



SPECIAL ORDER
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**SUBJECT: CREATION OF A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG)
FOR THE DELIMITATION OF FORESHORE LINE**

In the interest of service and to develop new strategies using the latest technologies and to update the foreshore data of the Department, the TWG for the Delimitation of Foreshore Line is hereby created:

The TWG shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson	The Director, Land Management Bureau (LMB)
Vice Chairperson	The Deputy Administrator National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA)
Members	Representative, Forest Management Bureau (FMB)
	Representative, Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB)
	Representative, Mines, and Geosciences Bureau (MGB)
	Representative, Geospatial Database Office
	Representative, Knowledge and Information Systems Service (KISS)
	Representative, Policy and Planning Service (PPS)
	Representative, DENR Region I and III - Surveys and Mapping Division (SMD)
	Representative, DENR Region I and III - Licenses, Patents and Deeds Division (LPDD)

The members of the TWG shall at least be a Division Chief, with the Section Chief or technical personnel concerned as alternate.

The TWG shall have the following functions:

1. Develop a methodology for delimiting the shoreline using available spatial data such as satellite imageries, cadastral data, and temporal tidal data.
2. Identify case scenarios and develop strategies that can be undertaken and be used for similar technical concerns.
3. Conduct technical meetings to discuss the progress and to evaluate the outputs of the activity.


4. Produce maps showing the overlay of spatial data used and the delineated foreshore line.
5. Submit comprehensive reports as documentation to the Undersecretary for Integrated Environmental Science on the analysis, findings, and recommendations of the TWG.

The TWG shall be assisted by a Joint Secretariat composed of LMB, NAMRIA and DENR Regions I and III which shall perform the following tasks:

1. Provide overall logistical and administrative support to the TWG;
2. Coordinate with other government agencies concerned and stakeholders;
3. Document and record the meetings and proceedings of the TWG; and
4. Perform other functions as may be required.

All expenses to be incurred by the TWG shall be charged against their respective office's funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


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