OF RATTAN AD-HOC  
COMMITTEE.

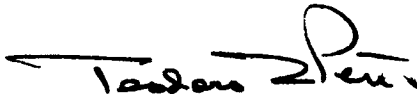
In line with the government policy to rationalize the rattan industry, a multi-sectoral Ad-Hoc Committee, specifically tasked to draw up a comprehensive set of guidelines regulating the licensing and operations of rattan processing plants, shall be organized.

The Ministry of Natural Resources spearheads and oversees all activities of this Ad-Hoc Committee, with Atty. Lucas C. Licerio acting as Chairman.

This Committee shall be composed of one representative each of the following entities:

- a) Board of Investment
- b) Bureau of Small and Medium Industries
- c) NDC-NACIDA Raw Materials Corporation
- d) Ministry of Natural Resources
- e) Bureau of Forest Development
- f) Chamber of Furniture Industries of the Phil.
- g) Forest Research Institute

This Order takes effect immediately and shall remain in force until revoked.

  
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Minister