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MR. HENRY A. ADORNADO

Regional Executive Director
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
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Dear Dir. Adornado:

This pertains to the **Philippine Geoportal Project** that this Agency is currently spearheading. This project aims to establish an online platform for sharing of and access to geospatial information that many government agencies produce and collect. Initially funded through e-Government, the Philippine Geoportal system (www.geoportal.gov.ph) was formally launched in 2014 as part of the Philippine Government's open data initiatives and transparency program.

A major component of the project is the build-up of the geospatial database and its publication in the portal. We are regularly updating the geodatabase by encouraging more geospatial data producers, especially from the public sector, to share their datasets online.

The data that your agency provided to us are now part of the portal database. They are published online among the 487 geospatial data produced and collected by various stakeholder agencies. We will appreciate it if you can provide us updates on your data by accomplishing the attached Description of Geospatial Data form, labeled Annex A. You can use the same form for additional data you want included in the database. Please be reminded however **not to leave blank** the Data Restriction section of the form as this will serve as our basis for the data download restrictions.

Furthermore, please find attached pro-forma Data Sharing Agreement to sustain our collaboration and partnership. You may however, use your own document in lieu of our template.

The forms are also available online at the NAMRIA website (www.namria.gov.ph).

Should you have any concern or need assistance, please feel free to contact Mr. Eriberto N. Brillantes, Aljerico A. Alcala and Ma. Cecilia Espiritu at telephone numbers 88105460, 8842856, 88104831 loc. 420 and mobile numbers 0917 05291165, 0949 9942230, 0917 9401447 and 0977 1503411. You can also email us dmd@namria.gov.ph.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,


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