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SPECIAL ORDER No. 2004- <u>528</u>

SUBJECT:

Creation of a team to conduct investigation on the alleged fraudulent issuance of homestead patent (OCT No. P-9707) in DENR Case No. 5623, entitled "RUFO M. CABANLIG, Appellant, versus IGNACIO LOPEZ, ET AL., Rep. by SHIRLINA CERNA,

Appellees."

In view of the alleged fraudulent issuance of homestead patent (OCT No. P-9707) relative to the above-mentioned case, an investigation team is hereby created to determine the veracity of the same and to conduct ocular inspection and further investigation for the said purpose.

The Team shall be composed of the following:

Team Leader

Atty. Camilo D. Garcia, Legal Service

Member

Manuel C. Trampe, Legal Service

The Team is hereby authorized to issue subpoena duces tecum and subpoena ad testificandum to require the attendance of the parties and their witnesses and to order the production of documents, which are necessary to attain the purpose of the investigation.

The Team may avail of the services of the personnel of the DENR and its field offices or those of the Bureau under it for the accomplishment of the assigned tasks.

All expenses incurred in pursuance of the ocular inspection and investigation shall be charged against their Office, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

The Team shall submit its report within fifteen (15) days from termination thereof.

This Order takes effect immediately.

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