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SUBJECT: DESIGNATION OF UNDERSECRETARY FOR SPECIAL CONCERNS, EDILBERTO DC LEONARDO PhD, AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ANTI-ILLEGAL LOGGING TASK FORCE (AILTF) IN CONCURRENT CAPACITY

In the interest of service and pursuant to the provisions of Executive Order No. 23 dated February 01, 2011 issued by His Excellency President Benigno S. Aquino III, entitled, "Declaring Moratorium on the Cutting and Harvesting of Timber in Natural and Residual Forests and Creating the Anti-Illegal Logging Task Force" and Resolution No. 2021-01 of the Anti-Illegal Logging Task Force, **Undersecretary for Special Concerns Edilberto DC Leonardo, PhD is hereby designated as Executive Director of the Anti-Illegal Logging Task Force, in concurrent capacity.**

As Executive Director/Ground Commander, Undersecretary Leonardo shall handle the day-to-day operations of the Anti-Illegal Logging Task Force and supervise the Secretariat which shall be headed by the DENR Environmental Protection and Enforcement Task Force (EPETF).

He is also authorized to cause the filing of criminal, civil and/or administrative cases against any person, entity and/or institution violating Executive Order No. 23 and the directives/orders of the Anti-Illegal Logging Task Force

All DENR Offices and Regional AILTF, are hereby directed to extend full support and cooperation to the Task Force in the performance of its assigned tasks.

This Order shall take effect immediately and supersede/revoke all orders inconsistent herewith.

ROY A. CIMATU
Secretary



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