Memorandum Circular No. 3 January 11, 1990

TO: ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: Clarification on Lumber Exports Sawn Out

of Imported Logs

This Office had been informed that certain parties are proposing to export lumber sawn out of imported/exotic logs.

It is hereby clarified that the exportation thereof is prohibited without proper authority from the Secretary of the DENR.

However, lumber from imported logs which are already in their loading points or on shipside before December 31, 1989, with confirmed vessel bookings may be allowed for export, provided that they are kiln-dried S4S lumber of not more than two (2) inches thick and twelve (12) inches in width, which are considered components of finished wood products that were exempted from the export ban under Section 2 of DENR Administrative Order No. 19, Series of 1989.

Please be guided accordingly.

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