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'SPECIAL ORDER No. <u>281</u> Series of 1995

SUBJECT:

Investigation of lumber shipments of HILTON SAWMILL CORPORATION ON BOARD M/V Solid Gold consigned to TOP LITE LUMBER, of LOGWOOD LUMBER on board M/V Lorcon Mindanao consigned to SEVEN COLORS CONSTRUCTION SUPPLY, and of the lumber shipments on board M/V Sparkles, voyage nos. 101 and 104 and other shipments coming from Davao for reported violations of forestry laws, rules and regulations

In the interest of service and pursuant to the mandates of DENR, the following personnel are hereby directed to proceed to DENR Region XI, particularly, Davao, to conduct an investigation relative to the above-captioned subject and to carry out confidential instructions given by the undersigned:

ATTY. JUDE CAINGAT BENEDICTO L. VELEZ, III GERUNDIO C. FERNANDEZ

Further, the above-named personnel are likewise authorized to coordinate with and seek the assistance of other government instrumentalities in carrying out the mission assigned to them.

Expenses to be incurred in the course of the subject investigation shall be charged against DENR Funds.

They shall submit their report within fifteen (15) days upon completion of their field investigation.

This Order shall remain valid until after the completion of their mission.

SO ORDERED.

ANGEL C. ALCALA
Secretary