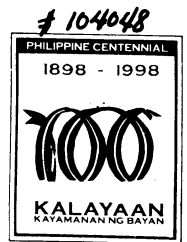




DEPARTMENT OF
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Special Order

No. 99-174

**SUBJECT : CREATION OF A TEAM TO CONDUCT
INVESTIGATION ON SCAM IN SMOKEY
MOUNTAIN**


In the interest of service and in view of the newspaper article that came out from the Philippine Daily Inquirer dated February 19, 1999, entitled "**SOLON EXPOSES SCAM IN SMOKEY MOUNTAIN – Contractor Accused of Skirting Environmental Requirements,**" a team is hereby created to conduct investigation composed of DENR officers, to wit:

Elizabeth G. Gran	-	Team Leader
Abigail L. Garrido	-	Member
Representative from UPDO	-	Member
Representative from LLDA	-	Member

They are authorized to request the assistance and support of any office, official or employee of concerned government agencies in the conduct of the investigation.

They shall submit report upon completion of their duty.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


ANTONIO H. CERILLES
Secretary