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DENR SPECIAL ORDER
 NO. 2023 - 606

SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF THE ORIENTATION ON THE UNESCO PROGRAMMES FOR THE PHILIPPINE NATURAL HERITAGE SITES

In the interest of the service and in order to provide understanding and knowledge on the UNESCO Programmes in the Philippines, update the UNESCO World Heritage Tentative Lis as well as the lists of Geoparks and Biosphere Reserves, and to facilitate and prioritize the inscription of the selected priority protected areas listed in the above-mentioned UNESCO Programmes, the conduct of the Orientation on the UNESCO Programmes for the Philippine Natural Heritage Site is hereby authorized to be conducted, as follows:

Cluster	Regions	Schedule	Venue
Cluster 1	Regions 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13 and BARMM	September 11 -14, 2023	Davao City
Cluster 2	Regions 1, 2, 3, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, and 5	To be determined	Metro Manila

The following DENR personnel are authorized to participate in the subject activity:

Office/Division	Name of Participants
DENR - Central Office	
Office of the Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs	Representative
Mines and Geosciences Bureau	
Lands Geological Survey Division	Representative
Biodiversity Management Bureau	
Office of the Director	ASEC/Director Marcial C. Amaro, Jr.
	OIC Asst. Director Armida P. Andres
National Parks Division	Meriden E. Maranan
	Ryan A. Cuanan
	Francisco B. Feliciano
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	Babylyn M. Cacao

Coastal and Marine Division	Jhorace Engay-Tupas
	John Erick B. Avelino
Caves, Wetlands and other Ecosystems Division	Juvy P. Ladisla or Representative
Wildlife Resources Division	Anson Tagtag or Representative
Biodiversity Policy and Knowledge Management Division	Nancy Corpuz or Representative
DENR Regional and PA Management Offices	
CAR	
Conservation and Development Division	Julius K. Cawilan or Representative
Mt. Pulag Protected Landscape	PASu Emerita Albas
Region I	
Conservation and Development Division	Marilyn M. Racoma or Representative
Hundred Islands National Park	PASu Chester Casil
Region II	
Conservation and Development Division	Corazon L. Mabbrong or Representative
Batanes Protected Landscape and Seascape	PASu Samuel P. Telan
Northern Sierra Madre Natural Park	PASu Nestor S. Lorenzo
Region III	
Conservation and Development Division	Minerva J. Martinez or Representative
Bataan Natural Park	PASu Merliza A. Torre
CALABARZON	
Conservation and Development Division	Atty. Ma. Carolane P. Gonzales or Representative
Taal Volcano Protected Landscape	PASu/PENRO Noel M. Recillo
Pamitinan Protected Landscape	PASu Zosima B. Belen
MIMAROPA	
Conservation and Development Division	Maria Melissa L. Endangan or Representative
Apo Reef Natural Park	PASu Krystal Dayne Villanada
El Nido Managed Resource Protected Area	PASu Mildred Suza
Mts. Iglit-Baco Natural Park	PASu Hector Aragones
Mt. Mantalingahan Protected Landscape	PASu Renato S. Gonzaga
Mt. Guiting-Guiting Natural Park	PASu Manuel Romero
Region V	

Conservation and Development Division	Marlene M. Francia or Representative
Mayon Volcano Natural Park	PASu Joel L. Perillo
Mt. Isarog Natural Park	PASu Erasto C. Abrera
Caramoan Natural Park	PASu Francis M. Florece
Bulusan Volcano Natural Park	PASu Joel Ordonio
Region VI	
Conservation and Development Division	Danilo L. Lorilla or Representative
Mt. Kanlaon Natural Park	PASu Dennis S. Piñosa
Northern Negros Natural Park	PASu Joan Nathaniel F. Gerangaya
Region VII	
Conservation and Development Division	Lutherian T. Hernando or Representative
Tanon Strait Protected Seascape	PASu/PENRO Jose Cleo Cary F. Colis
Chocolate Hills Natural Monument	PASu/PENRO Ariel N. Rica
Region VIII	
Conservation and Development Division	Marissa N. Solite or Representative
Samar Island Natural Park	PASu Zenaida P. Baisa
Region X	
Conservation and Development Division	Fidel Pajo, Gamos, Jr.
Mt. Kitanglad Range Natural Park	PASu Merlita Luna-Tabamo
Mt. Kalatungan Range Natural Park	PASu Ner A. Doydoy
Mts. Timpoong Hibok-Hibok Natural Monument	PASu/OIC, PENRO Roberto S. Rufino
Mt. Malindang Range Natural Park	PASu Angel P. Jumawan
Region XI	
Conservation and Development Division	Myrna Erlinda D. Arbiol or Representative
Mt. Apo Natural Park (Davao side)	PASu Archelito Mallari
Mount Hamiguitan Range Wildlife Sanctuary	PASu Rolly G. Tapeç
Pujada Bay Protected Landscape and Seascape	PASu/PENRO Pablito M. Ofrecia
Region XII	
Conservation and Development Division	Ali Hadjinasser or Representative
Mt. Apo Natural Park (Cotabato side)	Deputy PASu Shirley P. Uy
Region XIII	
Conservation and Development	Nilda G. Ebron

Division	
Siargao Island Protected Landscape and Seascape	Samuel L. Malayao
Agusan Marsh Wildlife Sanctuary	Sherrilyn A. Vasquez

The said Orientation will be conducted through face-to-face learning session. The BMB Director/Officer-In-Charge is authorized to amend and/or reschedule the above-mentioned activities in case of conflict with other events/activities of the Bureau and concerned Offices.

All expenses to be incurred in the conduct of this activity such as food and venue/accommodation for the duration of the event shall be chargeable against the following:


Clusters I - Philippine National Commission for UNESCO or the UNACOM with support from the UNESCO Multisectoral Office in Jakarta

Cluster II - DENR-BMB Funds

The traveling expenses of the participants shall be charged against their respective offices subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

A report shall be submitted online (bit.ly/LNDportal) by the BMB to the undersigned through the Human Resource Development Service (HRDS) within fifteen (15) days after completion of the activity.

This Order shall take effect on the dates specified herein.


AUGUSTO D. DELA PEÑA
 Undersecretary for Organizational Transformation
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