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DENR SPECIAL ORDER

NO. 2004- 423

**SUBJECT : CONSTITUTING A TEAM TO INVESTIGATE THE
TITLING OF SEVERAL PARCELS OF LAND
LOCATED IN ESCALANTE, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL
AND SUMISIP, BASILAN**

In view of the request of Secretary Luis P. Lorenzo, Jr. of the Department of Agriculture (DA), a team is hereby constituted to investigate the titling through free patents of certain parcels of land which are within the administrative jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (DA-BFAR) located in Escalante, Negros Occidental and Sumisip, Basilan, to be composed of the following:

Team Leader - Atty. Emelyne V. Talabis, DENR

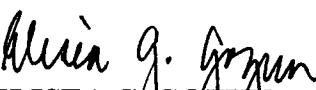
Members - Mr. Jesus G. de la Torre, DENR
- Mr. Othelo M. Aguiles, DENR-CARP-NCO
- Atty. Winston D. Abuyuan, DA-BFAR

The Team shall determine the propriety of the issuance of Free Patents Nos. 064509-99-47; 064509-99-48; 064509-90-49; 064509-99-54; 064509-02-161; 064509-02-162; 064509-02-163; 064509-02-164; 064509-02-165; 064509-03-50; 064509-03-52; 064509-03-53; 064509-03-54; and 064509-03-55 located in Escalante, Negros Occidental and Homestead Patent No. 155340 located in Sumisip, Basilan.

An investigation report, including the recommendations, shall be submitted within fifteen (15) days from the termination of the investigation.

The Team shall be entitled to claim reasonable per diems. All expenses shall be charged against the budget of their respective offices, subject to the usual accounting auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect immediately.


ELISEA G. GOZUN
Secretary