

Memorandum Order

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TO : All DENR Bureau Directors, Heads of Attached Agencies, Regional Executive Directors, PENROs, CENROs, and DENR Employees Concerned

SUBJECT : Integration of Environmental Intelligence Quotient Scheme (EIQS) in the Civil Service.

Pursuant to the Philippine Agenda 21's call to integrate environmental aptitude in tests administered by the Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Career Executive Service Board (CESB) to ensure that civil service officers and government personnel possess the right level of understanding of issues, concerns and proper values for SD governance; and in order to sustain the efforts following the DENR-NEDA-CSC launching of EIQS in the Civil Service, you are hereby directed to familiarize yourself together with your staff and personnel on the EIQ Scheme.

The DENR being the lead national agency mandated to protect and manage our environment and natural resources should be on the forefront of this EIQ Scheme. You are therefore enjoined to learn about this EIQ Scheme and make sure that you have a copy of the relevant reference materials on EIQS. For your information, attached are the following reference materials on the EIQS:

1. EIQS Brochure
2. Consultant's report on the EIQS
3. Memorandum of Agreement between DENR-NEDA-CSC
4. Reference materials on EIQS

- 4.1 Philippine Agenda 21
- 4.2 Primer on Philippine Agenda 21
- 4.3 Operational Framework on Sustainable Development (OFSD)
- 4.4 OFSD Popular Version (Sustaining Lives on Earth)
- 4.5 Sustainable Development (SD) Perspective
- 4.6 Sourcebook on Sustainable Development Indicators
- 4.7 A Guide to the Economic Valuation of Environmental Impacts
(for Project Development and Appraisal)
- 4.8 Revised DAO 96-37 - Procedural Manual
- 4.9 SD Cases

In this regard, all DENR official and personnel are hereby directed to coordinate and participate in the massive information, education and dissemination campaign on EIQS to sustain this initiative and if necessary undertake collaborative activities with concerned agencies to achieve this end.

This Memorandum Order shall take effect immediately.

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