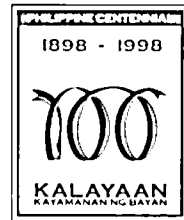




DEPARTMENT OF
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DENR SPECIAL ORDER
NO. 97 - 239

SUBJECT : DESIGNATING ASSISTANT SECRETARY RAMON J.P. PAJE AS DENR FOCAL OFFICER/SENIOR OFFICIAL FOR APEC.

In the interest of the service and in compliance with the DENR's commitments in APEC, Assistant Secretary Ramon J.P. Paje is hereby designated as DENR Focal Officer/Senior Official for APEC.

As such, he shall coordinate for the Department all APEC - related concerns and liaise with DFA, DTI, NEDA and other related agencies. He shall also serve as the DENR's permanent representative to the Philippine APEC-SOM and other delegations requiring the Department's participation.

Likewise, for effective coordination, all DENR Offices are hereby instructed to course through all APEC-related communications/reports and arrangements to the designated Focal Officer/Senior Official.

This Order shall take effect immediately and supersede/revoke all Orders inconsistent herewith.


VICTOR O. RAMOS
Secretary