



Republic of the Philippines

Ministry of Natural Resources

Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City, Metro Manila

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SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT: Authorizing some personnel of the Bureau of Forest Development (BFD), this Department, to undertake selected Post-Graduate Courses at the University of the Philippines at Diliman, Quezon City for SY 1987 to December 31, 1988 sponsored by US-AID Training and Development Issues Project (US-AID/TDI).

In the interest of public service and in response to the acceptance-letter of the Assistant Director-General and Project Manager, Participant Training Component, TDI Project of US-AID at NEDA, Pasig, M.M., dated 27 May 1987, the following personnel of the Bureau of Forest Development, this Department are authorized on official time with pay to pursue some selected post-graduate courses at UP Diliman, Q.C. starting in SY 1987 to 31 December 1988, sponsored by the United States Agency for International Development under its Training and Development Issues Project (US-AID/TDIP). These personnel are:

<u>Name/Position</u>	<u>Field of Training</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Isabelita V. Austria Sr. Forester	MS in Sociology	As a regular scholar-grantee for SY 1987 to 31 December 1988
Nicasio T. Iglesia Senior Forester	MA in Urban and Regional Planning	- do -
Floradema C. Eleazar Senior Forester	- do -	This scholarship grant is a mere continuation of what the scholar has already started, hence, its coverage is only for unfinished required academic subject, including thesis to complete said masteral course.

Expenses to be incurred in connection herewith which include a) tuition fees, b) monthly stipend of ₱2,000, c) book allowance of ₱3,000 per semester and ₱1,500 per summer session while enrolled in required subjects of prescribed courses, and d) research and thesis preparation allowance of ₱7,000 will be provided for under such grant through the US-AID/TDI Project. Any required field trip or workshop expenses, in the amount of up to ₱2,000 may also be reimbursed by the sponsoring agency.

The scholars are required to devote full-time to their studies while on official leave with pay and to render three (3) years of service in the Department of Environment and Natural Resources for each year of scholarship enjoyed.

Under this Order, and for the purpose of monitoring their performance during the scholarship period, they are required to submit to the Assistant Secretary for Administration and Personnel Management, three (3) copies of the report of their achievements for every semester or summer session attended.

Finally, pursuant to Memorandum Circular No. 682, series of 1973, issued by the Office of the President, the above named personnel are also required to submit to the undersigned, through the Assistant Secretary for Administrative and Personnel Management, three (3) copies of their scholarship report incorporating therein relevant programs, plans or recommendations to apply whatever insights, knowledge and skills gained therefrom, within thirty (30) days upon return to their respective official stations.

This Order takes effect only for the prescribed duration of the scholarship grant.


FULGENCIO S. FACTORAN, JR.
Secretary