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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF THE REGIONAL CONSULTATION WORKSHOP FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND UPDATING OF THE PHILIPPINE BIODIVERSITY STRATEGY AND ACTION PLAN IN LINE WITH THE KUNMING-MONTREAL GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK

In the interest of the service and in line with the country's commitment to update its national biodiversity strategy and action plan for the implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) and its protocols and bodies, the conduct of the consultation workshop for the updating of the Philippine Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (PBSAP) is hereby authorized to be conducted on the following dates and to be participated in by the following officials and personnel:

Cluster	Regions Covered	Tentative Schedule (Exclusive of Travel Time)	Venue
Visayas Cluster	Regions 6,7 and 8	15-17 August 2023	Cebu City
Northeastern Mindanao Cluster	Regions 10, 11 and 13	3-5 October 2023	Davao City
Southwestern Mindanao Cluster	Regions 9, 12 and BARMM	5-7 December 2023	Pagadian City
Northern Luzon Cluster	CAR, NCR, Regions 1, 2, and 3	6-8 February 2024	Baguio City / Clark, Pampanga
Southern Luzon Cluster	CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, Region 5	12-14 March 2024	Tagaytay City
National Consultation		2-4 April 2024	Metro Manila

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In instances wherein participants encounter sudden change in schedules as required by their principals and/ or by the mandate of their respective office, the BMB Director is authorized to change/ add names of other participants, venue, date and time of activities.

Expenses for food and accommodation to be incurred for the conduct of these workshops shall be charged against BMB/Project funds while traveling expenses of

participants shall be chargeable against their respective offices, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

The BMB shall submit a report to the undersigned through the DENR L&D Portal (bit.ly/LNDportal) within fifteen (15) days after the conduct of the workshop.

This Order shall take effect on the dates specified herein.


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