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DENR SPECIAL ORDER NO. <u>|6|</u> Series of 1990

SUBJECT:

Designating MR. JOVEN A. ALEGRE, Coordinator, Mangrove Investigation/Monitoring Task Force, as Special Investigation Officer of the Special Actions and Investigation Division, DENR.

Fursuant to the provisions of P.D. 705, as amended by E.O. 277, series of 1987, Mr. Joven A. Alegre is hereby designated as Special Investigating Officer of the Special Actions and Investigation Division, Department of Environment and Natural Resources, effective upon receipt hereof.

By virtue of this designation, he shall be authorized to detect/investigate violations of forestry laws, rules regulations and to arrest even without warrant any person who has committed, is committing or is about to commit in his presence any of the offenses defined in Chapter IV of P.D. 705 as amended. In connection therewith, he is also authorized to file, initiate administrative complaints against DENR personnel who appears to consented ar facilitated the commission the aforementioned offense. He is also authorized to seized/confiscate the tools and equipment used in committing the offense and the forest products cut, gathered or removed by the offender(s) in the process of committing the offense.

In addition, he is also authorized to conduct investigations related to the mangrove reforestation activities and/or project of the Department.

This designation shall remain in force until otherwise revoked.

VINCENT A: ROBLES
Chief

Special Actions & Investigation Division