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DENR SPECIAL ORDER
NO. 2003 - 604

SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE LANDS MANAGEMENT BUREAU TO CONDUCT PUBLIC HEARING ON FORESHORE AREAS SITUATED ALONG MANILA BAY TOWARDS CAVITE AND BATAAN WITH NGO'S, LGUS, AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERs

In order to ascertain the optimal use of foreshore areas along Manila Bay towards Cavite and Bataan taking into consideration the environmental/ecological balance in the area in light of the principle of sustainable development, the Lands Management Bureau is hereby authorized to conduct public hearings among government officials concerned, Non-Government Organizations, occupants of foreshore areas along Manila Bay up to Bataan, and other stakeholders to solicit their views on the possible granting of foreshore leases along Manila Bay towards Cavite and Bataan.

In this regard the LMB Director is hereby directed to ascertain whether there is a need to repeal the Memorandum dated May 24, 1966 issued by then President Marcos, and to come up with a comprehensive report and recommendation on the matter taking into consideration PD 1084, as amended by Executive Order No. 525 dated February 14, 1979 within three (3) months after the conduct of the final public hearing.

All necessary expenses that will be incurred in connection therewith shall be charged to the regular fund of the Land Management Bureau subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations on the matter.

This Order is for the good of the public and takes effect immediately.


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