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SPECIAL ORDER
No. 2023 - 50

SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON PREPARATORY ACTIVITIES FOR THE PROPOSED LEGISLATION OF PROTECTED AREAS UNDER THE NIPAS ON 13-17 FEBRUARY 2023 IN ESTANCIA DE LORENZO, SAN MATEO, RIZAL

In the interest of the service, and to expedite the establishment of the proclaimed protected areas, remaining initial components and additional areas as protected areas under the National Integrated Protected Areas System (NIPAS), the conduct of a National workshop on Preparatory Activities for the Proposed Legislation of Protected Areas under the NIPAS by the Biodiversity Management Bureau is hereby authorized on 13-17 February 2023 in Estancia de Lorenzo, San Mateo, Rizal to be participated in by the following:

DENR Regional/Field Offices

The Chief, Conservation and Development Division (CDD) and Protected Area Superintendents (PASu) of the following protected areas:

| Region | Name of Protected Area |
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| CAR | 1. Upper Agno River Basin Resource Reserve 2. Lower Agno Watershed Forest Reserve |
| 2 | 3. Magapit Protected Landscape 4. Quirino Protected Landscape |
| 3 | 5. Aurora Memorial National Park |
| CALABARZON | 6. Kaliwa Watershed Forest Reserve |
| MIMAROPA | 7. Rasa Island Wildlife Sanctuary 8. Mt. Mantalingahan Protected Landscape 9. El Nido Managed Resource Protected Area 10. Malampaya Sound Protected Landscape and Seascape 11. Puerto Princesa Subterranean River National Park 12. Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary (proposed Ursula Island Wildlife Sanctuary) |
| 5 | 13. Chico Island Wildlife Sanctuary 14. Naro Island Wildlife Sanctuary 15. Mt. Masaraga Watershed Forest Reserve |
| 2,3,5 and CALABARZON | 16. Philippine Rise Marine Resource Reserve |
| 6 | 17. Taklong and Tandong Group of Islands Natural Park |
| 7 | 18. Bantayan Island Wilderness Area |
| 8 | 19. Panaon Island Protected Seascape (Proposed Additional) |
| 9 | 20. Mt. Gutom Protected Landscape (Proposed Additional) 21. Olutanga Island Protected Landscape and Seascape (Proposed Additional) |

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| 10 | 22. Cagayan de Oro-Iponan Watershed Protected Landscape (Proposed Additional) 23. Malasag-Mahuganao Watershed Forest Reserve (proposed as Cugman-Catanico Protected Landscape) 24. Sultan Naga Dimaporo Protected Landscape and Seascape (Proposed Additional) 25. Mt. Tago Range Natural Park (Proposed Additional) |
| 11 | 26. Baganga Protected Landscape |
| 12 | 27. Allah Valley Watershed Forest Reserve |
| 13 | 28. Malinao Inlet Protected Landscape and Seascape (Proposed Additional) 29. Gaas Inlet Protected Landscape and Seascape (Proposed Additional) 30. Dinagat Protected Landscape and Seascape (Proposed Additional) 31. Alamio, Buayan, Carac-an, Panikian River and Sipangpang Falls Watershed |

DENR Central Office

| Office/Division | Participants |
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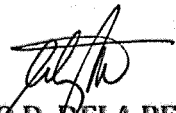
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Expenses to be incurred in the conduct of the National Workshop such as food, accommodation, venue and supplies and materials shall be charged to the funds of BMB, while transportation and other traveling expenses of the participants shall be charged to their respective offices, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

The BMB Director is authorized to change the schedule and venue of the workshop in case of conflict and unforeseen circumstances and shall likewise submit to the undersigned the proceedings/report fifteen (15) days after completion of the activity.

This Order shall take effect on the dates specified herein.


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