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SUBJECT: Creation of a Project Steering Committee

and a National Technical Working Group for the Implementation of the DENR's

Ecological Profiling Project.

In the interest of the service and in order to provide technical guidence and expertise for the conduct of ecological profiling in the various regions/provinces of the Philippines and to efficiently attain the objectives of the Project, the following experts/personnel are hereby designated to compose the Project Steering Committee (PSC) and the National Technical Working Group (NTWG):

## Project Steering Committee (PSC)

Chairman:

Dir. Emilio A. Rosario (ERDB)

Dir. Rodrigo Fuentes (EMB)
Dir. Corazon Sinha (PAWB)
Dir. Linda Papa (NAMRIA)

## National Technical Working Group (NTWG/Secretariat)

Chairman: Santiago R. Baconguis (ERDB)

Members : Virgilio Palaganas (PAWB)

Alberto Bamatao (PAWB) Ella Deocadiz (EMB) Alberto Magalang (EMB) Antonio Daño (ERDB) Medel Lim Suan (ERDB)

Macario del Rosarto (NAMRIA)

John Fabic (NAMRIA) Lilibeth Cabebe (EDSP) Erlinda Manluctao (EDSP)

Chairman, Regional Project Coordinating Teams

Designated ERDB Personnel to support the

Secretariat

The Project Steering Committee shall: (a) supervise and provide policy directions/guidelines in the implementation of the project; (b) facilitate/act on matters affecting interagency personnel involvement in the project; and (c)conduct

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regular evaluation/review of the project's accomplishments and/or operational problems.

The National Technical Working Group shall: (a) provide technical expertise and assistance in the implementation of the project activities; (b) coordinate and/or conduct data collection and analyses for project report preparation; (c) supervise/monitor field implementation activities in cooperation with regional offices; (d) supervise the final preparation and printing of provincial ecological profile; and (e) acts as Secretariat to the Project Steering Committee.

To enable the Project Steering Committee and the National Technical Working Group/Secretariat to carry out their functions, a Regional Project Coordinating Teams shall be constituted in each of the regional office which will be headed by the respective RTD's for Research.

Members of the Project Steering Committee, the National Technical Working Group/Secretariat and the Regional Project Coordinating Teams shall be entitled to claim travelling expenses incurred in the conduct of the project activities charged to the Project funds, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and embodied in the Amended Auditing Manual for Research Operations.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

Recommending Approval:

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