DENR Memorandum Circular No. 19 June 02, 1994

SUBJECT: Selected Flagship Species for DENR Regional Offices.

In the interest of the service and pursuant to Department Memorandum Order No. 7, Series of 1993, Republic Act No. 7586 otherwise known as NIPAS Act of 1992, and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, and in line with the basic policy of the government to protect, conserve and preserve representative samples of biological diversity, the following species shall be adopted and shall serve as the banner species of the different Regions throughout the country, to wit:

Region	Common Name	Scientific Name
CAR	Benguet pine	Pinus kesiya
1	Salago	Wikstroemia ovata
2	Narek	Hopea cagayanensis
3	Phil. mallard	Anas luzonica
4	Tamaraw	Bubalus mindorensis
5	Gray's monitor lizard	Varanus olivaceus
6	Phil. spotted deer	Cervus alfredi
7	Cebu black shama	Copsychus cebuensis
8	Mancono	Xanthostemon verdugonianus

9	Phil. monkey	Macaca fascicularis
10	Molave	Vitex parviflora
11	Phil. eagle	Pithecophaga jefferyii
12	Mt. Apo lorikeet	Trichoglossus johnstoniae

The identified flagship species shall be used as emblems of conservation in the concerned DENR Regional Offices. Action plan shall be prepared by concerned Regional Offices for the protection and conservation of these flagship species and cost of implementation shall be included in their respective Annual Work and Financial Plans.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

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