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SUBJECT

Reconstituting the Task Force for Phase II of the Integrated Protected Areas System (IPAS) for the Philippines Project.

In the interest of the service and in order to implement Phase II of the Integrated Protected Areas System (IPAS) Project, the IPAS Task Force, created under DENR Special Orders No. 720, dated 19 November 1987, and No. 802, dated 16 December 1987, is hereby reconstituted to be composed of the following:

- 1) Wilbur Dee (PAWB) Project Coordinator
- 2) Pablo Alfonso (Haribon/UPLB) Counterpart Coordinator
- 3) Gregorio Texon (PAWB) Member
- 4) Roberto Rubio (U.P.Los Banos) Member
- 5) Danilo Balete (U.P.Los Banos) Member
- 6) Edmenilda Santos (Haribon) Member
- 7) Annabelle Plantilla (Haribon) Member

The Task Force shall have the following functions:

- 1. Prepare the necessary workplans for the identification, review and gathering of relevant information on selected protected areas which would be necessary in the preparation of its resource management plan.
- 2. Coordinate with the concerned DENR Regional officials, where the identified areas are located, in selecting the members of the field teams which shall conduct the resource inventories and socio-economic surveys.
- 3. Design and implement a training program for the field personnel who shall conduct the resources inventories and socio-economic surveys.
- 4. Supervise the resources inventories and socio-economic surveys of the field teams in the selected protected areas.
- 5. Prepare and submit regular quarterly reports to the Undersecretary for Environment and Research and the Director of PAWB of the Task Force's progress, activities and accomplishments vis-a-avis the project's expenditures.

The Task Force shall work closely with the Haribon Foundation in the planning, preparation and implementation of a strategy for an on-site resource and problem assessment.

The expenses of the Task Force shall be chargeable against the allotment of the Department, while expenses of the field teams shall be chargeable against their respective regional allotments.

This order takes effect immediately and amends/supersedes DENR Special Order Nos. 720 and 802, Series of 1987.

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