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**SPECIAL ORDER**  
**NO. 2003 - 579**

**SUBJECT : CREATION OF A TEAM TO INVESTIGATE THE LOSS OF SEIZED CONVEYANCE WITH PLATE NO. WRJ-290 LOADED WITH FORTY-FIVE (45) PIECES ACACIA WOOD MATERIALS WITHOUT THE REQUIRED TRANSPORT DOCUMENTS TURNED OVER TO CENRO OLONGAPO CITY, AND THE ALLEGED RAMPANT ILLEGAL CUTTING OF NARRA TREES IN SAN FELIPE, ZAMBALES**

In the interest of the service and in order to ferret out the truth on the loss of seized conveyance with plate number WRJ-290 loaded with forty-five (45) pieces of Acacia wood materials, one (1) chainsaw and other cutting tools, which were turned over to CENRO Olongapo City, and the alleged rampant cutting of Narra trees in San Felipe, Zambales, a Team is hereby created to be composed of the following:

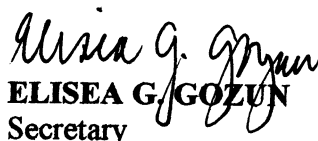
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| 1. Atty. Angelina Faral     | - | Legal Service | - | Team Leader |
| 2. Forester Myrna F. Naco   | - | OUFO          | - | Member      |
| 3. Forester Arnold Arbolado | - | SCO-SAID      | - | Member      |

The Team shall:

1. Conduct a thorough investigation of the circumstances that resulted in the loss of the seized conveyance, chainsaw, tools and Acacia wood chips, and of the alleged rampant cutting of trees of Narra trees in San Felipe, Zambales;
2. Based on the findings, recommend action/s to be taken to avoid repetition of such incident; and,
3. Submit report to the Secretary, DENR, through the Undersecretary for Field Operations, within ten (10) days after completion of the fieldwork.

Expenses to be incurred in the conduct of the investigation shall be charged against their respective offices subject to accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect immediately and shall be automatically revoked upon completion of the Team's tasks.

  
**ELISEA G. GOZUN**  
Secretary