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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

NO. 2102-18

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**SUBJECT : AMENDING MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR No. 2002-09
DATED SEPTEMBER 9, 2002**

In order to expedite fund disbursement so as not to hamper operations in the Diwalwal Direct State Development Project (DDSDP), paragraph 3 of Memorandum Circular No. 2002-9 dated September 9, 2002 Re *Interim Financial Guidelines and Procedures in the Receipt and Disbursements of funds from the Diwalwal Gold Rush Area*, is hereby amended in so far as securing clearance from the DENR Secretary is concerned, and to read as follows:

3. Except for item no. 5 below, fund disbursement shall be approved as follows:

- A. For the following activities, by the DDSDP Project Director or his designated representative:
 - 1. Geological surveys and underground mine surveys;
 - 2. Regular monitoring of the mining operations;
 - 3. Training of mine safety, first aid and environmental protection to small scale miners and mineral processors; and
 - 4. Other activities of the DDSDP Technical Working Group.

- B. For the following activities, by the NRDC President or his designated representative:
 - 1. Implementation of the mine management plan for the Diwalwal mining operations;
 - 2. Construction, operation and management of the Mabatás Mine Tailings Dam;
 - 3. Such other expenses relative to the administrative, financial and marketing operations of the DDSDP.

This Circular shall take effect immediately.


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Secretary