




DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT AND
NATURAL RESOURCES

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SUBJECT: NATIONAL WORKSHOP SERIES ON FOREST PROTECTION

1. Consistent with the provisions of DAO 24, Series of 1991 which prohibits the logging in the old growth (virgin) forests starting 01 January 1992, the DENR in cooperation with Haribon Foundation, an NGO, launches the National Workshop Series on Forest Protection.
2. The workshop shall discuss the basis of possible cooperation amongst the various sectors in protecting the primary forest areas where logging has been totally banned.
3. Concerned DENR regional and field officers are directed to actively participate and if necessary, serve as resource persons in the said workshop. Specifically, it will be conducted in the following areas.
 - a. Palawan cluster (Mt. St. Paul & Mt. Matalingahan)
 - b. Mt. Kitanglad cluster (Bukidnon, Agusan, Surigao, Cagayan de Oro City, Lanao and Iligan)
 - c. Sierra Madre Mountain Range cluster (Aurora, Bulacan, Cagayan Valley, Nueva Ecija, Quezon & Rizal)
 - d. Zamboanga cluster (Pagadian, Misamis Occ. and Zamboanga del Sur)
 - e. Subic Forest (Zambales and Bataan)
4. The National NGO Desk shall coordinate and work closely with Haribon Foundation in the conduct of the affair. Likewise, concerned Regional NGO Desks are directed to help in the preparation and participate in the said workshop.
5. Expenses incidental of the workshop shall be charged against the Central Office regular funds in the case of the National NGO Desk. Expenses incurred by the regional and field offices shall be charged against their respective regular funds. All expenses are subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. This order shall take effect immediately.


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