



DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT AND
NATURAL RESOURCES
NATIONAL PROGRAM
COORDINATING OFFICE
NATIONAL FORESTATION DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

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SUBJECT: CREATION OF A RESEARCH PROJECT COMMITTEE
TO MONITOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
WATERSHED REHABILITATION PROJECTS.

1. In the interest of the service and in order to closely monitor the implementation of activities of the watershed rehabilitation project and to coordinate the compilation, evaluation and analyses of research data in pilot critical watersheds, a RESEARCH PROJECT COMMITTEE is hereby created to be composed of the following NFDO personnel, to wit:

A. LUZON

Chairman - Herminigildo C. Jocson
Members - Gilbert Castro
Iluminada Thiam

B. VISAYAS AND MINDANAO

Chairman - Maritess M. Ocampo
Members - Melencio C. Jalova Jr.
Lilia Padua

COORDINATOR: VENERANDO U. GARCIA

2. The Committee shall be under the direct supervision of the NFDO Project Director who shall serve as the Over-all Coordinator.

3. The Committee is tasked to conduct the following:

- a) Evaluate and recommend for approval the implementation plan of various research Pilot projects for each watershed rehabilitation project submitted by duly accredited NGOs in accordance with the guidelines for Pilot watershed rehabilitation;
- b) Facilitate awarding of contracts to prospective NGOs interested to undertake research activities in watershed rehabilitation project;
- c) Monitor all watershed rehabilitation project activities and see to it that the implementation of the same is in accordance with the approved guidelines, Work and Financial Plan and project development plan;
- d) Conduct validation of PENRO/CENRO inspection report and recommend payment if the performance of the contractor is in accordance with the approved contract;
- e) Consolidate research data and conduct field sampling to validate such data submitted by each NGO contractor;
- f) Evaluate and analyze data using appropriate research analysis;

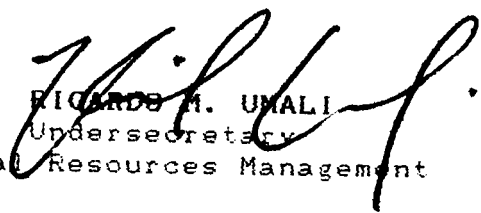
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- g) Recommend alternative strategies of implementation; and
- h) Submit a quarterly progress report and a completion report on the research and development components of the project to the NFDO Project Director copy furnish the Assistant Project Director for Technical Services.

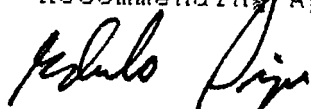
4. The Committee shall convene/meet once every quarter or as the need arises to thresh out issues that may arise during implementation and present updates on research data gathered to the NFDO Project Director.

5. All expenses incurred by the Committee in the performance of activities enumerated hereof shall be charged against NFDO allotment subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

6. This Order takes effect immediately.


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Undersecretary
Natural Resources Management

Recommending Approval:



EDUARDO B. PRINCIPE
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