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Special Order
No. 2000-440

Subject: Creation of a Committee to Conduct Hearing on the Formal Charges against Jaime Centeno, Francisco de Lara and Hilario Gonzales.

In the interest of the service, a Committee is hereby created to hear the formal charges against Jaime Centeno, Francisco de Lara and Hilario Gonzales for Grave Misconduct, Gross Negligence, Usurpation of Authority, Manipulation of Public Documents, Committing Acts and Conduct Prejudicial to the Best Interest of the Service. The Committee shall be composed of the following:

Atty. Geraldine Ramos	-	Chairman
Atty. Angelina Faral	-	Member
Atty. Merdilene Ramirez	-	Member

Also, Assistant Regional Executive Director Wilfredo B. Saraos and Atty. Ricky A. Arzadon are appointed as Prosecutors.


The Committee is hereby authorized to issued subpoena *duces tecum* and subpoena *duces ad testificandum*.

The Committee may avail of the assistance of DENR personnel or those from any of its bureaus and offices for the accomplishment of its purposes.

The Committee shall submit its report within fifteen (15) days from the termination of the hearing.

This Order takes effect immediately.

By Authority of the Secretary:


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