DENR Administrative Order No. 76 September 13, 1988

> SUBJECT : Further Amending MAO No. 50, Series of 1986, as Amended by DENR Administrative Order No. 40, Series of 1988 on the Regulations Governing the Establishment and Operations of Wood Processing Plant

SECTION 1. Section 1 of DENR Administrative Order No. 40 dated 13 June 1988 is hereby amended to the effect that the required Log Sales/Purchase Agreement (LS/PA) or the Domestic Log Sales Declarations (DLSD) shall henceforth be approved by the Community Environment and Natural Resources Officer (CENRO) who has jurisdiction over the area where the logs subject of the LS/PA or DLSD are being sourced.

SECTION 2. Consistent with the Department policy on extending assistance to the wood industry, the LS/PA and DLSD required for new sawmills/mini-sawmills shall be for a log volume equivalent to at least a two-month log volume requirement for initial operations. In the case of renewal applications, the same may be processed and the permit renewed, PROVIDED, that there is still sufficient log supply in the mill yard to warrant operations for at least one (1) month. Otherwise, a logs sales/purchase agreement to cover the necessary volume shall be executed and approved; PROVIDED FURTHER THAT, the applicant has complied with the renewal requirements provided for under existing regulations.

SECTION 3. This Order takes effect immediately and supersedes DENR Administrative Order No. 40 and other memoranda, circulars, and instructions inconsistent herewith.

(Sgd.) FULGENCIO S. FACTORAN, JR. Secretary