

MINISTRY OF
NATURAL RESOURCES

SPECIAL ORDER
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SUBJECT : DESIGNATION OF OFFICER-IN-CHARGE,
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR LEGAL AFFAIRS,
BUREAU OF FOREST DEVELOPMENT

1. In the interest of the service and in order to improve and strengthen the prosecuting arm of the Bureau against violators of forestry laws, rules and regulations, former JUDGE GRACIANO P. GAYAPA, JR., of the Office of the Minister, is hereby designated as OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR LEGAL AFFAIRS, BUREAU OF FOREST DEVELOPMENT.


2. As Officer-In-Charge, Judge Graciano P. Gayapa, Jr., shall act on any and all matters involving legal problems/cases of the Bureau which properly pertain to the Office, particularly the following:

- a) Any case in which the Minister of Natural Resources and/or the Director of the Bureau is/are parties to the case;
- b) Criminal cases involving violations of forestry laws, rules and regulations;
- c) Administrative cases;
- d) Land problems affecting the Bureau;
- e) Boundary dispute cases;
- f) Forest Users cases.

3. He is hereby authorized to organize the staff of his Office, who shall come from the existing employees of the Bureau, if available, to be composed of the following:

- a) One (1) Legal Assistant
- b) One (1) Technical Assistant (Forester)
- c) Two (2) Stenographers
- d) Two (2) Clerk-Typists
- e) Two (2) Records Clerks
- f) One (1) Messenger
- g) One (1) Janitor
- h) One (1) Driver

4. This Order shall take effect immediately.


TEODORO Q. PEÑA
Minister

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1. The Director, BFD
2. The Asst. Director, BFD
3. The Asst. Director for Technical Services, BFD