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SPECIAL ORDER
NO. 2000- 717

SUBJECT : Special Order Creating the Secretariat for the Search for Coastal Management Programs and Composition of the National Search Committee

Pursuant to the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) entered into by and between the League of Municipalities of the Philippines (LMP) and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) dated April 6, 2000 agreeing among others, to jointly develop a work program, screening process and guidelines for the implementation of *the "Best CRM Programs Awards"* for municipalities of the Philippines, a secretariat is hereby created to assist the National Search Committee to be headed by Dir. Florendo B. Barangan. The Member of the Secretariat shall be composed of the following CEPCO staff:

Lidinila L. Concepcion	-	Development Management Officer IV
Emiliano Ramoran	-	Senior Science Research Specialist
Joselito D. Magat	-	Project Development Officer III

Likewise, Director Barangan shall chair the National Search Committee tasked to evaluate and determine the awardees for the said search and shall be composed of different agencies/offices represented by the following:

Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR)	-	Ms. Jessica C. Muñoz
Dept. of Interior and Local Government (DILG)	-	Ms. Zoraida M. Aquende
Dept. of Science and Technology-Philippine Council for Aquatic and Marine Resources Research and Development (PCAMRD)	-	Ms. Ester Saragoza
Department of Environment and Natural Resources	-	Dir. Florendo B. Barangan
Department of Environment and Natural Resources	-	Dir. Eustaquito T. Tandug
League of Municipalities of the Philippines (LMP)	-	Mr. Joseph Batac

Coastal Resources Management Project – Tetra Tech EM Inc. (CRMP) - Ms. Anabel C. Trinidad

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Center for Excellence in Coastal Resource Management (COE-CRM), Silliman University - Mr. Roy Olsen de Leon

United States Agency for International Development (USAID) - Ms. Leila Peralta

The National Search Committee shall fast track the screening and evaluation of the nominees and to conduct field validation when necessary, to verify whether the submitted documents can fully substantiate the nomination and further determine the awardees who will be represented during the National Convention of the League of Municipalities in September 2000.

All incidental expenses in the conduct of the evaluation/validation, including reasonable incentives for the evaluators, shall be chargeable against the Coastal Environment Program funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


ANTONIO H. CERILLES
Secretary