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NOTICE OF MEETING

FOR : THE DIRECTORS

Biodiversity Management Bureau Policy and Planning Service

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Palawan Council for Sustainable Development

THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS DENR Regional Offices I, MIMAROPA, and V

FROM : THE DIRECTOR

Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects Service

SUBJECT: CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT BASELINING MEETING

FOR THE "EFFECTIVELY MANAGING NETWORKS OF MARINE PROTECTED AREAS IN LARGE MARINE ECOSYSTEMS IN THE ASEAN REGION (ASEAN

ENMAPS)" PROJECT

The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), in collaboration with the ASEAN Centre for Biodiversity (ACB) and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources-Biodiversity Management Bureau (DENR-BMB), is supporting the preparation of the project document (ProDoc) entitled "Effectively Managing Networks of Marine Protected Areas in Large Marine Ecosystems in the ASEAN Region (ASEAN ENMAPS)" to be implemented in Indonesia, Philippines and Thailand. The proposed project aims to develop and improve the management of networks of marine protected areas and marine corridors within selected Large Marine Ecosystems (LMEs) in the ASEAN region for the conservation of globally significant biodiversity and support for sustainable fisheries and other ecosystem goods and services.

As part of the project development process, we would like to invite you and/or your representative for a virtual meeting to be held on **23 December 2022 at 9 AM-12:00PM** The objectives of the activity are to discuss and assess the baseline of the Capacity Development Score card of the abovementioned project.

Below is the following Zoom connecting details:

Meeting URL: https://undp.zoom.us/j/85631494769

Meeting ID: 856 3149 4769

We would appreciate receiving your confirmation before 23 December 2022. You may contact Ms. Alyssa Carreon (alyssa.carreon@undp.org) of UNDP, and/or Mr. William Bayhon III (2021.jaba@gmail.com) of the Project Preparation Division (PPD) of the Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects Service (FASPS) for queries

Your participation on the matter will be highly appreciated.

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