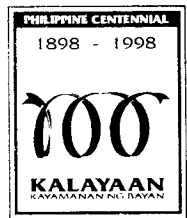




DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT AND
NATURAL RESOURCES



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DENR Special Order
No. 99- 889

**SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE ATTENDANCE OF
PROFESSIONAL FORESTERS OF THE DENR TO THE
1999 ANNIVERSARY AND ANNUAL CONVENTION
OF THE SOCIETY OF FILIPINO FORESTERS, INC.
ON AUGUST 26-28, 1999 AT THE WATERFRONT
HOTEL, LAHUG, CEBU CITY.**

In the interest of the service and pursuant to the government's Continuing Education Program for professionals as provided for under Presidential Proclamation No. 118 dated June 11, 1987 and Executive Order No. 266 dated July 25, 1995 institutionalizing the Continuing Professional Education (CPE) Program, DENR professional foresters are hereby authorized to participate in the 1999 Anniversary and Annual Convention of the Society of Filipino Foresters, Inc. to be held at Waterfront Hotel, Lahug, Cebu City on August 26-28, 1999.

Attendance to the Convention will provide the opportunity for the DENR's corps of professional foresters to keep abreast with modern trends, technology and emerging issues in forestry and related fields. It will also help these foresters comply with the CPE Program of the government.

Heads of concerned offices shall ensure that the participation of foresters will not hamper the basic functions and responsibilities of the department.

Cost of travel expenses and convention fees shall be chargeable against their respective offices subject to availability of funds and in accordance with existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect immediately.


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