

**DENR Memorandum Order  
No. 99- 31  
October 26, 1999**

**SUBJECT : Allowing The Transport Of Logs  
Outside The Autonomous Region  
Of Muslim Mindanao**

In support to Resolution No. 2 dated October 9, 1999 of the Lake Lanao Watershed Protection and Development Council (LLWPDC), the transport of inventoried cut logs from the ARMM to point of destination is hereby allowed, subject to the following terms and condition:

1. Only the inventoried cut logs jointly certified by the Secretaries of DENR National and DENR ARMM or their duly authorized representative shall be imported;
2. The transport of inventoried cut logs shall be for a period of sixty (60) days effective upon signing of this Order; and
3. During the sixty (60) days period, there shall be no cutting. of logs by any person or entity in the areas and violation hereof shall subject the person or entity to criminal prosecution and cancellation of permit or license.

In addition, affected persons shall be identified and constituted into a cooperative for reforestation using fruit bearing trees to be funded by logging companies out of the reforestation fund deposit of licenses and permittees and other sources, and, for the purpose, DENR National and DENR ARMM shall prioritize them in their reforestation projects.

This Order amends the provision of DMO 99-28 dis-allowing the entry of forest products emanating from Lanao del Sur.

This Order will be strictly enforced.

SO ORDERED.

**(Sgd.) ANTONIO H. CERILLES**  
Secretary