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SUBJECT :

AUTHORIZING THE DENR AND EMB REGIONAL ECOLOGICAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COORDINATORS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MULTI-SECTORAL CONSULTATION ON THE NATIONAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK IN LUZON, VISAYAS AND MINDANAO

In the interest of the service and in order to facilitate the finalization of the National Solid Waste Management Framework, two (2) Ecological Solid Waste Management (ESWM) Coordinators (one from DENR & one from EMB) from each Region are hereby instructed to participate in the "Multi-sectoral Consultation on the National Solid Waste Management Framework" in July 2004.

The schedule of the activities is as follows:

| Multi-sectoral Consultation on the NSWMF in Mindanao | 9, 10, 11, 12, CARAGA | July 16, 2004 | De Luxe Hotel Cap't. Vicente Ron Street Cagayan de Oro City | 12 from each region |
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| Multi-sectoral Consultation on the NSWMF in Visayas | 6,7,8 | July 22, 2004 | Cebu Grand Hotel Complexnorth, Escario Street Cebu City | 20 from each region |
| Multi-sectoral Consultation on the NSWMF in North Luzon | CAR, 1,2,3 | July 29, 2004 | Ating Tahanan (Girls Scout) Scout Drive, Baguio City | 15 from each region |
| Multi-sectoral Consultation on the NSWMF in South Luzon | NCR, 4A, 4B, 5 | August 5, 2004 | Air Quality Management Training Center DENR Cmpd., Visayas Ave., Quezon City | 15 from each region |

Furthermore, the ESWM Coordinators are instructed to identify and invite the participants coming from the LGUs, NGOs, Industry and Academe within their respective regions. Likewise, the host regions (Region 10, 7, CAR and NCR) are requested to take active part in the Opening Program particularly in delivering the Opening Prayer, National Anthem, Welcome Remarks and Introduction of Participants.

The cost of the venue and food for the participants in the Multi-sectoral Consultations in **South Luzon**, **Visayas** and **Mindanao** will be shouldered by the UNDP-Public and Private Sectors Convergence for Solid Waste Co-governance in Urban Poor Communities (PPPUE-SWM) Project of the Office of the Secretariat of the NSWMC. While the cost of the venue and food for the participants in the **North Luzon** Multi-sectoral Consultation shall be charged against the funds of the Environmental Management Bureau Central Office.

On the otherhand, the **travel expenses** as well as the **accommodation of the participants** shall be charged against the **funds of their respective offices** subject to the usual accounting rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

Secretary