DENR Administrative Order No. 45 December 21, 1994

SUBJECT: Addendum to DAO No. 14, Series of 1994.

In pursuance of an effective IPAS Project Implementation and Management, and to establish strong coordination between the IPAS-GEF project (CPPAP) with the 2 other ENR-SECAL Components, namely MEC and RRMP, particularly in IPAS areas where both or any of the 2 components are present, the following items are hereby added to the provision of DAO No. 14 Series of 1994 for the guidance of all concerned:

- 1. The CPPAP shall be administratively independent from the 2 components of the ENR-SECAL Program albeit as part of the overall ENR-SECAL Program, the DENR shall also view the performance of the IPAS Project in the context of overall SECAL performance focusing on activity coordination and complementation.
- 2. The PCU shall copy furnish the ENR-SECAL PMO of every report on the CPPAP submitted to the NPPSC and other relevant institutions.
- 3. The ENR-SECAL PMO shall assist the PCU in effectively fulfilling its main task of monitoring the Protected Area Superintendents (PASu), Regional Offices, NIPA and Host NGOs and in facilitating the release of GOP finds to the PCU and field offices.
- 4. The ENR-SECAL PMO shall designate some of its staff who shall serve as partners of the IPAS-PCU Desk Officers in the field of monitoring and evaluation work. These partners shall be strongly oriented about the project by the IPAS-PCU for effective participation in the monitoring and evaluation work.
- 5. The travelling and incidental expenses incurred by PCU Desk Officers shall be charged against the IPAS Project Fund and those incurred by the ENR-SECAL staff against ENR-SECAL PMO Fund.

6. The discussion on IPAS matters by the ENR-SECAL Steering Committee shall be limited within the context of the overall ENR-SECAL Program, principally on coordination and complementation of components. Issues in relation to the NIPAS ACT and its Implementing Rules and Regulations shall be handled by the NIPAS Policy and Program Steering Committee (NPPSC). Coverage of both committees in project implementation shall follow project documents and related references.

This order shall take effect immediately upon approval.

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