



DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES
KAGAWARAN NG KAPALIGIRAN AT LIKAS YAMAN



SPECIAL ORDER
No. 2024 - 166

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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF NATIONAL CONSULTATION WORKSHOP ON THE DRAFT GUIDELINES ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF PAYMENT FOR ECOSYSTEM SERVICES (PES) FOR WATER USE TO FINANCE RIVER BASIN AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT

In the interest of the service and in order to further improve the draft Department Administrative Order (DAO) regarding Guidelines on the Development of Payment for Ecosystem Services (PES) for Water Use to Finance River Basin and Watershed Management, the conduct of National Consultation Workshop is authorized to be held on April 4, 2024 in Quezon City.

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

1. Dr. Carlos Primo C. David, Undersecretary for Integrated Environmental Science and RBCO Supervising Undersecretary
2. Marcial C. Amaro, Jr., *CESO II*, Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and concurrent Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB)
3. Gilbert C. Gonzales, *CESO III*, Assistant Secretary for Field Operations - Luzon and Visayas and concurrent Director, Environmental Management Bureau (EMB)
4. Arleigh J. Adorable, *CESO III*, Assistant Secretary for Field Operations - Western Mindanao and concurrent Director, Forest Management Bureau (FMB)
5. Atty. Danilo U. Uykieng, Director, Mines & Geosciences Bureau (MGB)
6. Maria Lourdes G. Ferrer, *CESO III*, Director, Ecosystem Research Development Bureau (ERDB)
7. Atty. Ricky A. Arzadon, Executive Director, National Water Resources Board (NWRB)
8. Al O. Orolfo, Director, Director, Foreign Assisted and Special Projects Service (FASPS)
9. Imelda R. Dela Cruz, Director, Financial and Management Service
10. Cheryl Loise T. Leal, Director, Policy and Planning Service
11. Llarina S. Mojica, Chief, Policy Studies Division, Policy and Planning Service

12. Dr. Seville D. David, Jr., *CESO III*, Executive Director, River Basin Control Office (RBCO)
13. Nelson V. Gorospe, Deputy Executive Director, River Basin Control Office (RBCO)
14. Livino B. Duran, Regional Executive Director, DENR Region VI
15. Atty. Ma. Mercedes V. Dumagan, Regional Executive Director, DENR Region XI

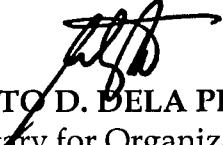
Expenses to be incurred such as food and venue shall be charged against E2RB funds thru GIZ-PH while travelling expenses of the participants shall be charged against their respective offices, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

A report shall be submitted online (bit.ly/LNDportal) to the undersigned through the Human Resource Development Service - Training and Development Division, fifteen (15) days after completion of the activity.

The RBCO Executive Director is authorized to amend this Special Order through a Memorandum should there be changes in the participants and/or to reschedule the event in case of unavailability of the venue or conflict with other activities of the Department.

Any changes in schedule shall be submitted to the HRDS for records purposes.

This Special Order takes effect on the dates specified herein.


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Transformation and Human Resources