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SPECIAL ORDER No. 2002 - 487

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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF SEVERAL ACTIVITIES RELATIVE TO THE CELEBRATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF MOUNTAINS

In the interest of the service and in line with the celebration of the International Year of Mountains (IYM) which was supported by the President through the issuance of Proclamation No. 176 dated April 15, 2002 declaring every month of June as "Month of Mountains", the conduct of the following activities are hereby authorized:

ACTIVITY

VENUE

A. Kick-Off Program June 17, 2002, 8:30 A.M. Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Nature Center (NAPWNC)

B. Photo Exhibits
June 17- 21, 2002

NAPWNC

C. Rock Wall Climbing June 17-21, 2002

NAPWNC

D. Basic Mountaineering Course June 18-21, 2002

Los Baños, Laguna

E. Sustainable Mountain Summit June 27-28, 2002

Los Baños, Laguna

The following DENR personnel are hereby authorized to participate to the Basic Mountaineering Course:

Leila A. Torno LLDA Peter Jedel F. Mariano **LLDA** Oliver Olivo Region IV Merlinda Manila Region IV Nicolas Docena NCR Anne Patricia Carolino NCR Nelson Castillo **CCPAP** Gregorio Alexus Caayao HRMS Princess Maam Tejano HRMS

Ari M. Batac - Management Division

Fe Ociones **ERDB** Alvin Olvida **ERDB** Joselito Castilla **FASPO** Hasmin Baclig **FASPO** Rhodora Malasaga **FASPO** Inocencio Garingarao **NCR-EMB** Ana Mari Miranda **NCR-EMB** Rowel Razal Planning Service

Joseph Luke Crisostomo - Planning
Horan Bayangan - Region IV
Ma. Teresit Pineda, Jr. - Region IV
Imelda Matubis - Policy Studies

Virgilio Sagun - PAWB Marivic Somera - PAWB Cita G. Gerada - FMB

Manolita L. Velasco - PTFWRDM Primo Bonife - PTFWRDM

Rene Peralta - MGB
Ernani P. Bernal - MGB
Ritchie Ann Guzman - EMB
Charles Foronda - EMB

The National Organizing Committee for the IYM and its Technical Working Group shall implement the above activities. All concerned offices and units of the DENR shall extend the necessary assistance to IYM committees for the conduct of the said events.

Moreover, participants to the Basic Mountaineering Course are required to complete the 4-day activity. Travelling expenses to and from the Los Baños shall be charged against the participant's respective offices while food and other incidental expenses shall be charged against the IYM funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect on the dates specified herein.

TEHERSON T. ALVAREZ

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