DENR Memorandum Order No. 96-11 June 19, 1996

## SUBJECT : Modified Implementation of the Log Control and Monitoring System in DENR Region XIII

- 1. In view of the need to provide ample time for the wood-based industry to learn more fully the mechanics of implementing the Log Control Monitoring System (LCMS) and integrate the same in their day-to-day operations, the full implementation of the system in DENR Region XIII as provided in DMO No. 96-08 is hereby modified as follows:
- 1.1 Implementation shall be for purposes of piloting the application of the system in all of the areas and aspects envisioned in DAO No. 96-04 and its implementing guidelines, and shall run for a period not to exceed one year;
- 1.2 The Regional Executive Director, in consultation with the Director of the Forest Management bureau and the Program Director of the ENR-SECAL Program, shall prepare a Regional LCMS Plan of Implementation (RLPI), furnishing the Secretary through the Undersecretary for Field Operations, a copy thereof for information and record;
- 1.3 The design of the RLPI shall include, among others, a study on the applicability of the system over industrial forest plantations and small-scale tree farm operations and the utilization of

unmerchantable timber and small-dimension wood materials in integrated wood processing operations;

- 1.4 The pilot implementation of the system shall be a joint collaborative activity of the DENR and the CARAGA-based wood industry sector;
- 1.5 The FMB Director and the ENR-SECAL Program Director together with the National Technical Working Group for LCMS shall provide the necessary assistance in the execution of the RLPI and shall closely monitor the progress of its implementation.
- 2 The RED for DENR Region XIII shall submit to this Office, through the Undersecretary for Field Operations, periodic status reports on the matter, together wit LCMS-related policy proposals and recommendations for further evaluation and consideration.
- 3 This Order amends/modifies DMO No. 96-08 and shall take effect immediately

## VICTOR O. RAMOS Secretary