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Fw: Data Request for Payments for Ecosystem Services Study

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Dear DENR-MIMAROPA:

Good morning!

This email has reference to our request last week about relevant data/information in relation to **Puerto Princesa Subterranean River National Park** and **Tubbataha Reefs Natural Park**. May we also request from your good office to conduct virtual/face-to-face Key Informant Interviews/Focus Group Discussions with PES technical personnel from your good office, PENRO Palawan, and representatives from abovementioned parks? Please find attached the letter for your reference.

Should you have any questions or clarifications, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you very much.

Best,
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Good day!

Greetings from the Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS)!

The PIDS, the government's primary socioeconomic policy think tank attached to the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA), is currently conducting a study on Looking at Payments for Ecosystems Services (PES) in the Philippines. Valuation approaches in lieu of missing environment markets have emerged to inform management options. This undertaking primarily tackles how PES contributes to both economic development and environment sustainability initiatives.

As such, may we respectfully request from your good office the following data in relation to **Puerto Princesa Subterranean River National Park** and **Tubbataha Reefs Natural Park**:

A. Puerto Princesa Subterranean River National Park

Data	Year
1. International assistance (how much budget the park received) or local budget allocation	2011-2021
2. Tourism data (number of visitors, spending, activities, disaggregated)	2011-2021
3. Tourism data (e.g. number of employed in tourism sector, income data)	2011-2021
4. List of projects and developments within the protected area	2011-2021
5. List of proposed projects and developments	2011-2021
6. Records of environmental violation (e.g. cease and desist)	2011-2021
7. Environmental penalties and fines imposed	2011-2021
8. Incentive mechanisms	2011-2021

B. Tubbataha Reefs Natural Park

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2. Tourism data (number of visitors, spending, activities, disaggregated)	2011-2021
3. Tourism data (e.g. number of employed in tourism sector, income data)	2011-2021
4. List of projects and developments within the protected area	2011-2021
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6. Records of environmental violation (e.g. cease and desist)	2011-2021
7. Environmental penalties and fines imposed	2011-2021
8. Incentive mechanisms	2011-2021

Hoping for your immediate and favorable response on this request. Thank you very much.

Regards,

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