



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of  
Environment and  
Natural Resources

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DENR SPECIAL ORDER  
No. 97 - 309

SUBJECT : DESIGNATION OF THE WATERSHED MANAGEMENT SECTION, FOREST MANAGEMENT BUREAU AS PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICE OF THE WATER RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT PROJECT-WATERSHED MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT COMPONENT (WRDP-WMIC) TA

In the interest of the service and in line with the regionalization and institutionalization of foreign-assisted projects, the Watershed Management Section of the Forest Management Bureau is hereby designated as the Project Management Office of the Water Resources Development Project-Watershed Management Improvement Component (WRDP-WMIC). The Chief, Reforestation Division, FMB is hereby designated as the Project Manager, on concurrent capacity. (Attached is an organizational Chart of the PMO in relation to the WRDP structure).


The Project Management Office (PMO) in coordination with the DENR Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects Office shall perform the following functions:

1. Oversee the operations of the watershed management component, and coordinate with NIA and other agencies involved in the project;
2. Coordinate and monitor WRDP-WMIC activities of Consultant Team and Counterpart Staff;
3. Submit to the Office of the Undersecretary for Environment and Programs Development, copy furnished the Foreign Assisted and Special Projects Office, annual work and financial plans, progress reports and other reports required by the DENR and other oversight agencies;
4. Manage disbursements of WRDP-WMIC funds; and
5. Perform other functions as may be required.


As such, the said Office shall be responsible and accountable in the implementation of the Project. The same is further authorized to call on any official/office/unit in the DENR and other participating agencies in the performance of its functions relative to the project.

All expenses that shall be incurred in this connection shall be charged against the WRDP-WIMC/GOP Counterpart funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing procedures.

This Order takes effect immediately.

  
VICTOR O. RAMOS  
Secretary

Recommending Approval:

  
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