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## MEMORANDUM

FOR

**The Regional Executive Director** DENR-MIMAROPA Region Roxas Blvd. Ermita, Manila

**The Director** Ecosystems Research and Development Bureau College, Laguna

FROM : The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT

**REQUEST FOR THE PROCUREMENT AND INSTALLATION OF ROD-SURFACE ELEVATION TABLE (R-SET) IN SNAKE ISLAND – NATIONAL COASTAL AND MARINE CENTER FOR RESEARCH** 

In line with the implementation of the Snake Island Operational Plan under the Program 1: Field Station for Applied Research for Coastal and Marine and Terrestrial Environment, may we request the Ecosystem Research and Development Bureau (ERDB) for the procurement and installation of Rod-Surface Elevation Table (R-SET) to monitor the sediment accretion in Snake Island NCMCR with a 5-10 years' data gathering.

R-SET method is a non-destructive process that precisely measure changes in ground surface elevation over time relative to fixed datum hence the installation is necessary to determine the rates of elevation change, particularly relative to the impacts of sea level rise in Snake Island and Honda Bay at large. This is in consonance to the functions of Snake Island as per DAO 2011-12 as field station for applied research as well as model for sustainable coastal and marine management.

For your information and consideration.



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