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**SPECIAL ORDER**

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**SUBJECT: DESIGNATION OF UNDERSECRETARY RAMON J. P. PAJE,  
ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OPERATIONS,  
AS OFFICER-IN-CHARGE OF THE DEPARTMENT**


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In the interest of the service and in view of the travel of the Undersigned to Stockholm, Sweden and Helsinki, Finland to attend the Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) Diplomatic Conference and to meet representatives of the Finland/Sweden Ministry of the Environment and the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry on May 19-27, 2001, Undersecretary Ramon J. P. Paje is hereby designated as OIC, Secretary.

As such, he shall perform all functions of the Secretary, except appointment and reassignment of personnel, and shall sign documents as follows:

**RAMON J. P. PAJE**  
OIC, Secretary

This Order shall take effect immediately and be automatically revoked upon the return of the Undersigned from said travel.

  
**HEHERSON T. ALVAREZ**  
Secretary