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SPECIAL ORDER
NO. 2000-1082

SUBJECT: SALE OF CAPTIVE BRED JUVENILE SALTWATER CROCODILES (CROCODYLUS POROSUS) FROM PALAWAN WILDLIFE RESCUE AND CONSERVATION CENTER. (PWRCC)

WHEREAS, SPECIAL ORDER No. 2000-76 dated January 20, 2000 was issued to encourage and promote development of the saltwater crocodile farming in the country by allowing the marketing and sale of juveniles by PWRCC and NRDC;

WHEREAS, juveniles is defined as crocodile measuring 60-120cm.;

WHEREAS, at this time the feed consumption of these juveniles comprises almost thirty percent (30%) of the feeds consumed by the crocodiles annually;

WHEREAS, should one thousand seventeen (1,017) juveniles be disposed as early as possible, total maintenance cost for the crocodiles in the PWRCC will be reduced which will be favorable to the project.

WHEREAS, the price of the juveniles to be sold will be increased from three hundred thousand seven hundred eighty-two (Php 3,782.00) to four thousand five hundred pesos (Php 4,500.00).

WHEREFORE, above premises considered, the NRDC and PWRCC are hereby authorized to sell one thousand seventeen (1,017) juveniles saltwater crocodiles to the qualified farmer cooperators provided they pay the cost of four thousand five hundred pesos (Php 4,500) per juvenile.

This Order takes effect immediately.


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Secretary