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SPECIAL ORDER

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**SUBJECT: Designating PENRO Diego Escano as OIC-Assistant Regional Executive Director for Legal Services and Public Affairs of the DENR Caraga Region**

In the interest of the service and to increase the effectiveness of the legal services in the implementation and enforcement of the various environment and natural resources and regulations at the Caraga Region, PENRO Atty. Diego Escano is hereby designated as OIC-Assistant Regional Executive Director (OIC-ARED) for Legal Services and Public Affairs at the DENR Caraga Region. Atty. Claudio R. Mistal, the outgoing OIC ARED for Legal Service and Public Affairs shall turn over the functions and responsibilities of his office to Atty. Diego Escano before the latter's assumption to office.

As OIC-ARED, Atty. Escano he will provide the necessary legal service support to the Regional Executive Director and to the various units of the Caraga Regional Office, including the PENRO's and CENRO's. In addition, he will be responsible for providing the necessary information and assistance to the public on DENR programs and services.

With this designation and responsibilities, OIC-ARED Escano shall be entitled to the allowances and privileges provided to the position of Regional Technical Director/ Assistant Regional Director.

Atty. Escano shall clear himself of responsibilities and accountabilities as PENRO Surigao del Sur and make a turn over of the office, properties, personnel, facilities and other resources to the incoming PENRO before assuming his new assignment.

Atty. Mistal will continue with his official functions and responsibilities as Attorney III at the Caraga Region, under the supervision of OIC-ARED Escano.

Both OIC ARED Escano and Atty. Mistal shall inform the Secretary, through the Regional Executive Director, of their compliance to this Order.

This Order takes effect March 1, 2003 and shall remain in force until revoked or superseded by another Order of the DENR Secretary.

  
ELISEA (BEBET) G. GOZUN  
Secretary

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