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SUBJECT:

Guidelines regarding Management of Protected Areas under the Administrative Jurisdiction of Two Regions.

Pursuant to Section 11 of R.A. 7586 (NIPAS) a Protected Area Management Board (PAMB) shall be created to, among others, approve proposals for funding, decide matters relating to planning, peripheral protection and general administration of the area in accordance with the General Management Planning Strategy.

In cases where national parks and other protected areas which are covered by two (2) regions, the following guidelines shall be considered in determining what Region will head the Interim PAMB for each of these areas.

- 1. The region with a larger area coverage over the protected area shall lead the management of said protected area;
- 2. In the creation of PAMB, the Regional Executive Director of the lead region shall chair the PAMB and the RED of the other region shall be one of the members; and
- 3. The Protected Area Supervisor (PAS) shall report to the Chairman of the Board. The PAS shall coordinate with the PAMB Chairman regarding regulatory matters such as implementation of parks rules and regulations in the entire protected area.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately.

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