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SPECIAL ORDER
No. 2021 - 326

SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE HOSTING AND PARTICIPATION OF CERTAIN OFFICIALS AND PERSONNEL TO THE SIXTH MEETING OF THE ASEAN TASK FORCE ON PEATLANDS (ATFP6) AND THE THIRD REGIONAL PROGRAMME STEERING COMMITTEE MEETINGS OF ASEAN PEATLAND PROGRAMMES / PROJECTS (PSC3) ON 28-30 JUNE 2021

In the interest of the service and in support to the ASEAN Task Force on Peatlands (ATFP), the conduct of the Sixth Meeting of the ASEAN Task Force on Peatlands and Third Regional Programme Steering Committee Meetings of ASEAN Peatland Programmes/Projects (PSC3), to be hosted and chaired by the Philippines, on June 28-30, 2021 at the BMB Training Center and via Zoom platform is hereby authorized.

The following officials/personnel are authorized to participate:

Chairperson	Atty. Jonas R. Leones , Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs
Philippine Delegation	
Head of Delegation	Usec. Edilberto DC. Leonardo , Undersecretary for Special Concerns and OIC Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau (ATFP National Focal Point)
Members	Asec. Marcial C. Amaro, Jr. , Assistant Secretary for Policy, Planning & Foreign Assisted and Special Projects Supt. Dennis Molo , DILG-Bureau of Fire Protection (ATFP Alternate Focal Point) Mr. Anson Tagtag , Biodiversity Management Bureau Ms. Joy Navarro , Biodiversity Management Bureau Ms. Zoisane Geam Lumbres , Biodiversity Management Bureau
Observers	Representative , DENR Policy and Planning Service Representative , DENR Foreign Assisted and Special Project Service Representative , Forest Management Bureau Representative , Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau Center Head , Forest and Wetland Research, Development and Extension Center Chief , Conservation and Development Division / Representative , DENR Region VIII Chief , Conservation and Development Division / Representative , DENR Region XIII
BMB Support Staff	Mr. Jeffrey Jaymes Mesias Ms. Janina Mendoza

The Chairperson, Philippine Delegates and BMB Support Staff shall attend the event via Zoom at the BMB Training Center while the Observers shall join via Zoom at their respective offices or place of assignment. Additional observers from other agencies and organizations who had been involved in the implementation of the regional peatland initiatives in the country shall also be invited to join via Zoom.

Expenses to be incurred in the conduct of the said activity, such as food, supplies and other allowable incidental expenses shall be charged against BMB funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

A written report shall be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days after the culmination of the activity.

This Order takes effect on the dates specified herein.



ROY A. CIMATU

Secretary

