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Dear Dir. Ferrer,

Good Day!

The Comprehensive Assessment and Conservation of Blue Carbon Ecosystems and Their Services in the Coral Triangle (*BlueCARES*) Project, being implemented by the University of the Philippines Diliman together with the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), aims to capacitate its stakeholders in the Blue Carbon Strategy thru the Blue Carbon Network (*BCnet*).

In line with its objectives, the *BCnet*-Luzon will be holding its **3rd Virtual Workshop** via Zoom on **01 October 2021 at 2:00 pm PHT**. The workshop will continue to train *BCnet*-Luzon in mangrove mapping and introduce them to seagrass monitoring methods.

We are pleased to invite the DENR MIMAROPA to the network and to the event. Interested members from your office may register thru this link: bit.ly/BCnetLuzonWorkshop3. For confirmation, questions, or clarifications, you may contact Engr. Kristina Di V. Ticman thru e-mail: kvticman2@up.edu.ph.

We look forward to having you join us. Thank you very much.

Best regards,

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