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DENR SPECIAL ORDER)
NO. 2003 - 425)

**SUBJECT : RECONSTITUTING THE DENR FOREST QUARANTINE
COORDINATING COMMITTEE (DFQCC)**

In the interest of the service and pursuant to Section 8 of DAO No. 97-08, the following DENR Officials are hereby designated to compose the reconstituted DENR Forest Quarantine Coordinating Committee, as follows:

Director, FMB	-	Chairperson
Director, ERDB	-	Co-Chairperson
Director, PAWB	-	Member
Asst. Director of FMB	-	Member
Asst. Director ERDB	-	Member
Director, PPSO-DENR	-	Member
OIC Director Marcial C. Amaro Jr.	-	Member (PPS-PPSO)
Dr. Noel Padilla	-	Member (DENR-PPSO)
Dr. Horacio San Valentin	-	Member (ERDB)
Dr. Elpidio Rimando	-	Member (ERDB)
Atty. Nelo Roldan	-	Member (FMB, Legal Div.)
For. Jesus A. Javier	-	Member (FMB, Reforestation Div.)
For. Mayumi Q. Natividad	-	Member (FMB, For. Econ. Div.)
Representative	-	Member (PAWB)
Representative	-	Member (DENR-Field Operations)

Duties of the above Committee:

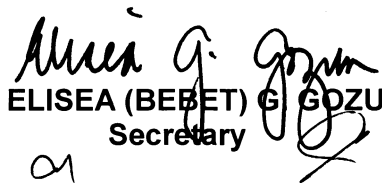
1. To formulate, together with the Plant Quarantine Office of the Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture (PQO, BPI, DA) an appropriate forest (Plant) quarantine policy, procedures and conditions for the importation and/or local transport of the different forest (Plant) based-products/materials;
2. To monitor the implementation of the forest (Plant) quarantine, in coordination with the PQO, BPI, DA ;
3. To design a training, in coordination with the DENR-Human Resource Management Service, to further enhance the capability of the forestry sector in forest (plant) quarantine activities;

4. To facilitate the implementation of the obligations and commitments of the DENR as provided for under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) dated May 8, 1998 between DENR and DA; and
5. To perform other duties and responsibilities that may be assigned by the DENR Secretary regarding the implementation of Forest (Plant) Quarantine.

In the discharge of its assigned tasks, the above Committee is authorized to seek the assistance of any officials and/or employees of DENR and/or consult with the representative(s) of other concerned offices or agencies of the government and/or private sector(s).

In order to accomplish the assigned tasks of the Committee, the Forest Management Bureau (FMB) shall provide the Secretariat, which shall service its technical, clerical and record management needs.

This **Order supercedes DENR Special Order No. 97-690** dated June 18, 1997 and takes effect immediately.


ELISEA (BEBET) G. GOZUN
Secretary

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