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Department of Environment and Natural Resources
DENR by the Bay Bldg., 1515 Roxas Boulevard,
Ermita, Manila

SUBJECT : Virtual Special Inter-Agency Convergence Meeting: Mandanas-Garcia Ruling Implications and Updates and Credit Programs Meeting for the Commodity Investment Plan (CIP) Implementation Support via Zoom on June 28, 2022

Dear **Director Claudio**:

Good day!

The Department of Agriculture–Philippine Rural Development Project (DA-PRDP) MIMAROPA sought to formalize the commitment of the agencies by institutionalizing a formal convergence that ensures the participation of relevant regional line agencies of the government that will harmonize, mainstream, and ensure that the priority investments included in the Provincial Commodity Investment Plans (PCIPs) are properly funded, implemented, and supported. The PCIP is a strategic plan that rationalizes the interventions within the various segments of the value chain of the prioritized commodities of MIMAROPA provinces.

In the context of PCIP implementation, the major non-PRDP support is generated through the inter-agency convergence initiative composed mostly of relevant national government agencies. However, these agencies' functions and PAPs are affected by the Mandanas-Garcia Ruling, while the LGUs now bear more responsibilities corresponding to the resources that will be devolved to them.

It is imperative at this point to see and appreciate the ongoing efforts of NGAs and LGUs during this transition year. In line with this, may we invite the Planning Chief and/or any representative from your office to give a presentation on the Devolution Transition Plan (DTP) of your Office in the *Special Regional Inter-Agency Convergence Meeting: Mandanas-Garcia Ruling Implications and Updates and Credit Programs for the CIP implementation Support on **June 28, 2022, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM via Zoom.***

Attached herewith are the Programme of Activities, Briefer and Zoom Link for your reference. Kindly confirm your attendance by registering the name of the representative in the Google Spreadsheet Link that is attached in your email. For clarifications, please contact the I-PLAN Planning Officer, Ms. Faith Janica P. Manalo at 09500912336 or email us at iplanprdpmimaropa@gmail.com

Thank you for your continued support!

Respectfully,

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