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MEMORANDUM

TO : THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
DENR - MIMAROPA
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FROM : THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR FIELD OPERATIONS,
ENFORCEMENT AND MUSLIM AFFAIRS

SUBJECT : LIFTING OF SUSPENSION IN THE ISSUANCE, PROCESSING
AND APPROVAL OF SURVEY AUTHORITY, SURVEY PLANS,
AND PUBLIC LAND APPLICATIONS (PLAs) COVERING LOTS IN
IN THE SELECTED MUNICIPALITIES IN PALAWAN

DATE : March 2, 2020

In support of the sustainable development of the Province of Palawan, and having addressed operational issues on the ground, the following activities shall be lifted from the suspension in the issuance, processing and approval of survey authority, survey plans, and Public Land Applications (PLAs).

- (i) Titling of Alienable & Disposable (A&D) lands in Culion, Rizal, Busuanga, Roxas, Taytay, Balabac, Narra, and Brookes Point in the Province of Palawan.
- (ii) All urgent government projects within A&D lands in the entire province of Palawan.

Given this, you are hereby directed to proceed with the processing of all subsisting and new requests for issuance of survey authority, approval of survey plans and PLAs covering agricultural land (alienable and disposable) within the said municipalities subject to DENR Memorandum Circular No. 2019-10 dated December 11, 2019.

Other government projects such as school sites, government offices, military camps in Araceli, Cagayancillo, Culion, Rizal, Busuanga, Roxas and Taytay that fall within timberland shall be subjected to reclassification into A&D Lands.

The Memorandum dated May 28, 2015 by the then Undersecretary Demetrio Ignacio, Jr. is hereby revoked.

For your information and strict compliance

For and by authority of the Secretary:

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To:

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