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**DENR SPECIAL ORDER**

NO. 2020 - 426

**SUBJECT: CREATION OF A TECHNICAL WORKING COMMITTEE TO DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE BUFFER ZONE FOR LAS PIÑAS-PARAÑAQUE WETLAND PARK**

In the interest of service and pursuant to the agreements during the 29 September 2020 meeting among DENR Central Office, Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB), Environmental Management Bureau (EMB), DENR-NCR, and DENR-CALABARZON, a Technical Working Committee (TWC) to determine the appropriate buffer zones for the Las Piñas-Parañaque Wetland Park (LPPWP) is hereby created. This committee shall be comprised of technical representatives from the following offices;

1. DENR-NCR
2. DENR-CALBARZON
3. Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau
4. Environmental Management Bureau
5. Biodiversity Management Bureau

The TWC shall provide assistance to the LPPWP PAMB through provision of technical expertise in determining the appropriate buffer zones for the LPPWP using established criteria and universally accepted facts and scientific evidence.

The DENR-NCR shall provide secretariat staff and shall also serve as repository of all documents relative to the functions of the Committee.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

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