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MEMORANDUM

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THRU : The OIC Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services

FROM : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT : **ACTIVITY REPORT ON CONDUCTED AUTONOMOUS REEF
MONITORING STRUCTURE (ARMS) MONITORING AT
SNAKE ISLAND NCMCR ON NOVEMBER 17, 2023**

Forwarded is the memorandum dated November 17, 2023 of Research Assistant John Carlo J. Talan of Snake Island NCMCR.

As per report, the monitoring was conducted on November 17, 2023 to check the condition of the ARMS unit deployed within Station 2 at 15 meters' depth with coordinates 09°54'33.091" N, 118°49'48.351" E. The team was composed of Snake Island NCMCR Divers. The water visibility is at 4 meters with a temperature of 29 °C.

This serves as the Means of Verification (MOV) for Snake Island NCMCR CY 2023 activities. Attached herewith is the activity report with photo documentation.

For information and record.

“For the PENRO”


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FOR : The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer

THRU : The OIC Chief, Technical Services Division
The Chief, Conservation and Development Section/SIMO

FROM : John Carlo J. Talan
Research Assistant, Snake Island NCMCR

SUBJECT : **ACTIVITY REPORT ON CONDUCTED AUTONOMOUS REEF MONITORING STRUCTURE (ARMS) MONITORING AT SNAKE ISLAND NCMCR ON NOVEMBER 17, 2023**

Respectfully submitted is the activity report of the undersigned regarding on ARMS monitoring activity in Snake Island – National Coastal and Marine Center for Research.

Please be informed that a monthly ARMS monitoring was conducted on November 17, 2023 to regularly check the condition of the ARMS unit since its redeployment on July 27, 2022. The undersigned together with Marine Biologist I Krizia Meryl A. Ecube, Boat captain Orlando S. Baylon and Research Assistant Jamael B. Masacal carried out this month's monitoring activity.

Be informed further that the ARMS unit was spotted in the same deployment area within Station 2 with coordinates 09°54'33.091" N, 118°49'48.351" E in 15 meters' depth with a visibility of 4 meters and a sea temperature of 29°C. In addition, there were sightings of fishes such as: Baritos (*Hemiramphus far*), and Damselfishes during the said activity.

This will serve as Means of Verification (MOV) for Snake Island NCMCR CY 2023 activities.

Attached is the photo documentation of the activity. For your information and record



JOHN CARLO J. TALAN

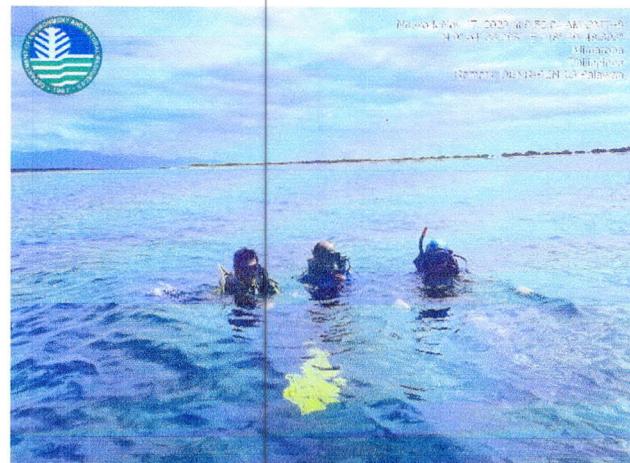
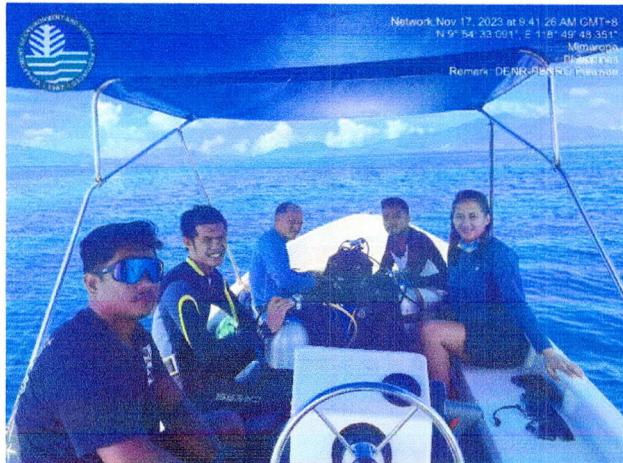
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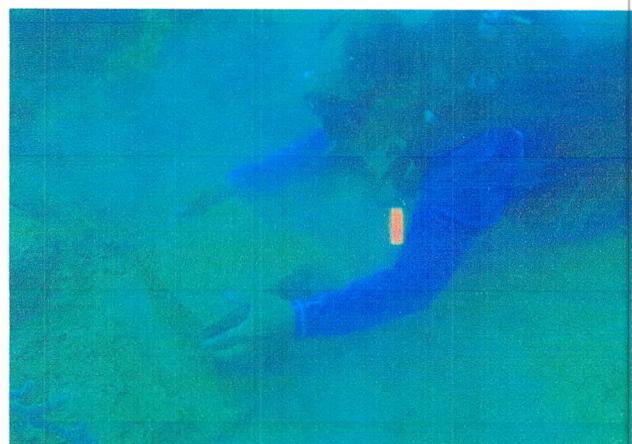
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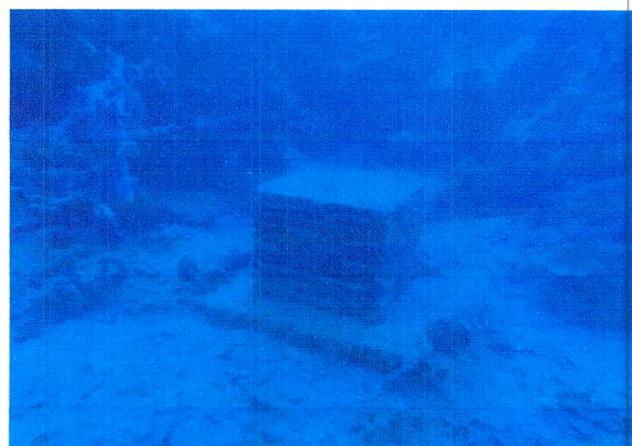
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Diver team bound to deployment area



Marine Biologist II Ms. Ecube and Research Assistant Mr. Masacal securing the ARMS unit given the 4 meters water visibility



Secured ARMS unit at 16 meters' dept