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SPECIAL ORDER
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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF THE 5TH PHILIPPINE RISE MARINE RESOURCE RESERVE PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT BOARD MEETING ON NOVEMBER 23-24, 2021

In the interest of the service and in line with the issuance of Presidential Proclamation No. 489 s. 2018 declaring a portion of the Philippine Rise as a protected area under the category of Marine Resource Reserve (PRMRR) as defined under the NIPAS (RA No. 7586 as amended by RA No. 11038), the conduct of the PRMRR Protected Area Management Board (PAMB) via Online and Physical Meeting on November 23-24, 2021 is hereby authorized.

The following DENR personnel are authorized to attend the PAMB Meeting:

DENR Offices

1. Atty. Jonas R. Leones, Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs
2. Atty. Analiza Rebuelta-Teh, Undersecretary for Finance, Information Systems and Climate Change
3. Dr. Peter N. Tiangco, Administrator, National Mapping and Information Resources Authority
4. DENR Region II RED/representative(s)
5. DENR Region III RED/representative (s)
6. DENR Region IV-A RED/representative (s)
7. DENR Region V RED/representative (s)

Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB)

8. Datu Tungko M. Saikol, Director
9. Amelita DJ. Ortiz, Assistant Director
10. Armida P. Andres, Chief, Coastal and Marine Division (CMD)
11. Nancy Corpuz, Chief, Biodiversity Policy and Knowledge Management Division
12. Meriden E. Maranan, Chief, National Parks Division

PAMB Secretariat

13. Desiree Eve R. Maaño, CMD

14. Nilda S. Baling, CMD
15. Jhorace Engay-Tupas, CMD
16. Criselda B. Castor, CMD
17. Lea C. Avilla, CMD
18. Jezreelyn L. Milar, CMD
19. John Michael M. Cornito, CMD
20. Joaquin Rogelio P. Silvestre, CMD
21. Paula G. de Castro, CMD
22. Jeric F. Dejucos, CMD
23. Irish Mikee W. Wigwigan, CMD
24. Jacqueline V. Concepcion, CMD
25. Charles Louie T. Evangelista, CMD
26. Cierra Virginia B. Mortega, CMD
27. Christy B. Gempes, CMD
28. Marilyn C. Alcober, CMD

Other Agencies

29. Cmdre Eduardo B. Gongona (RET), DA-BFAR
30. NFRDI
31. League of Provinces of the Philippines Representative(s)
32. Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Representative(s)
33. House Committee on Natural Resources Representative(s)
34. National Economic and Development Authority Representative(s)
35. Department of Energy Representative(s)
36. Department of Foreign Affairs Representative(s)
37. Department of Science and Technology Representative(s)
38. Department of National Defense Representative(s)
39. Department of Tourism Representative(s)
40. Armed Forces of the Philippines Representative(s)
41. National Security Council Representative(s)
42. National Coast Watch Council Representative(s)
43. Philippine National Police Representative(s)
44. Philippine Coast Guard Representative (s)
45. Atty. Jay Batongbacal, UP IMLOS
46. Dr. Laura David, UP MSI
47. Enrique Nuñez, CI- Philippines
48. Augustus Rex Montebon, CI- Philippines

Expenses to be incurred in relation to the aforementioned activity including food and accommodation of the participants and the official drivers, and supplies shall be chargeable against BMB CMD funds while traveling expenses (including RT-PCR Swab Tests 48 hours before travel) of participants shall be charged against their respective offices subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Moreover, attendees for Face-to-Face

discussions should have been fully vaccinated against Covid-19 at least 15 days prior to the conduct of the activity.

BMB CMD shall submit to the undersigned a consolidated report on the activity fifteen (15) working days after completion of each PAMB meeting.

In the event of hazardous weather conditions, natural disasters, conflicts with major DENR or BMB events, and possible heightening of COVID-19 related travel restrictions, the undersigned may reschedule or postpone the conduct of the PRMRR PAMB meeting through official communication.

This Order shall take effect on the dates herein specified.


ATTY. ERNESTO D. ADOBO, JR., *CESO I*

Undersecretary for Legal, Administration,
Human Resources and Legislative Affairs

