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MEMORANDUM

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TO

The Regional Executive Directors

DENR Regions 1, 2, 3, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12,

CARAGA, CAR and NCR

FROM

The Undersecretary for Field Operations and Supervising

Undersecretary for Biodiversity

SUBJECT

OBSERVANCE OF THE 23rd PHILIPPINE EAGLE WEEK

(PEW)

This pertains to the observance of the 23rd Philippine Eagle Week (PEW) from June 4-10, 2019 in accordance with Presidential Proclamation No. 79 with the theme, *The Philippine eagle and Indigenous Peoples: Protecting our Forests, Protecting our Future.* This year we are featuring our local Champions in Philippine eagle conservation, the Indigenous Peoples, and recognize their active participation in conserving the Crown Jewel of Philippine biodiversity, the Filipino people's gift to humanity, a proud legacy to the world.

The Regions are enjoined to undertake education and awareness campaigns in observance of the 23rd PEW through various forms of media *e.g.* hanging of streamers, print, radio, television and social media, seminars, community visits, art workshops, etc., to reach every man, woman and child especially in areas where these birds are found. A downloadable template of the 2021 PEW tarp design may be accessed through the website: www.bmb.gov.ph

Further, the Regions are requested to submit to the Biodiversity Management Bureau through channel, a report on the activities undertaken in observance of the 23rd PEW.

For compliance.

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