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DENR SPECIAL ORDER

SUBJECT:

Creation of a Committee to Conduct Investigation on the Alleged Irregularity in the Bidding Process for the DENR Region III Building Project

In the interest of the service and in view of certain reports regarding the alleged irregularity in the bidding process for the DENR Region III Building Project in San Fernando, Pampanga, an Investigating Committee from the DENR Legal Service is hereby created to investigate said reports, to be composed of the following:

Director Santiago F. Rodriguez - Chairman
Director Renato C. Macahilig - Member
ARED Wilfredo B. Saraos - Member
Atty. Allan V. Barcena - Member

The Committee is empowered to issue <u>subpoena duces tecum</u> and <u>ad testificandum</u>, administer oath, take testimonies and all other powers inherent in a quasi-judicial investigations pursuant to Section 37, Chapter IX, Book I of the Revised Administrative Code.

The Committee is also authorized to coordinate with and seek the assistance of other government agencies and instrumentalities in carrying out its assigned tasks.

The Committee shall be entitled to traveling expenses, per diems and other incidental expenses in the performance of the duties chargeable against appropriate DENR funds.

It shall render its report within fifteen (15) days from the completion of its proceedings.

This Order takes effect immediately.

ANTONIO H. CERILLES

Secretary