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**SPECIAL ORDER**  
No. 2002- 300

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**SUBJECT: DESIGNATION OF DR. AIDA B. LAPIS AS CONCURRENT HEAD OF RESEARCH BRANCH OF THE ASEAN REGIONAL CENTRE FOR BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION (ARCBC), LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA AND SECTION CHIEF OF LAND REHABILITATION SECTION, GRASSLAND ECOSYSTEMS DIVISION AT THE ECOSYSTEMS RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT BUREAU (ERDB-DENR), LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA**

In the interest of the service and in pursuance with the Financing Agreement signed between the European Union and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources on behalf of the ASEAN, Dr. Aida B. Lapis, Supervising Science Research Specialist of Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau (ERDB) is hereby designated as concurrent Head of the Research Branch of the ASEAN Regional Centre for Biodiversity Conservation, Los Baños, Laguna and concurrent Section Chief of the Land Rehabilitation Section, Grassland Ecosystems Division, ERDB, Los Baños, Laguna.

As such, Dr. Lapis shall report immediately to the ASEAN and EU Co-Directors of ARCBC and to the Director of ERDB. She will maintain the concurrent positions at ARCBC and DENR by performing its respective tasks and functions.

She shall inform the undersigned of her compliance hereof and furnish the offices concerned a copy of her reporting for duty for record purposes.

This Order shall take effect immediately and revokes/supersedes all previous orders inconsistent herewith.

  
**HEHERON T. ALVAREZ**  
*Secretary*

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