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Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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SUBJECT

CONDUCT OF REGIONAL WORKSHOPS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE MASTER PLAN (Framework, Strategy and Action Plan) FOR MARINE AND COASTAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT

In the interest of public service, the conduct of the Regional Workshop for the development of the Master Plan for Marine and Coastal Resources and Management at the Institute for Religion and Culture (IRC), Cebu City, on June 3-4, 1997, and at Mega Pension House, MegaHomes, Macasandig, Cagayan de Oro City on June 10-11, 1997, is hereby authorized.

The Workshop objectives shall be:

- 1. To bring together a core constituency of marine and coastal managers and stakeholders;
- 2. To generate a discussion on the primary issues and /or pressures affecting coastal and marine resources and environment;
- 3. To share experiences in the management, use and development of marine and coastal resources and environment;
- 4. To obtain inputs on the development of a framework, strategy and action plan for marine and coastal resources and environment.

The output of the workshop are as follows:

- 1. Evaluation and prioritization of issues or "pressures" (activities that cause problems) affecting marine and coastal resources and environment:
- 2. Suggested strategies on how these issues or pressures can be addressed;
- 3. Suggested actions on how to manage, protect and develop Philippine marine and coastal esources and environment;

4. Suggested strategies on how to effectively manage the marine and coastal resources and environment.

The following DENR officials and personnel are hereby authorized to attend these workshops.

A. Central Office

Officials

- 1. Antonio G.M. La Vina Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs and Attached Agencies
- 2. Five Representatives from the Office of the Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs and Attached Agencies

Ma. Lourdes Baylon Ma. Jean Calleda Jose Leroi Garcia James Kho Ingrid Rosalie Gorre Carolyn Mercado

- 3. Dir. Urbano R. Pilar National Coordinator, Coastal Environment Program
- 4. One Representative from the Office of the Coastal Environment Program
- B. Regional Representatives

One representative from each of the following regions:

Region V Region VI Region VII **RED Jeremias Dolino** RTD Florendo Barangan Emma Melana Joselito Alcaria Region VIII Region IX Region X **RED Vicente Paragas** RTD Dioscoro Melana Georgina Padilla Manolito Pasco Region XI Region XII Region XIII

C. Secretariat

Region X

Estrella Onrejas Teresita Puyo Norily Gaspar Ruel Guiritan Gideon Patlunag

All traveling expenses incurred during the attendance of this workshop shall be chargeable to concerned unit funds or to CEP funds. Workshop expenses shall be chargeable to CEP, in accordance to the usual accounting and auditing procedures.

For strict compliance.

Approved:

VICTOR O RAMOS

Recommending approval:

DELFIN J. GANAPIN, JR.
Undersecretary for Environment
and Programs Development

VIRGILIO O MARCELO

Undersecretary for Field Operations

ANTONIO G.M. LA VINA Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs and Attached Agencies