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SPECIAL ORDER : No. <u>553</u> : Series of 1991 :

SUBJECT: Creating a Committee to Investigate and Verify
the Veracity of the Letter-Complaint by DENR
Employees of DENR Region XII, Cotabato City

In the interest of service and with reference to the letter-complaint of DENR employees in Region XII regarding irregularities and anomalous transaction in the DENR Region XII, Cotabato City, a committee is hereby created composed of the following DENR personnel to conduct necessary investigation:

Chairman Atty. Arthur Amansec Scecial Assistant to the Secretary for Legal Affairs HEA-OSEC

Member Rosanna M. Rafols Forester, Personnel Investigation Committee

Member Melencio C. Jalova, Jr. Forester, NPCG

The Committee is tasked with the following:

- Ascertain the veracity of the irregularities and anomalous transaction in DENR Region kil, Cotabate City, subject of the letter-complaint.
- I. Do such work as may be necessary for the purpose of coming up with data and information which will enable this Office to arrive at an intelligent pecision to the issue.

The Committee may enlist the services and assistance of any office, officer, and employee of the Department. In the performance of their functions. They are also authorized to engage the services of private individuals and/or groups to provide assistance, as the need arises, curing the conduct of investigation.

The Committee members shall be entitled to receive reasonable travelling allowances/per diems in the distinance of their functions chargeable against DENR funcs and subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect immediately and supersedes all orders in consistent herewith and shall remain in force unless revoked by another order.

FULGENCIO S. FACTORAN, JR. Secretary