



DEPARTMENT OF  
ENVIRONMENT AND  
NATURAL RESOURCES

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SPECIAL ORDER )  
No. 235 :  
Series of 1992)

SUBJECT : Creating a Committee to Hear the charges against  
Elmer Balbin, et al.

In connection with the Administrative Case filed against  
Elmer Balbin, et al., by this Office for Dishonesty, Conduct  
Grossly Prejudicial to the best interest of the service and Grave  
Misconduct, A Hearing Committee is hereby created, composed of  
the following:

Atty. Ricky Arzadon	-	Chairman
Marlea Munez	-	Forester, Office of the Undersecretary for Field Operations.
Atty. Manuel Marquez, Jr.	-	Legislative Affairs Office
Atty. Santiago Rodriguez	-	Prosecutor

The Hearing Committee may request assistance from any  
personnel or other government agencies like the NBI or the CIS or  
any police agency and/or call the services of other personnel of  
the Department and other personnel of its Regional Offices and  
attached agencies and can avail of their facilities, if deemed  
necessary.

Further they shall have the authority to issue **subpoena ad  
testificadum, subpoena duces tecum** upon any personnel of the  
Department and other material witnesses who may have some  
knowledge of information vital to the case.

The members of the Hearing Committee shall be entitled to  
travelling allowances and per diems subject to existing  
accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

The Hearing Committee shall submit its report and  
recommendation within fifteen (15) days from termination of the  
investigation.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

  
RICARDO M. UMALI  
OIC, Secretary