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MEMORANDUM

TO

All Regional Executive Directors

DENR Region 1-13, CAR and NCR

FROM

The Assistant Secretary for Policy, Planning and Foreign-Assisted and

Special Projects and Director, in concurrent capacity

SUBJECT :

REQUEST FOR INPUTS/COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT DENR

MEMORANDUM ORDER (DMO) "PRESCRIBING THE REPORTORIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF

ALL FOREST REVENUE COLLECTION"

DATE

AUG 23 2021

This pertains to the on-going formulation of a proposed draft DENR Memorandum Order (DMO) on "Prescribing the reportorial requirements for the submission of all forest revenue collection", amending DMO No. 2004-01 "Prescribing a Reporting System for the Submission of all Forestry Related Income Collection".

This policy aims to enhance the reporting system with up-to-date forest revenue data and to improve efficiency in the collection of forestry-related fees, charges, and other sources of forest revenues.

Correspondingly, based on the observations of this Office, there is a need to amend some provisions of DMO No. 2004-01 to: (1) ensure that incomplete, confusing, and redundant data entries in filled-up forms are avoided; (2) validate the existing tenurial instruments indicated in the attached forms; (3) ensure appropriate terminology is used; and (4) validate the nomenclature of offices and designations, among others.

In this regard, may we request your Office to provide inputs or comments to the draft document. Attached is a copy of the draft DMO with the proposed forms for your ready reference. In addition, may we also request the participation of your staff to provide further inputs and comments to the draft policy during an online consultation meeting (to be scheduled). It is suggested to have one (1) representative from the Regional Office and one (1) representative from one of your CENROs, and PENROs. Kindly provide us the name and email address of your identified staff for our coordination. Meanwhile, submission of your inputs/comments through email to forev.fmb@gmail.com on or before 27 August 2021 would be highly appreciated.

FOR INFORMATION AND APPROPRIATE ACTION, PLEASE.

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DENR MEMORANDUM ORDER NO. 2021-____

SUBJECT : PRESCRIBING THE REPORTORIAL

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF

ALL FOREST REVENUE COLLECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of Republic Act No. 7161, Presidential Decree No. 705, Executive Order No. 192, Executive Order No. 273, and DENR Administrative Order No. 2019-01 and in order to enhance the reporting system with up-to-date forest revenue data and improve the efficiency of collection of forestry-related fees, charges and other revenues, this guideline is hereby issued for the guidance and strict compliance of all concerned.

- 1. All DENR Field Offices (Regional Office, PENR Office, and CENR Office) through the <u>Licensing</u>, <u>Permitting</u>, and <u>Patents Section</u> (Regulation and Permitting Section) of <u>CENRO</u> and <u>PENRO</u>, and Forest Utilization Section (FUS) under Licenses, Patents, and Deeds Division (LPDD) of Regional Offices shall accomplish the attached FMB Revenue Forms in coordination with their respective Collecting Officers.
- 2. The Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services shall supervise the compilation of all forestry-related revenue collection reports by the CENROs and PENROs within its jurisdiction.
- 3. All the DENR Field Offices (Regional Office, PENR Office, and CENR Office) shall maintain its own database on forestry-related revenue collection.
- 4. The Regional Office concerned shall submit its mid-year and annual narrative reports to the DENR Central Office, thru the Forest Management Bureau, on the overall status of forest revenue collection within its jurisdiction. The Forest Management

Bureau shall consolidate all the Regional Office reports and prepare an annual comprehensive national report on forest revenue collection.

- 5. The mid-year and annual narrative report by the Regional Office shall include GIS-based mapping of forest revenue collection by CENRO for data visualization, thereby indicating therein, among others, the area with the highest and lowest revenue collection for monitoring, evaluation, and informed decision-making. Other performance metrics that are data-driven can also be included in the report for analysis. It shall likewise contain the process on revenue collection compliance verification, information on issuance of reminder letters, and recommended penalties for any violation.
- 6. The CENRO concerned shall submit its monthly report to the PENR Office on or before the 5th day of the succeeding month. The PENRO concerned shall submit the provincial consolidated monthly report to the Regional Office on or before the 15th day of the succeeding month. While the Regional Executive Director concerned shall submit the consolidated Regional monthly report to the DENR Central Office, Attention: the Director, Forest Management Bureau, on or before the 30th day of the succeeding month.

The deadline for submission of reports from one office to another (monthly, mid-year, and annual) shall be as follows:

Office	Monthly	Mid-Year	Annual		
	Report	Report	Report		
PENRO	On or before the 5 th day of the succeeding month	the 5th day of	the 5th day of		

PENRO	to	On or before	On or before	On or before
Region		the 15th day of	the 15th day of	the 15th day of
		the succeeding	July of each	January of the
		month	year	succeeding
				year
Region	to	On or before	On or before	On or before
DENR		the 30th day of	the 30th day of	the 30th day of
Central		the succeeding	July of each	January of the
Office,	thru	month	year	succeeding
FMB				year

- 7. **DEFINITION OF TERMS**. For the purpose of this Order, the following terms shall have the meaning as indicated below:
 - 7.1. **Administrative Fees** refer to payment being made for the services and operational expenses of the government in the processing, monitoring, and managing of tenurial instruments, permits and other privileges being granted by the DENR.
 - 7.2. Forest Charges levies imposed by the government on naturally-growing timber and other forest products cut/harvested by the tenurial instrument holder or permittee, the rate of which is provided under Section 70, 71 and 72 of R.A. 7161, otherwise known as the Forest Charges Law.
 - 7.3. **Tenure Fees** refer to the amount to be paid by a tenurial instrument holder in the form of government share, user's fee and rental for the use of a certain parcel of forest land.
- 8. For guidance and uniformity, hereunder are the List of Forestry-related Fees and Charges, to wit:

8.1. ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

- A. Application Fees
 - 1. Socialized Industrial Forest Management Agreement (SIFMA)

- 2. Integrated Forest Management Agreement (IFMA)
- 3. Special Land Use Permit (SLUP)
- 4. Forest Land Use Agreement (FLAg)
- 5. Forest Land Use Agreement for Tourism (FLAgT)
- 6. Forest Land Grazing Management Agreement (FLGMA)
- 7. Wood/Rattan Processing/Manufacturing Plants
- 8. Non-Timber Forest Products cutting/gathering/harvesting
- 9. Certificate of registration as poles, piles, log, and lumber dealer (local dealership)
- 10. Registration as Agents, Contractors & Dealers of logs, lumber, veneer & commercial poles and piles (imported)
- 11. Export authority
- 12. Certification of status clearance for mining prospecting area
- 13. Chainsaw registration
- 14. Permit to purchase or import chainsaw
- 15. Permit to manufacture chainsaw
- 16. Permit to sell/re-sell/dispose/distribute/ transfer of ownership of Chainsaw
- 17. Authority to lease, rent or lend chainsaw

B. Annual Fees

- 1. Wood Processing Plant Permit to operate Regular Sawmill, Mini-sawmill and Re-sawmill (per Daily rated capacity)
- 2. Veneer, Plywood and Other Wood-based panel plants permit (per Daily rated capacity)
- 3. Non-Timber Forest Products cutting/gathering/harvesting permit
- 4. Wood treating plant permit
- 5. Rattan manufacturing/processing plant permit

C. Service Fee

- 1. Survey (delimitation of boundary) on forestlands subject of application for permit/license/tenure
- 2. Timber Inventory
- 3. Inspection/verification of timber/non timber forest products (local and for export)
- 4. Assessment of forestry tenured areas (if requested by lessee/agreement holder)

D. Other fees

- 1. Transport permit and special certification (i.e. Forest Products origin, Forest product verification, Transshipment certification, Land Classification status, etc.)
- 2. Oath fee
- 3. Appeal Fee for forestry tenure instruments
- 4. Authentication fee (Certified True Copy of documents)

8.2. GOVERNMENT SHARE/USER'S FEE/RENTAL

- A. Government Share/User's Fee (Annual fee for tenure holders)/Rental
- B. Surcharges and Penalties

8.3. FOREST CHARGES FOR TIMBER AND NON-TIMBER FOREST PRODUCTS

9. All orders, circulars and/or instructions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and/or modified accordingly.

FOR GUIDANCE AND STRICT COMPLIANCE.

ROY A. CIMATU Secretary

MONTHLY COLLECTION REPORT ON FOREST CHARGES

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REGION/ PENRO/CENR O/ Implementing PENRO
Name of Permittee/Li censee/ Tenure Holder
Type of Permit
Source of Forest Products (Public/Priv ate Land)
Kind of Forest Products (Timber/N TFP)
Species (Specific Group)
Volume
Forest charges Paid (Php)
Date of payment (mm/dd/ye ar)
OR Number
Remarks

Standard Unit of Measure (Volume)

- Timber- cubic meter

 Almaciga Resin/Beeswax/Gutta Percha/Other Gums and Resin- Kilograms
- Bamboo Poles- piece
- Rattan (unsplit)- Lineal Meter Rattan (split)- Kilogram

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ANNEX 2

MONTHLY COLLECTION REPORT ON ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

MONTH___YEAR___

REGION/ PENRO/CENRO/ Implementing PENRO Name of Payee Fees PENRO						
Amount Paid						
Date of payment (mm/dd/year)						
OR Number						
Remarks						

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ANNEX 3

MONTHLY COLLECTION REPORT ON TENURED FEES

MONTH____YEAR_

			REGION/ PENRO/ CENRO/ Implementing PENRO
			Name of Holder
			Type of Tenure Instrument
			Tenure No.
			Area (ha)
			Date issued (mm/dd /year)
			Expiry date (mm/dd /year)
			Type of Fees (Governme nt Share/User 's Fee/Rental)
			Curren t GS/RF/ UF (Php) (A)
			Surcharg e/Penalty (Php) (B)
			Back Rent al (C)
			Date of Paymen t (mm/dd /year)
			OR Numbe r
			Assesse d Value
			Validated Amount (A+B+C)
			Remark s

Types of Tenurial Instruments

	Integrated Forest Management Agreement (IFMA)	Agro-Forestry Farm Lease Agreement (AFFLA)	Forestland Grazing Management Agreement (FLGMA)	Types of Lengthan mistranticines
Forest Land Use Agreement (FLAg)	Upland Agroforestry (MOA or JVA)	Tree Farm Lease Agreement (TFLA)	Socialized Industrial Forest Management Agreement (SIFMA)	
	Special Land Use Permit	Special Land Use Lease Agreement (SPLULA)	Forest Land Use Agreement for Tourism Purposes (FLAgT)	

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