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SPECIAL ORDER

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**SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF STRATEGIC
DIALOGUE WITH STAKEHOLDERS FOR THE ZERO
WASTE MONTH ACTIVITY**

In the interest of the service and to further enhance and highlight public participation in the ecological waste management programs of the government in support of Republic Act No. 9003 known as “Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000”, a strategic dialogue for the Zero Waste Month dubbed as “20 + 2: Towards a Stronger and Sustainable Solid Waste Management” to be held on January 26, 2021 is hereby authorized.

The activity aims to assess the two decades of accomplishments, challenges, success stories as well as the strategic plans of the administration for the implementation and development of solid waste management in the country to be participated and supported by various sectors at the local government units, non-government organizations, business and industry and other civic groups/civil society via zoom teleconferencing application. Other officials and identified partners shall attend the activity at the DENR Social Hall.

As such, the Undersecretary for Solid Waste Management and Local Government Units Concerns shall take the lead in the organization and implementation of the said activity to be supported by the Environmental Management Bureau–Solid Waste Management Division and Strategic Communication and Initiatives Service, following the minimum public health standards set by the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases, such as wearing of masks and face shield and proper physical distancing. He is likewise authorized to request the assistance of other offices to expedite communication and coordination between stakeholders.

All related expenses to be incurred in this activity shall be chargeable against DENR funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order takes effect on the date specified herein.

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