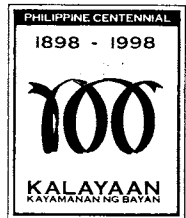




DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT AND
NATURAL RESOURCES



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SPECIAL ORDER

NO. 99-849

**SUBJECT : CREATING REGIONAL TASK FORCES ON
FORESHORE AREAS AND SPECIAL LAND
USES**

In the interest of the service and in order to vigorously pursue the objectives and planned activities for the creation of the Department's TASK FORCE ON FORESHORE AREAS AND SPECIAL LAND USES, there is hereby created a counterpart in the Regional level. The Regional counterpart shall be composed of the following, to wit:

REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	-	Chairperson
Chief, Surveys Division	-	Member
Chief, Management Division	-	-do-
Chief, Forest Resources Dev't. Division	-	-do-
Chief, Protected Areas Division	-	- do- -
Chief, Legal Division	-	-do-
PENROS	-	-do-
CENROS	-	-do-

The Regional Task Force shall have the following responsibilities, to wit:

1. Undertake a regional survey and evaluation of foreshore areas and other lands bordering bodies of water;
2. Undertake inventory of all applications and agreements covering foreshore lands, marshy lands and other lands bordering bodies of water whether subsisting, rejected, cancelled and expired to include whatever improvements existing thereon vis-à-vis the corresponding appraised value. ;
3. Coordinate with the Department's Task Force implementing OPLAN FAKE TITLES/ANTI LAND SCAM in order to take proper steps in the improvements existing thereon;


4. Perform such other related tasks and functions that may be assigned from time to time.

A monthly report shall be submitted to the Secretary thru the Department's Chairman, Task Force on Foreshore Areas and Special Land Uses to bear whatever activities undertaken during the month under review.

The Chairperson is authorized to call on any official/employee for assistance and support in the implementation of the aforementioned responsibilities.

In carrying out the responsibilities above-stated, herein officials are hereby authorized to reimburse whatever expenses, chargeable against the regular allotment of each Regional Office, subject to the availability of funds and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect immediately and shall remain in full force and effect unless otherwise amended and/or repealed in writing.



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Secretary